

**OLD ALRESFORD PARISH COUNCIL**  
**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF OLD ALRESFORD PARISH COUNCIL**  
**HELD IN THE CHRISTY HALL ON TUESDAY 5TH JULY 2022 AT 7.30.P.M.**

**PRESENT:**

Councillor Mrs. S. Cornford            Chair  
Councillors Mrs. J. Tickner and Mr. M. Durrant.

**In attendance:**

1 Parishioner.  
Mrs. R. R. Smith. Clerk to the Council.

**1486/7/22 APOLOGIES.**

Parish Councillor Mrs. A. Richardson, County Councillor Mrs. J. Porter. City Councillors Ms. M. Power, Ms. F. Isaacs and Mr. R. Gordon Smith.

**1487/7/22 MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 24th MAY 2022.**

Minutes of the meeting held on the 24<sup>th</sup> May 2022 having been circulated were taken as read, approved and signed by the Chair.

**1488/7/22 COMMUNITY ISSUES**

None

**1487/5/22 MATTERS ARISING.**

**To amend Minute 1435/5.**

On the instructions of the Chair the Clerk cancelled the cheque for £600.00 payable to the Jubilee Committee and will await an invoice from Sole Butchers in New Alresford for the sum of £595.00 in respect of the Hog roast for the Jubilee celebrations.

Claim from visitor regarding damage to car door when vehicle was parked on continuous white line on the Highway. Visitor states that damage was caused by contractor cutting grass on village green. This will now be dealt with by Council insurers. There is no liability on the Council.

**Lengthman's visits.** The Council had been informed that the Lengthsman would be visiting the Parish on the following dates:

1<sup>st</sup> September 2022  
1<sup>st</sup> December 2022  
2<sup>nd</sup> February 2023.

## **1488/6/22 PARISH COUNCILLOR REPORTS**

**Christy Hall** – a new sign is awaited for the Hall. The car park work has been completed. A trellis was requested on the new fence but the Hall Committee is not prepared to provide this but has agreed that the resident on the opposite side of the car park has the authority of the Hall Committee to erect the trellis at his personal cost.

**Environment** – The Chair proposed that the Council look at erecting “Gateway signs” at each end of the village along the Basingstoke Road. The Clerk had provided the Chair with a recently received advertising booklet. The chair will arrange on site meeting to which Councillors will be invited to discuss this project.

Stream on the Green. Concern was expressed that the banks along the stream had not been cut back and this stopped parishioners getting close to the stream.

The Clerk was asked to contact Enviroaqua to arrange an on site meeting with Nicholas Gibbs to discuss the current contract of two visits to cut the stream each year in June & October.

**Highways and Byways.** The trees requiring attention in Kiln Lane are still on the list of highway issues but so far no action has taken place. These trees are on the highway.

### **Planning- Applications received.**

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| Application No.                            | 22/00878/FUL  |
| Location.                                  | Pinglestone Farm, The Old Stable Block, Abbotstone Road, Old Alresford. SO24 9T |
| Proposal                                   | Proposed single storey to the extension to the Old Stable Block.                |
| Closing date                               | 8 <sup>th</sup> July 2022   |
| <i>Parish Council decision. No comment</i> |   |

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| Application No.                            | 22/00889/HOU  |
| Location                                   | The Rosery, Basingstoke Road, Old Alresford SO24 9DL                            |
| Proposal                                   | Proposed cropped hip to gable front and rear, porch and elevational alterations |
| Closing date                               | 1 <sup>st</sup> July 2022   |
| <i>Parish Council decision. No comment</i> |   |

**Applications granted:**

Application No. 22/00419/LIS. Swan Cottage, Bighton Road, Old Alresford SO24 9DZ.

*Application permitted.*

Application No. 22/00458/HOU. School House, Basingstoke Road, Old Alresford. SO24 9DR

*Application permitted.*

Application Appeal – Reference – 21/01334/.FUL. Land off Abbotstone Road, Fobdown, Hampshire. Change of use of land from agriculture to Class 3 (Dwelling house). Appeal reference - APP/L1765/W/22/3291901

Local Plan timetable has been distributed to all Parish Councillors.

**1489/7/22. FINANCE**

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| £595.00 | Sole Butchers   |
| £250.50 | Joe Noades. Grass cutting on 2 <sup>nd</sup> /16 <sup>th</sup> /30 <sup>th</sup> May 2020 |
| £936.00 | Enviroaqua. Stream clearance.   |
| £144.43 | R. Smith – Clerk’s expenses. Q1   |
| £650.00 | R. Smith. Clark’s honorarium. Q1.   |

The Clerk confirmed that the Audit was completed by the Internal Auditor on the 6<sup>th</sup> June 2022 and the final statement (AGAR) was submitted to PKF Littlejohn on the 8<sup>th</sup> June 2022.

**1490/7/22 CORRESPONDENCE**

The Clerk was asked to contact the Diocese of Winchester to enquire about the current position regarding the future of Old Alresford Place.

**1491/7/22 DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> August 2022.

\_\_\_\_\_ Chairman

Date \_\_\_\_\_