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WROXALL PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD AT 19.00 ON MONDAY 9 AUGUST 2021 AT THE METHODIST CHURCH HALL, HIGH ST, WROXALL

PRESENT: Cllr A. Gallop (Chairman)
Cllr C. Watts, Cllr H. Little, Cllr K. Wacker, Cllr J. Davis

IN ATTENDANCE: Cllr R. Downer (IW Council), Mr M. R. Taplin (Clerk), Five members of the public

FROM THE FLOOR Members of the public expressed concern about the imminent work to build five dwellings in Rew Lane just east of West St, in particular the dangers from construction traffic with children playing in the area. It was suggested that a gate be placed on the alley to stop children running into the road. Clerk to write to Donna Bullock of Southern Housing Group, where the responsibility for this lay.

48/21-22 TO RECEIVE APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE Cllr L. Witt

49/21-22 TO RECEIVE DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN AGENDA ITEMS None

50/21-22 TO RESOLVE ANY CO-OPTION OF MEMBERS

On a proposal by Cllr Gallop, seconded by Cllr Watts, it was resolved that Mrs Jane Davis be co-opted to serve as a member of Wroxall Parish Council. Mrs Davis signed the member's acceptance of office, and this was countersigned by the Clerk. Cllr Davis joined the meeting.

51/21-22 TO CONFIRM AND APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 12 JULY

The minutes of the meeting held on 12 July were approved as a correct record, and they were signed by the Chairman.

52/21-22 MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES NOT REQUIRING A RESOLUTION

Cllr Wacker said he had finally been able to contact Mr Sheath of the Football Club But the conversation was unsatisfactory. Only one quote had been received for the Work to concrete in the bins and a seat and it was decided to seek additional Prices. Cllr Wacker would try to come up with alternative contractors, perhaps by Visiting Travers Perkin to look at business cards on display. The Clerk had written to new PCSO about attending a future meeting but had yet to receive a reply.

53/21-22 TO RESOLVE COMMENTS ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS RECEIVED

21/00090 Land south of 70 West St/Rew lane Conditions compliance
This was noted (but see discussion from the floor above).

There were two notifications of proposed tree works that were not the subject of public comment. However the Clerk was asked to write to the Tree Officer at Isle of Wight Council to protest at the proposed felling of two sycamore trees at 4 The Glade (21/01465).

54/21-22 ALLOTMENTS (including any increase in charges)

Former Cllr Wedlock-Ward attended for this item as he had agreed to continue to carry out allotment administration in the village. There was debate about the possibility of laying in a water pipe, but it was agreed to let the current arrangements continue, subject to any work the Isle of Wight Council would carry

out on the cemetery building. After discussion it was **resolved** that the fee for plots from 1 October 2021 should be increased to £20.

55/21-22 ELECTRIC CAR CHARGING POINT

The Clerk referred to a letter from IW Councillor Medland about the opportunity to bid for government funding to provide chargers for on-street spaces. Former Cllr Wedlock-Ward was already in discussion with the community centre about their three parking spaces on St Martin's Rd. It was agreed to contact Cllr Medland to express the Council's interest.

56/21-22 TO RESOLVE ORDER FOR BPLACING BINS/SEATS AT RECREATION GROUND

The two new bins had been delivered to the Chairman, who also held the seat. Further quotes to be obtained (see 52/21-22above).

57/21-22 TO APPROVE AUTHORISATION OF PAYMENTS

It was **resolved** to approve the following payments:

Cheque No	Payee	Amount	Details
Transfer	Wroxall School PTA	£ 400.00	Grant
Transfer	Wroxall Minibus	£ 500.00	Grant
Transfer	Wroxall Methodist Church	£ 300.00	Grant
Transfer	Wroxall Community Assoc	£ 500.00	Grant
Transfer	Wroxall General Welfare	£ 500.00	Grant
Transfer	Ventnor+Wroxall Disabled	£ 200.00	Grant
Transfer	HMRC	£ 63.20	PAYE
Transfer	M R Taplin	£ 252.74	Clerk's salary July
Transfer	Bright Brown	£ 67.20	Payroll admin
Transfer	Beardsalls	£ 255.20	Printing The Way
Transfer	K Gatrell	£ 45.00	Fence repairs
001593	Bin Shop	£ 591.43	Litter bins
Transfer	M. R. Taplin	£ 25.66	Clerk's expenses

58/21-22 CORRESPONDENCE

Letters of appreciation had been received in respect of grants made.

59/21-22 ANY OTHER URGENT BUSINESS (not requiring a resolution)

The Chairman referred to Cllr Wacker's postings on social media and urged him not to get involved in discussions about the content of the Way. This was produced by volunteers and contributions should be sent to Sue Chilton, while Jackie Gallop looked after the admin. There was debate about the origins and efficacy of the 24-hour limit for parking in St Martin's Rd car park.

It was agreed to have colour on the front and back covers of the Way, the extra cost being covered by additional advertising revenue. Assistance with a poster was requested by Mrs Gallop.

Cllr Downer's report was read. He reported that three more blocked drains were being Dealt with by Island Roads.

From the floor nil

There being no further business, the Chairman declared the meeting closed at 20.23

Next meeting Monday 13 September 19.00 Methodist Hall, High Street