#### LAMBOURNE PARISH COUNCIL

# MINUTES 12<sup>th</sup> October 2022 at 7.45pm

An Ordinary Meeting of the members of Lambourne Parish Council was held On Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> October in the Lambourne End Parish Rooms.

In attendance: Cllr D Hardy, Cllr L Shreeve, Cllr B Knowles, Cllr H Moore, Cllr M Drewe,

District Councillor B. Rolfe was present.

There was 3 members of the public.

Also In attendance: Tony Carter (Clerk)

Meeting started at 7.45pm

#### 22.133 Apologies for Absence

Cllr D Moggridge Cllr P Nash Cllr H Martin Cllr C.Karbaron

#### 22.134 Declaration of Interest

None.

#### 22.135 Public Consultation

Martin Frankfurt showed the new Speed Gun and gave an update about Speedwatch. A spot has been given on London Road but it needs to be checked before it is used.

Martin Payne, Minister at the Abridge Church, mentioned that they would be offering a Warm Hub at the Church over the cold months. This will be after school with drinks, activities and food. He asked for help making sure people knew of this and Cllr B Rolfe asked that any families that are struggling could be referred to him also.

An Abridge resident talked about how unreliable the 418 Bus had become.

The Clerk will try and contact the operators.

# 22.136 Minutes of 28th September 2022 meeting.

The minutes of 28th September 2022 were AGREED as a true record.

## 22.137 Clerk Report

The Clerk read out the Clerks Report and it was NOTED.

# 22.138 Planning

# EPF/2145/22 - Land Between 42 And 44, Ongar Road, Lambourne, Romford, RM4 1UH

**Proposal**: Revision to EPF/1624/21 (as amended by EPF/0773/22) to provide loft accommodation.

The COUNCIL has NO OBJECTION to this planning applications.

This was carried on a 3/2 vote.

### 22.139 Report from District and County Councillors

Cllr B Rolfe mentioned that he thought that the 23/24 financial year at EFDC was likely to be difficult.

The ward changes were talked about with Lambourne down as being merged with two Chigwell wards. It is planned that each three Councillor area will have 5400 voters and this will give 5700 in the suggested area.

## 22.140 Correspondence

Letter and picture regards parking in Willow tree Close was NOTED. Facebook message regards the Abridge Church Warm Hub was NOTED.

## 22.141Highways Report

The brambles on the Hoe lane pavement have been cleared by EFDC after the Clerk requested this.

#### 22.142 Replacement Columns

UK Power Networks need payment before the work can be booked in. It was AGREED that the cheques for full payment would be sent.

# 22.143 CCTV Camera at Playground Field

The Chairman has received a verbal quote of £1400 to carry out the work. The Trustees will be asked if they would be happy to give 50% if the figure was around this amount.

This will be added to the November Agenda.

#### 22.144 Playground Update

A number of Councillors met at the Playground and looked at what they thought needed to be carried out. The Chairman will send a report to the Clerk.

This will be added to the November Agenda.

# 22.145 Platinum Jubilee Plaque

After a discussion it was AGREED that a Plaque 250mm X 200mm would be ordered. This costs £162 plus VAT. Cllr H Moore will laisse with the Clerk for this to be ordered.

## 22.146 District Boundary Changes

There was a discussion as to what response the Council wanted to give. Comments can be made until December 10<sup>th</sup> so Councillors will read the document in full and come to the November meeting with their comments.

This will be added to the November Agenda.

## 22.147 Christmas Lights Update

Councillors will meet at 9.00 am at the Abridge Village Hall on 22<sup>nd</sup> October to go and choose the Christmas Tree.

# 22.148 Lambourne Emergency Plan

This will be added to the November Agenda.

# 22.149 Report of Responsible Financial Officer

Cheques presented and AGREED.

The Bank Reconciliation was not available.

# Cheques

101060	A & J Lighting (Street light maintenance)	49.20
101061	TBS Hygiene (Emptying dog bins)	180.96
101062	Pinnacle Housing (Church/Hall grass cutting)	800.01
101063	EHAAS	800.00
101064	P Nash (Projector cable)	12.99
101065	A. Carter (Footpath Clearance / Office top Up £13 x 3 and stamps	86.55
101066	Royal British Legion	200.00
101067	UK Power Networks (Middleboy)	1,056.00
101068	UK Power Networks (Pancroft)	1,112.40

1st November 2022 Payment of £580.00 to A. Carter

580.00



# **Total Expenditure 12th October and 1st November 2022**

4,878.11

22.150 Information Exchange		
None.		
22.151 Private Session		
Not needed.		
22.152 Date of next Meeting		
The next full Council meeting will be held on Wednesday 16th November in the Abridge Village Hall.		
22.153 Close of Meeting		
The meeting closed at 21.30pm.		
Signed		
Date		