

# PEOVER SUPERIOR PARISH COUNCIL

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Chairman - Chris Hurst  
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## Minutes of meeting held at 7.45pm on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2016 at Over Peover Methodist Church, Cinder Lane.

**Present:** Chair of the meeting Chris Hurst (CH), Kathy Doyle (KD), Phil Welch (PW), Jayne Rudd (JR), Shelia Read (SR), George Walton (GW) and the Clerk

**16.66 Apologies** - John Caulfield (JC), Trevor Cornish (TC)

**16.67 Report from Knutsford Policing Team** - There has been an increase in opportunistic thefts from vehicles and outbuildings in the area.

Operation Shield - Now being dealt with by Lindsay Whitehead. The clerk is to look at progressing with those applications received.

**16.68 To fill vacancies on the Parish Council** - There had been no response. A decision was taken to re publish the vacancy notice.

**16.69 Questions from the Public - The Chairman welcomed** Mr Gibbons to the meeting and outlined the process for the public part of the meeting. Mr Gibbons wanted to discuss the application at Colshaw lodge.

Mr Gibbons was concerned regarding this application due to the drainage issues in to the adjoining ditch as well as being overlooked by the Pods.

**16.70 Decorations of Interest** - None

**16.71 Planning** - The plans presented to the meeting were discussed and comments submitted online where relevant.

Due to internet issues the decisions were not available. They are to be reported next meeting.

**16.72 Minutes of the meeting on 24<sup>th</sup> May 2016** - These were agreed and signed as a true record

**16.73 Matters arising from the minutes**

Jeremy Owens - Clerk to ask him to come along to a meeting.

Sam Smiths - No response, the Clerk is to write to them again and ask about what is happening with the Old Fire Station.

Himalayan balsam - there has been very little support for this project. However Ian Hayes will continue to try to drum up support.

Drainage - Ian Hey's has offered to oversee these works. The Council gratefully accepted his offer.

**16.74 Finance** - The accounting statements for 2015/16 were approved by the meeting as were the statements of governance.

The clerk presented the receipts and payments to the meeting and the invoices to be paid were approved. The bank reconciliation was agreed by the meeting. Both are attached to the minutes.

**16.75 Highways** - some more repairs have taken place on Chelford Lane.

**16.76 Correspondence** - a list was circulated to the meeting. A letter received by The Council detailing the location of files relating to the work done by the airport runway team is to be stored in the minutes for future reference.

**16.77 Housekeeping and maintenance**

**Section 106 items** - KD and CH have had a successful meeting regarding this and have included the field drainage as part of the scheme. Cheshire east will cost the schemes and get back to the council with costs and suggestions for the woodland walk, a planting list for bulbs and looking at a wildlife habitat in the tree stump.

**Noticeboards and Benches** - Clerk still pursuing this.

**Signage** - Awaiting quotes for fitting and replacing. PW to fit No dogs allowed signs.

**16.78 Update on ongoing projects**

**Broadband** - a reminder email has been sent, but no response so far.

**Footpaths** - Landowners have been contacted. Awaiting a response.

**AED** - Signage needs to be clear, but all progressing and this will be on the next newsletter along with details of training to use the AED.

**Christmas Tree Lights** - All ordered. Hoping to start in next few weeks. The work is expected to take 8 weeks. Clerk to email Peaks and Plains regarding the trust letter.

**Tree** - The tree in memory of Gordon McGrath has been planted. A plaque to be ordered and meeting before the meeting to unveil with the family.

**16.79 Items for the next agenda**

Meeting ended 9.30pm

**NEXT MEETING 7.45 PM ON 26<sup>th</sup> JULY 2016 AT OVER PEOVER METHODIST, CINDER LANE, OVER PEOVER.**