



KIRBY BELLARS PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of Meeting held on 9th July 2020 at 7.30pm This meeting was held remotely via Zoom

Present: Cllr Smith (AS) (Chair), Cllr Ingham (CI), Cllr Batten (AB) Cllr Davies (DD), Cllr Simkin (TS), Cllr Joe Orson (JO), Cllr Browne (RB)

In Attendance: Victoria Webster (VW) – Clerk

Absent: None

	Agenda Items	Action By
1.	Apologies No apologies were received.	
2.	Declarations of Interest CI declared an interest in planning application 20/00090/COU.	
3.	Minutes of the Previous Meeting The minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as a true and accurate account.	
4.	Matters Arising from the Previous Meeting of 14th May 2020 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ RB is going to invite Audrey Danvers to the next parish council meeting. On-going. ▪ DD to arrange a date for the village litter pick and notify the village. This is to be put on hold until next Spring due to the verges growing over the litter. ▪ 19/00256/FUL Erection of 3 detached dwellings, Main Street. Resubmission of original application. No decision has been reached yet. Cllr Smith reported that a Housing Strategy Report has now been completed. Cllr Smith to email a copy to all Councillors. AS distributed this. ▪ Cllr Davies will start his review on the Lanes, Roads and public footpaths of the ash trees and report to the next meeting. 	
5.	Public Participation There was no public participation.	
6.	Planning Applications <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 19/00256/FUL Erection of 3 detached dwellings, Main Street. Resubmission of original application. No decision has been reached yet. 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 19/01310/FUL. Land North of Ashby Folville Road. Reinstatement of barn for conversion to dwelling including the conversion of an existing barn. No decision has been reached yet. ▪ 20/00090/COU. Land and agricultural building North of Pringle. Retrospective change of use of land to agricultural and land drainage business. No decision has been reached yet. ▪ 20/00226/FUL. Land on the East side of Gaddesby Lane. Erection of agricultural/fish farm storage building. Approved. 															
7.	<p>Accounts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Clerk presented the following payment schedule for BACS payments to be processed: <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 70%;">Angus Smith Chairman's Allowance</td> <td style="text-align: right; vertical-align: bottom;">£100.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>LRALC Virtual Training for Victoria Webster – Virtual Council Meetings</td> <td style="text-align: right; vertical-align: bottom;">£40.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Derek Overfield Mowing the areas adjacent to the Main Road on 23.05.20</td> <td style="text-align: right; vertical-align: bottom;">£35.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>ICO Data Protection fee renewal</td> <td style="text-align: right; vertical-align: bottom;">£40.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Derek Overfield Mow the grass adjacent to the Main Road on 08.06.20</td> <td style="text-align: right; vertical-align: bottom;">£35.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Derek Overfield Mow the grass adjacent to the Main Road on 30.06.20</td> <td style="text-align: right; vertical-align: bottom;">£35.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Victoria Webster – Clerk Salary for April/May/June and Expenses</td> <td style="text-align: right; vertical-align: bottom;">£713.19</td> </tr> </table> <p>It was agreed the payments were correct.</p> <p>The bank reconciliation and bank statements for all receipts and payments since the previous meeting were presented for checking. These were signed as accurate.</p>	Angus Smith Chairman's Allowance	£100.00	LRALC Virtual Training for Victoria Webster – Virtual Council Meetings	£40.00	Derek Overfield Mowing the areas adjacent to the Main Road on 23.05.20	£35.00	ICO Data Protection fee renewal	£40.00	Derek Overfield Mow the grass adjacent to the Main Road on 08.06.20	£35.00	Derek Overfield Mow the grass adjacent to the Main Road on 30.06.20	£35.00	Victoria Webster – Clerk Salary for April/May/June and Expenses	£713.19	
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8.	<p>Anti-Social Behaviour by the River</p> <p>Villagers raised their concerns on Facebook and through RB. RB contacted the Community Safety Team at MBC and the Police. The approach taken was to go to the site in question where the kids were given advice about water safety and they were asked to pick their litter up. The Police have also been patrolling the area. The Council and Police have confirmed they will continue to monitor this but don't feel there is any great concern. Action: Keep on the agenda for September. Litter by the river.</p>	VW														
9.	<p>Records Management Policy</p> <p>Policy approved by all Councillors.</p>															
10.	<p>Tree and Heritage Warden Update by David Davies</p> <p>DD is due to attend Bio-diversity training tomorrow morning via Zoom.</p> <p>The church has now submitted an application for funds for renovation works that</p>															

	are needed, particularly to the roof	
11.	<p>Funding Requests No funding requests have been received.</p>	
12.	<p>Correspondence</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ An email was received from Leicestershire Highways following the submission of comments in relation to the flooding on the A607. They have confirmed they have received several complaints about this and that work has been scheduled to resolve the issue. 	
13.	<p>Any Other Business</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ RB Update <p>The borough are now trying to reopen local businesses whilst staying safe to get the economy moving. Additional planning application meetings have had to be held at MBC due to the volume of applications received. All businesses in the Frisby area apart from 3 have received funds to support them during the Covid-19 lockdown. In Melton town, Poundland is due to close and the Co-op have served notice on businesses in the Bell Centre.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ JO Update <p>The council continues to hold meetings remotely, but this is due to be reviewed. The government are looking to reorganise local level government in the autumn but the proposed changes are not yet known. It is predicted that they are looking to go to unitaries and save £30m. They will be looking at those towns who want to work together in 300-400 thousand. MBC and LCC are struggling with the finance element of Covid-19 and if the funds aren't forthcoming from the government there will be cuts. JO feels both councils have done well and feel the situation has brought them closer to the communities they serve. The Southern Bypass. This has been postponed. MBC S.106 was going to fund this from houses to be built. The County Council have now requested at Master Plan despite previously saying they didn't require one. The plan is still yet to be finalised with a master plan (community, green places, schools etc.) The County Council want more affordable homes which don't contribute to S.106.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Black Lives Matter Resolution <p>This has not yet been passed put a motion will be going to full council and is being put forward by JO and seconded by RB.</p>	
14.	<p>Date of Next Meeting 10th September 2020</p>	

Signed: _____

Date: _____