

## **BULCOTE PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES**

Of the full council meeting on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2023 at 7pm in the Burton Joyce & Bulcote Village Hall

**Present**: Councillors; N. Leaves (NL), M Tobin (MT), P. Mountain (PM), C. Springthorpe (CS) and Victoria Shillaker (VS)

In Attendance: Clerk L-J Campbell and Cllr Jackson and 4 members of public.

Yr/Min	DISCUSSION AND DECISIONS
	<b>Representation from the Public:</b> A member of public addressed the PC regarding the possibility of installing a defibrillator in the village.
063/22 Apologies	Apologies received and accepted from Cllrs Wendels.
064/22 Declarations	None declared.
065/22 Minutes of previous meeting	The minutes of the meeting held on 16 <sup>th</sup> January 2023 were agreed as a true record and signed by the Chairman.
066/22 Matters arising	All matters are covered under respective items.
067/22 Reports from District and County Council	Cllr Jackson reported that Kerbside glass collection has been passed and they hope to start in December, it is an opt-out system. Free entry for NSDC residents to the War Museum. RJ reminded all that photo identification is needed for voting in the elections. The Zebra crossing for Bulcote across the A612 is on RJ's wish list.
068/22 Local Road Issues	Highways and footpaths: MT asked if it is possible to improve Green Lane footpath which is very muddy and full of potholes; NL will write to the farm manager. The Old Main Road in BJ has been resurfaced but they stopped before Bulcote; RJ will make inquiries. To receive and agree on action concerning road signage: A612 VS showed the PC photos of the Bulcote directional signs on the A612 which are now confusing – it was agreed to contact Highways and request that they be removed.
069/22 Finance	<ul> <li>a. Reconciliation of Accounts: The PC has a total of £18342.89 as of 20<sup>th</sup> March 2022.</li> <li>b. Payments for authorization: payments totalling £916.01 were authorized for payment.</li> <li>c. To note payments received: None</li> <li>d. To receive update on the HSBC bank closure: the Clerk bought new forms for signing</li> </ul>
070/22 Community matters	<b>Flooding issues</b> : Nothing new to report <b>Village hall</b> : the farm has been sold to Woodhall Developments (Chesterfield) for completion of contracts 30 <sup>th</sup> June 2023. It is expected that they will submit a revised planning application. Severn Trent are clearing out the rooms at the old community room so

	<ul> <li>the PC was asked to visit the site and collect anything that is needed before it is cleared out.</li> <li>Handyman/Gardner: NL will contact Adam with jobs.</li> <li>Interactive speed awareness sign: The community grant was awarded for an interactive sign, which will activate in the 40mph zone. The PC voted unanimously to go ahead with the interactive survey.</li> <li>To agree date and time of Open Parish Meeting: scheduled to follow the May meeting (NL to check that the room is available).</li> <li>To consider the installation of a defibrillator in the village: a member of the public spoke about the possibility of installing a defibrillator in the red phone box. The member of public offered to get funding up to £1000 and to monitor it monthly. RJ offered to contribute the extra £300 needed to cover the whole cost of the defib – the PC voted in favour on installing a defib, location to be confirmed. THE PC will fund the on-going maintenance.</li> <li>To consider the King's Coronation: The PC is granting £1000 towards the Coronation event on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2023.</li> </ul>
071/22 Planning	Applications: None at the time of setting the agenda Decisions: None at the time of setting the agenda.
072/22 Correspondence	All correspondence was circulated electronically, nothing requiring the attention of full council. Correspondence to confirm that the Community Grant was awarded.
073/22 Any Other Business	There was no other business.
074/22 To Note	<b>Next meetings</b> : The next meeting will be the Annual Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> May 2023 at 7 pm at Burton Joyce and Bulcote Village Hall, followed by the Annual meeting of the Parish. There being no further business the Chairman closed the meeting closed at 19h42.

LJ Campbell, Clerk to Bulcote Parish Council