

MARWOOD PARISH COUNCIL
Report of the COUNCIL MEETING 4 July 2019
Marwood Methodist Church Hall, Guineaford

Prior to the meeting a representative from the Ring o' Bells Save Our Pub Group informed Councillors of the current situation.

Members Present: Cllrs. C Spear, C Latham, C Wallis, D Chugg, R Berry

Apologies: Cllr S Button

In Attendance: Cllr Mrs A Davis, Cllr F Tucker. M J Measures (Clerk to the Council),

Disclosable Interests. Chairman's Discretion. None

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting 6 June 2019

The Minutes were agreed and signed as a true record.

Police Report

No report

Reports from County and District Councillors

The report from Cllr Mrs Davis includes: Take up of Broadband in Devon and Somerset; Streetlight energy plan to slash council emissions by 36%; New Devon County Council Grant Schemes (*a copy of the full is attached to the Minutes*).

Cllr Tucker reported on the new role of the NDC Enforcement Officers

Correspondence

Relevant correspondence has been sent to Councillors.

Letter of thanks from Sheelagh Darling for the retirement gift and flowers

Finance

Invoices agreed for payment: C F Wallis £170.00 (*June plus P3*); North Devon Council £457.30 (*July*); Admin, (*June, July*)/retirement gift) £88.20. Invoices agreed, (*dated 25 August no meeting in August*) North Devon Council £457.30 (*Aug*); C F Wallis £100.00 (*Aug*) Balance at 4 July 2019, £7523.76. The Clerk showed Members the bank statement and the Chairman initialled the accounts ledger as correct.

Planning Matters

66474 – *Meadow View Prieford. Removal of existing UPV enclosed porch and replacement with open hardwood porch.*

Recommend : Approval

On-going Matters

Telephone Kiosk. It is estimated that the cost to repaint/refurbish the kiosk will be about £400.00. It is reported that so far there are no volunteers to look after the kiosk

Co-option of Councillors. The Clerk reported that he has received one application and one enquiry.

Reports from Councillors

Parish Footpaths. Cllr Wallis continues to carry out work on behalf of Devon County Council and for the Parish Council under the P3 Scheme

Highways/Transport. Cllr Spear commented on the excessive speed of traffic through Muddiford and Milltown. It was agreed that the Clerk will investigate the cost of buying hand-held traffic speed-guns so that Councillors can take random checks.

Chairman's Discretion.

None

Meeting closed at 20.30