

**PARISH COUNCIL MEETING OF
ALDRINGHAM-CUM-THORPE
HELD ON 15th OCTOBER 2012 - 7.30 P.M.
at THE SPORTS PAVILION, THORPENESS**

THE MINUTES

PRESENT:

**MR E. ATKINSON, MRS V. ALLPORT, MR M. CHANDLER,
MRS P. MCLARDY, MR M. PILCHER, MR S. SQUIRRELL
& MR J. SHREEVE**

IN ATTENDANCE:

S.C.C. COUNCILLOR RICHARD SMITH & 3 PARISHIONERS

PARISHIONERS FORUM - 10 MINUTE ALLOCATION

3 Parishioners concerning planning application No C12/2052 Invershin, North End Avenue, Thorpeness

1. APOLOGIES

Mr D. Mayhew & S.C.D.C. Councillor Marianne Fellowes & T. J. Haworth,
PCSO Terry Barrow

2. DECLARATION OF INTEREST

None

3. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING

The Minutes of the last meeting held on 10th September 2012 were signed as a true record by the Chairman.

4. REPORTS

a) SUFFOLK COUNTY COUNCILLOR MR RICHARD SMITH

Councillor Richard Smith reported on the faster broadband for the district, BT has been given the contract to undertake the work. S.C.C. are contributing 11.3 million into this project, 11.6 from the government and 7 districts across Suffolk will also be assisting with the funding. S.C.C. are freezing the Council Tax yet again. They will still be looking into staffing levels over the coming year.

Following the rainstorm on 8th July which caused heavy flooding in Leiston and Aldeburgh. A Public Meeting has been arranged for Tuesday, 13th November 2012 at the Community Centre, Leiston at 4.00 p.m to discuss all the issues from this.

b) SUFFOLK COASTAL DISTRICT COUNCILLOR - MARIANNE FELLOWE & T. J. HAWORTH

Nothing to report as both not in attendance at this meeting.

b) COASTAL PROTECTION - MR MIKE CHANDLER

A meeting with SCC, SCDC, WDC AND EA Officers was attended on 2nd October to establish the key factors in the Thorpeness SMP review using the new national process. A working meeting has been arranged to develop the proposal text. Notice of the review at

Thorpeness has been posted at <http://www.suffolksmp2.org.uk/>

A progress update has been sent to the coast protection scheme contributors and people who attended the October 2010 parish meeting.

The Suffolk Coast and Estuaries Community Conference 2012 was attended at the Thorpeness Country Club on 4th October

SIZEWELL MEETINGS - MR MIKE CHANDLER

Mr Mike Chandler has attended the Sizewell Stakeholder sub-group Meetings on 22nd August, 10th October and the full quarterly meeting on 6th September. Sizewell A & B were visited on 18th September. The Sizewell Parish Liaison Group was attended on 25th September.

Key items to progress for ATPC and KPC are:

Liaison with SCC (Andy Osman) to arrange local consultation with ATPC and KPC jointly once proposals for revision of the Nuclear Emergency Planning Zone have been clarified with the Office of Nuclear Regulation in the light of International Standards (Action MC)

Liaison with S.C.D.C. (Paul Wood) and EDF to ensure the Sizewell C consultation proposed for November involves the Aldringham-cum-Thorpe with Sizewell and Knodishall parishes. (Action EA).

The KPC Clerk has been updated.

c) LOCAL POLICE - PCSO Terry Barrow THORPENESS

Following the burglary at The Haven on night of Regatta nothing stolen.

Burglary The Meare Café on 25/8 damage caused to window - Male identified as responsible for both crimes.

ALDRINGHAM

2 Dwelling burglaries - One in Aldeburgh Road, Aldringham where a double glazed window was broken and colour T. V. Stolen. The second on 5th October in Mill Hill where entry was gained using a ladder via an upstairs open window. Jewellery stolen and Claude Butler Bike. Two males arrested and dealt with.

Speeding - 1 fixed ticket issued in Aldringham

The Next Priority Meetings are as follows:-

Leiston - 7pm Tuesday 27th November Community Centre, King Georges Avenue.

Aldeburgh - 7pm Wednesday 28th November at Kings Field Community Centre.

5. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

A. PARISH ACTION PLAN

Village Sign - Thorpeness

Quotations are being sort for work to the sign. ACTION: Mrs V. Allport

B. PEDESTRIANS CROSSING B1353 - Aldringham - Thorpeness,

The Clerk has spoken with S.C.C., and the signs have being ordered. The Parish Council and Thorpeness Golf Club have to agree the billing arrangement if VAT is incurred.

ACTION: Parish Council/
Thorpeness Golf Club.

6. PLANNING

C12/1975 Corners, Remembrance Road, Thorpeness Proposed alterations and extension. Amended scheme to previous approved C11/2571, support this application.

C12/1915 6 The Sanctuary Court, Thorpeness Application to replace extant planning permission C09/1096. Erection of front and rear extensions and increase the height of roof to provide additional floor accommodation, support this application.

C12/1823 Spinneys, Aldeburgh Road, Thorpeness Erection of extension to form gable end covering previously approved balcony area creating bedroom, support this application.

C12/2052 Invershin, North End Avenue, Thorpeness Demolition of 1 No bungalow. Erection of 2 no link detached, four bedroom, two storey house, do not support this application. Inadequate spacing on both boundaries, bin access and storage have not been addressed, car parking spaces, over development.

Suffolk Coastal District Council approved the following:-

C12/1412 1 Mill Hill, Aldringham Demolition of existing extensions and erection of new single two-storey extensions with open front porch.

C12/1400 12 Aldringham Park, Aldringham Erection of a two-storey side extension and single-storey rear extension.

C12/1718 Bay Tree House, Thorpeness The Sanctuary, Thorpeness Erection of a part glazed Garden room to the rear of the existing detached, 2 storey house,

C11/2848 Thorpeness Sports and Social Club, The Whinlands, Thorpeness Conversion of 5 residential units.

C12/1768 3 The Croft, Aldeburgh Road, Aldringham Garden Room extension to detached bungalow.

C11/0990 (Conservation Area Consent) Barn Hall, Remembrance Road, Thorpeness Demolition of all existing buildings and foundations to facilitate, construction of new buildings containing Café/Restaurant, indoor market and 10 studio flatlets.

C11/2827 Seadune, North End Avenue, Thorpeness Demolition of existing dwelling and erection of replacement single-storey dwelling with mezzanine.

7. FINANCE

BUSINESS SAVER ACCOUNT	£13839.21
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COMMUNITY ACCOUNT	£908.68
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TO PAY

Leiston Press Newsletter	£180.00
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Royal British Legion	£18.00
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Mrs S. Tilbrook - Ink Cartridges	£12.00
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DONATIONS

Rural Coffee Caravan Information Project	£250.00
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Proposed by Mr M. Pilcher, seconded Mrs V. Allport

Leiston Saxmundham & District CAB	£100.00
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All agreed - proposed Mr M. Pilcher,
seconded Mr S. Squirrell

8. CORRESPONDENCE & NEW ITEMS

A. Suffolk Coastal District Council informing of Police & Crime Commissioners Elections on 15th Novembers 2012 - posters displayed.

B. S.;C.D.C. Recycling Credits due to continued financial pressure faced by themselves, they will no longer be making these payments.

C. SALC Annual General Meeting is to be held on 12th November 2012 at Haughley Park

Barn

D. Resignation letter received from Mrs Margaret Crawford The Clerk has contact S.C.D.C. and as instructed placed a notice for a period of 14 days, this will expire on 16th October 2012.

E. Defra Rural Statement 2012 - passed for distribution.

DISTRIBUTION

The Local Councillor

Suffolk Coastal Resource Network

SALC information

LCR

Environment Agency - Minsmere sluice and embankment work

9. COUNCILLORS ROUNDUP

**10. DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING - MONDAY 26TH NOVEMBER 2012
SAME TIME and SAME PLACE**

Signed

Chairman

26TH NOVEMBER 2012