

**PARISH COUNCIL MEETING  
ALDRINGHAM-CUM-THORPE  
HELD ON 28<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2016  
THE TOWER ROOM  
THORPENESS  
MINUTES**

**PRESENT: MR E ATKINSON, MRS P MCLARDY, MR M STURMEY, MR A WILLIAMS &  
1 PARISIONER**

***PARISHIONERS FORUM – 10 MINUTE ALLOCATION***

*Parishioner raised his concerns relating to the speeding and the proposed speed limit reduction along the B1122.*

*He also discussed the problems relating to the Site Allocations and Area Specific Policies Development Plan and Local Plan Main Modification Consultation.*

**1. APOLOGIES**

MR D MAYHEW, MR S SQUIRRELL, SCDC COUNCILLORS T. J. HAWORTH-CULF & MAUREEN JONES, SCC COUNCILLOR RICHARD SMITH

**2. DECLARATION OF INTEREST**

None

**3. MINUTES**

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 17<sup>th</sup> October 2016 were signed as a true record by the Chairman.

**4. REPORTS**

a) SUFFOLK COUNTY COUNCIL – COUNCILLOR RICHARD SMITH

Councillor Richard Smith unable to attend the meeting - No Report

b) SUFFOLK COASTAL DISTRICT COUNCIL – COUNCILLORS T.J. HAWORTH & MAUREEN JONES

Nothing to report as both Councillors attended another meeting this evening.

c) SIZEWELL POWER STATIONS

On 23<sup>rd</sup> November EDF launched Sizewell C Stage 2 Consultation formal response must be received by the firm deadline on 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2017. The Parish Council will send their response after further discussion at the next meeting.

ACTION: Parish Council

The Chairman and Councillor Jones will be attending the Sizewell C Forum Meeting on 1<sup>st</sup> December 2016.

c) NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

Group members will meet soon to move forward the plan to the next stage.

ACTION: Neighbourhood Plan Group

**5. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES**

A. PARISH ACTIONS

1. To replace the old notice board on Mill Hill would cost in the region of £500.00, it was agreed the Chairman and Clerk will look into the design, size and order accordingly.
2. The Christmas tree for Aldringham has been delivered and Carols around the tree is being held on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December.

B) GROUP ACTIONS

1) Heritage Group

Land on Car Park - The transfer lease has still to be agreed and signed.

ACTION: SCDC, Parish Council &  
Heritage Group

2) Sports Pavilion

Nothing further to report as the Solicitor dealing with the transfer of the assets has been away on holiday.

ACTION: The Trustees

3) IMPACTS

Mr Williams reported that the group are due to meet on 5<sup>th</sup> December at 15 Chandlers Way, Aldringham.

**6. PLANNING**

DC/16/4212/CLP Land Fronting Old Homes Road, Thorpeness Completion of scheme of 10 dwellings and associated works which received planning permission under C05/0668 on 27.5.2005. Part of the works consented under C05/0668 involving formation of the access and splay having been undertaken prior to 27.5.2010, support this application.

DC/16/4533/FUL 2 Coastguards, Thorpeness Removal of coal bunker and ground floor window, new outside store and porch canopy to front elevation. New single storey rear extension with projecting roof overhang. The formation of a larger opening at ground floor level to the rear elevation for new bi-fold doors, Juliet balcony to first floor (rear elevation) and replacement windows without glazing bars along with internal alterations are not thought to be subject to planning permission.

The clerk reported the following:

The SCDC PLAYSPACE balance currently stands at cleared £27,323.63 and not cleared £34,000.00.

SPORT balance is cleared £1609.57 and not cleared £7301.17

It was proposed by Mr Atkinson, seconded by Mrs McLardy that the meeting be closed to discuss the Site Allocation and Area Specific Policies and Schedule of Main Modifications and Additional changes.

It was proposed by Mr Atkinson, seconded by Mr Williams that the meeting be re-opened.

## **7. FINANCE**

BUSINESS SAVER ACCOUNT	£21967.14
COMMUNITY ACCOUNT	£1308.49*

\*includes £200.00 Norse

### **TO PAY**

Clerks Salary £516.00 = £5.00 travel + £9.20 postage/tel =	£530.20
Leiston Press £45.00 + £9.00 VAT =	£54.00

### **DONATION**

Leiston Library Steering Committee	£100.00
Vouchers	£100.00

Proposed Mr Atkinson, seconded Mr Sturmey

It was agreed that the sum £500.00 be allocated to each village for requirements.

All agreed Mrs McLardy seconded Mr Atkinson

## **8. NEW ITEMS & CORRESPONDENCE**

a) SCC Highway proposal to make speed limit changes on the B1122. We have supported the changes and would wish to see the 40mph speed limit from the settlement boundary of Aldringham to the Parish boundary with Aldeburgh reduced to 30 mph in order to improve safety.

b) Parish Council Meeting dates for 2017 were distributed.

c) SCDC Removal of BT Payphone Junction, Aldringham Lane, Aldringham - They ask if the Parish Council wish to adopt and take ownership of the kiosk for the fee of £1. The Consultation period with BT ends on 8<sup>th</sup> January 2017.

d) Suffolk Association of Local Councils and Norfolk Association of Local Councils response to 2017/18 Local Government Finance Settlement Consultation – Distribution

## **DISTRIBUTION**

SZC edf Energy

Coastline

MEP

Suffolk View

## **9. COUNCILLORS ROUNDUP**

## **10. DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING – MONDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2017**

**Signed**  
**Chairman**

**9<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2017**