

At a meeting of Morville Parish Council held on Monday, 11th July 2016

The meeting commenced with a short period of silence in memory of Miss Margaret Alderson.

Present Mrs.J.Miles (Chairman), Mr.A.Spafford, Mr.B.Hill, Mr.D.Digwood, Mr.R.Pugh

Apologies Mr.C.Caine, Mr.C.Millington, Mr.D.Pugh, Mr.R.Melley, Mr.Nick Tart, (All with work commitments).

Minutes The Minutes of the previous meeting, having been circulated, were taken as read and signed as a correct record.

Matters arising from those minutes

Website manager The clerk asked if a Councillor would be willing to manage the PC web-site. It was agreed to make the request at the next meeting.

Reports **County Councillor** Cllr.Tindall spoke briefly about recent planning applications in the Parish. He also commented on Shropshire Council's budget for the next financial year and said there was uncertainty regarding the Government's future actions in relation to the changes of Prime Minister and other Officers. Cllr.Tindall had recently toured the Avonbrook Children's home near Cound.

Chairman The Chairman commented on the appalling condition of the highways in the Parish.

SALC The Chairman and clerk had attended the recent SALC meeting at Chelmarsh when Shropshire Council's new financial restrictions were discussed. The meeting was very well attended and many concerns were raised about the amount that PC's were being asked to add to their precepts. As there was no definitive information about the smaller Councils it was agreed that a further meeting should be held with SC Officers in order to identify the exact position.

Correspondence Forwarded e-mails including -

SALC Bulletins
SALC Training sessions
Health and wellbeing correspondence
PCC Newsletter

The Late Cllr. Margaret Alderson The Chairman spoke about Miss Alderson's dedication to the Parish Council with her immense knowledge of the area, her comments and input to meeting. She had been a conscientious member of the Council and her presence would be sadly missed. The Chairman would represent the Parish Council at the funeral.

Highways

Defects were reported on Acton Round Bank where the non-slip surface needed to be replaced and the deep rut from the side of the carriage way to the verge. Potholes had appeared between Meadowley and Upper House Farm and on the Underton Lane where there was also a deep rut.

Planning

Withdrawal of Application 16/01795/OUT Proposed residential development behind St.Peter's Church, Monkhoppton...

Consent for Application 16/02034/FUL Erection of 2 bay oak frame garage and store with room over following demolition of existing at 18 - 19 Morville Heath, Morville.

Application 16/02644/FUL Erection of agricultural building for the purposes of agricultural storage Upper House Farm, Upton Cressett, Bridgnorth, WV16 6UH there were no objections to this application.

Highways

Potholes were reported on Beaconhill Lane and Acton Round bank

Finance

Payments - Clerk salary £356.54, HMRC £86.80, Lengthsman £750, Tony Bradford £40.00, Aon Insurance £440.88

Other business

There were no matters to be placed on the next agenda

- a) The future of the parish Lengthsman

Date of next meeting

The next meeting would be held on Monday 12th September, 2016.