



Manston Parish Council

Chairman: Mrs Linda Samme

Clerk: Mrs Ashley Stacey

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Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 10th April 2017 at 19.00pm at RAF Manston History Museum, Manston

Present **Parish Councillors** John Dearing (Vice Chair), Roy Matthews, Vic Champs, Robin Tritton
In Attendance - Ashley Stacey (Clerk/RFO) Plus 5 members of the public.
TDC Cllr Crow-Brown, KCC Cllr Gregory and Roger Gale.

Cllr Dearing opened the meeting and welcomed everybody in attendance.

001/17-18 **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Cllr Samme, Cllr Latchford

002/17-18 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

The Declarations of Interest Form was passed around for those in attendance to sign. No declarations were made.

003/17-18 **MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING**

It was proposed by Cllr Champs seconded by Cllr Tritton and resolved to accept the Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 13th March 2017. These were signed by the Cllr Dearing as a true record.

004/17-18 **FINANCIAL MATTERS**

a) Members resolved to approve the Schedule of Payments which was proposed by Cllr Tritton and seconded by Cllr Matthews, All in favour. Cheques signed as appropriate.

005/17-18 **CHAIRMAN'S REPORT**

Cllr Dearing advised that Cllr Samme was unwell and he wished her well.

006/17-18 **PLANNING**

a) A list of all planning applications was circulated prior to the meeting – Comments to be received back in 2 weeks.

007/17-18 **HIGHWAYS**

No update

008/17-18 **MANSTON PARK**

Hazel advised that TR23 had not been moved, Cllr Dearing will check.

Cllr Dearing advised that the dog area which has been closed, and Cllr Samme has received a number of complaints. Cllr Dearing said if there is further harassment he will consider removal of the gates and it will be used like any other park across Thanet. If anyone has any complaints they need to contact him. Clerk confirmed the works ordered on the park will take place tomorrow. Rubbish is not being collected, TDC Cllrs will look into this.

009/17-18 **INDIVIDUAL COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Signed.....

Date

Roger Gale gave an update on Manston, the consent order process is on track. Riveroak corp have created Riveroak UK.
 Cllr Crow-Brown advised that TDC are trying to deal with fly tipping, and he praised the staff. Graffiti is also an issue and being targeted. Enforcement action is underway on the land opposite museum.
 Cllr Gregory confirmed the dog DNA scheme but this is only effective if TDC hold the dna data.
 Potholes have also been repaired in the village. Thanet Way is now complete. KCC have received a good ofsted report for primary education. Planning app which TDC refused at Monkton Road, Minster has been approved on appeal.
 Website – Rex advised that there have been a number of issues with the new IT platform. Clerk advised that there is a resident in Cliffsend who may be able to help. Cllr Dearing proposed clerk speak to her re working some hours for Manston. All agreed.
 Clerk advised that she would like to appoint Mr Fewkes for the audit this year. All agreed.

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QUESTIONS

Resident asked if there was any help that could be given regarding the speeding on the road by Vincent Farm Mews. There have been a number of issues and accidents recently. Cllr Dearing to speak to her following the meeting. Cllr Gregory advised that the Joint Transportation board should be contacted.

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DATE/TIME OF THE NEXT MEETING

The next Parish Council meeting would be held on 9th May 2017 at 7:00pm in the RAF Manston History Museum.

The meeting closed at approximately 19.43 hrs.

Signed.....

Date