

DOLTON PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON MONDAY 3rd August 2015

IN DOLTON VILLAGE HALL AT 7.30PM

(called to discuss planning application)

Apologies: none

Present: Cllr J Lock –Chairman, Cllrs C Giles, A Haynes, R Dunn, S Jury, N Walker, S Martindale the Clerk, and 1 member of the public.

Members were invited to declare any personal or disclosable pecuniary interests, including the nature and extent of such interests they may have in any items to be considered at this meeting.

Cllrs Lock and Jury declared an interest in matters relating to Dolton and Dowland Village Hall. Cllr Martindale matters relating to planning application 1/0709/2015/FUL

PUBLIC SESSION – no comments

37(15/16) CORRESPONDENCE

<u>CORRESPONDENT</u>	SUBJECT	ACTION
DALC	News letters	Email and reading file
TDC	Details of new single reception centre - Bideford	Email, reading file, poster on notice board
Health watch	Voices newsletter	Reading file
Devon Senior voice	News letter	Reading file
Anthony Baker	Smelly dog bin	Clerk to contact TDC to arrange a site meeting to see if bin can be re-positioned
Sandra Brown	Request for assistance with Hall fees for Scam and Fire safety session 4 th September	Parish Council agreed to pay for hire of hall for this session

38(15/16) FINANCE

a)Accounts to pay 3rd August 2015

Name	Item	Vat	Total	Cheque No
Mrs W Holland	Home office – july + postage £1.26		11.26	833
Mr D Lock	Grass cutting monthly charge +verge cutting £259.00 plus trimming hedges at Dennis Cross £58.00		317.00	834
D&D village Hall	July meeting		10.00	835
Grant Thornton LLP UK	Annual Return	20.00	120.00	836

Proposed Cllr Cllr Haynes, seconded Cllr Dunn

Cheque signatories – Cllrs Walker and Giles

Invoices checked by – Cllr Haynes

39(15/16) PLANNING –Cllr Martindale left the room

- a) Applications to consider –1/0709/2015/FUL – erection of detached domestic garage – The Shippon, Cleave Hill.

The Council felt the plans provided for this application were confusing. The red line surrounding the property implies the applicant owns all the land but this is not the case. Much of this land is shared ownership and provides access to other properties. The soak away marked on the plans does not exist and is on another property. No permission has been sought for its use. The electric specified is the wrong version of BS7671.

Cllr Martindale returned to the room.

40(15/16) MATTERS BROUGHT TO THE CHAIR -

The Clerk had given permission for the Church to hold their Songs of Praise on Dennis Cross Playing field on Sunday 9th August.

Driving Safer For Longer Course had been booked for Friday 9th October 2015 7.30 – 9.00 in the Village Hall. The clerk would inform Beaford and Roborough Parish Councils and invite any residents who would like to come along. Cllr Jury was nominated as the person to receive a free driving assessment course to report back to the workshop.

It was asked that the provision of dustbins around the village be an agenda item at the next meeting.

The clerk was asked to contact Devon Highways about the number of signs at the Dolton Beacon junction and the placement of the large illuminated sign informing of street closures in Torrington.

Meeting closed at 8.15pm

DATE OF NEXT MEETING MONDAY 7th September 2015

Signed.....Date.....

