

The Marshfield Parish Council held a meeting on Tuesday 3rd October 2017 at Tolzey Hall at 7.15 p.m.

Cllrs present: Cllr T Albon-Crouch Cllr N Sweet Cllr T Durnell Cllr S Flint
 Cllr G LeMasonry Cllr A Christie Cllr H Finnegan Cllr S Reade
 + 7 members of public

Apologies: Cllr B Veitch

Confirmation of previous minutes

Proposed by Cllr Sweet, seconded by Cllr LeMasonry.

Items from the public

Nothing to report

Matters arising

- a) Highway Matters –A member of the public advised that the pavement on the north side of the High Street is in a poor state of repair and a 90 year old lady does not feel safe when using it. Cllr LeMasonry advised that the curb sides on the Tormarton Road were in a bad state of repair. Clerk to report both to South Glos.
- b) Marshfield Outdoor Recreation Association –Nothing to report
- c) Local Housing Requirement-The CLT had a successful AGM several weeks ago and they are still in the process of negotiating on sites.

Planning

The owner of land to the rear of 143-149 High Street gave a short presentation on his forthcoming planning application. His intention is to build a 3 bed family home by restoring the Dutch barn and combining it with the stone barn. The little stone barn would become a 1 bed annexe. They have right of access but it would mean parking would be on green belt. They plan to cut into the sloping ground to make parking for 3 cars so that they would not be visible. A hard copy of the application will be sent to us.

Planning Approved- 12 Back Lane-Erection of rear conservatory (PK17/2790/F)
-3 St Martins Park- erection of 2 storey side & single storey rear extension.
Installation of balcony & erection of Carport (PK17/2249/F)
-127 High Street- External alterations to replace rotting rear ground floor window & doors. (PK17/2517/LB)
-Fields-Afar East End- Work to fell 1 Scots pine & 1 Cypress tree.
(PK17/4039/TCA)

Correspondence

Cotswold Edge October 2017 issue

The next Community Engagement Forum on Tuesday 24th October in Doynton Village Hall at 7.00pm

Finance

After the following transactions balances are: C/A £1,094.25 D/A £86,472.43 D/A (14 day) £2,995.32. NatWest £20,412.00. Transferred £27,000 from C/A. to D/A.

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| Ambience Landscapes Ltd | £2224.34 | Grass cutting Withymead |
| Ambience Landscapes Ltd | £335.81 | Grass cutting Cemetery & Ponds |
| M J Church Plant Ltd | £14.40 | Recycling Bins @ Pavilion |
| F Rawlings | £20.00 | Litter Collection |
| Mrs L McManus | £682.51 | September salary |
| Post Office Ltd | £680.41 | 2 nd Quarter tax & N I |
| BT DD | £58.41 | Telephone & Broadband Tolzey Hall |

Proposed by Cllr Christie, seconded by Cllr Durnell, carried unanimously

District Councillor Feedback

There is great objection to the proposed junction 18a of the M4 to go via Pucklechurch and although the alternative route via the Science Park is generally thought to be better it will cost considerably more money.

Matters for Discussion

The situation of the notice board advertising walks has changed as it will now be put next to the Parish Council notice board in the Bus Shelter. The protection provided means it will require less maintenance. All this of course depends on the AONB being successful in their Gateway bid. The Clerk will speak to South Glos. regarding a bin for the layby by Homebarns.

Date of Next Meeting – Tuesday 17 October 2017

Meeting closed at 7.45pm