

**KINETON PARISH COUNCIL**

Minutes of the Meeting of Kineton Parish Council held at 7.30 pm on Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> December 2006 in the Village Hall, Kineton.

**PRESENT:** Councillors Harris, Haywood, Mrs Askew, Mrs Knapton, Melville, Mrs Rickman and Tuffen. DCllrs Mrs Giblin, Mrs Wixey and CCllr Booth. 5 Members of the Public.

**68/06 DECLARATION OF INTEREST**

Councillor Haywood declared a non substantial non pecuniary interest in planning application 06/03119 and took no part in the discussion or the voting thereon. Councillors Mrs Rickman and Melville declared a non substantial non pecuniary interest in planning applications 06/03249 and 06/03250 and took no part in the discussion or voting thereon.

**69/06 MINUTES**

The Minutes of the Meeting held on 1<sup>st</sup> November 2006 had been circulated. Their adoption was proposed by Councillor Mrs Rickman and seconded by Councillor Haywood.

**RESOLVED: That the Minutes of the meeting be confirmed and signed by the Chairman.**

**70/06 MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES**

- a. **Old Library Iron Railings** – Cllr Melville made contact with the owners today and hopes to make further progress shortly.

**71/06 PUBLIC QUESTION TIME**

**Mr and Mrs Clarke – Banbury Road**

Spoke on planning application 06/03236 and drew members attention to adjacent site flooding, sewerage arrangements, road safety and privacy issues.

**Mr Harper**

Requested arrangements be made to use Accident Reduction Camera Van on Tysoe Road approach to Little Kineton to deter speeding drivers and consideration be given to speed reduction traffic management measures on approach roads to Little Kineton.

**72/06 PLANNING**

New Applications and Decisions. – There were three planning applications. Decisions and Appeals are appended on Schedule attached to Minutes for signing.

**73/06 BANBURY ROAD TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT**

The Clerk informed members that he had discussions with WCC with a view to moving the traffic management scheme onwards. A report within WCC now provides the opportunity to ask the Area Sub Committee in January 2007 to recommend to Cabinet that the 40 mph scheme proceeds without further delay. If a later review of Council policy permits, consideration may then be given to reducing the speed limit down to 30mph.

**RESOLVED: That this Council reaffirms its full support for the 40 mph traffic management scheme on Banbury Road and requests that it be implemented without further delay.**

**74/06 REPAINTING OF LIGHTING COLUMNS**

The Clerk reported that following a full inspection a further five columns need repainting making a total of 11.

**RESOLVED: That the Clerk should take the necessary action to arrange repainting of damaged columns in a sum not exceeding £ 450.**

**75/06 HIGHWAY VERGES AND GULLIES**

The Clerk reported on a recent inspection by the Chairman and Deputy Chairman of various areas of Kineton and Little Kineton. Banbury Road verge damage by builders will be reinstated. Red Road verges will be reinstated following damage by contractors. Highway gullies on Warwick Road and The Green Little Kineton have been reported for cleaning.

**76/06 TREE – ENTRANCE TO KINETON COLLEGE**

The Clerk reported that he had spoken to WCC Tree Officer and the tree at the entrance to Kineton College which was giving concern to its condition has been inspected and found sound. WCC have indicated they are satisfied it is not a hazard and accept responsibility.

**77/06 REPORT ON DENE VALLEY AND LITTLE KINETON POND**

The Management Team of this council has inspected both these areas and as a result have given instructions to the council's contractors to carry out various ground and tree works within the budget allocated. The Clerk gave a detailed report on the various works and copy is attached to the Minutes for signing.

**RESOLVED: That the report be approved and adopted.**

**78/06 ADVISORY LORRY ROUTE MAP 2006**

The Clerk referred to a letter from WCC regarding any amendments required from this council for the 2006 edition of the Advisory Lorry Route Map. Councillor Booth spoke on this matter.

**RESOLVED: That an amendment be submitted that the route from Kineton terminate at the Fosse Way (Bowshott Crossroads) and then be linked via Fosse Way to B4100 and onwards to M40 at Junction 12.**

**79/06 SDC AREA OFFICES SURVEY**

The Clerk referred members to the envelope before them and asked them to complete and send the questionnaire back to SDC.

**80/06 KINETON CHRISTMAS TREE**

The Clerk had received a request for financial help with Christmas Tree on the green at Southam Street.

**RESOLVED: That a sum of £ 300 be granted towards the cost of the tree and lighting subject to the usual conditions of removal on or soon after twelfth night.**

**81/06 FINANCIAL REPORTS**

The Council considered the financial statement and accounts for payment as attached to the Minutes for signing. (Schedule 7/06)

**RESOLVED: That the financial statements are adopted and the accounts paid.**

**82/06 ESTIMATES 2007/2008**

The Clerk referred to the draft estimates he had circulated prior to the meeting. The precept should remain the same for next year as this year.

**RESOLVED: That the estimates for 2007/2008 be approved and adopted and a precept be made on SDC for £ 43000.00 in due course.**

The Meeting closed at 9.00 p.m.

The date of the next Council Meeting is on 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2007.

..... Chairman

3<sup>rd</sup> January 2007.