

**Anderton Parish Council**  
**Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2022**  
**at The Community Centre Railway Road at 7.30p.m.**

Present: Councs. T Blackburn P Pilling I Horsfield D Hesketh N Smith Clerk – J Clarke

1.) Counc. Blackburn opened the meeting and reminded members of their responsibility to declare any personal interest in respect of matters arising on the agenda.

The minutes of the meetings held on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> January were taken as read (all councillors provided with a copy prior to meeting) & approved. The minutes were then signed by the chairman.

## **2) Reports**

a) Headless Cross proceeding. Reported of no increase in cost to us. Display board ordered. Provision of Bench, recycled plastic green bench. Cllr Blackburn to confirm to Bernie Heggarty.

b) Chorley Liaison meeting , Wed 16<sup>th</sup> March. Cllr Horsfield reported as disappointing. Climate change – put to public for consultation. Dial a ride which uses mini buses and car scheme asking for volunteer drivers. Question session re change of boundaries became a debate, objection by 3th April.

c) Cllr Horsfield attended Neighbourhood Planning meeting to 1<sup>st</sup> February. Nothing happening until Autumn, end of the year.

d) Queens Jubilee Meeting – Cllr Pilling attended. Meeting to determine contribution from each Parish towards activities over 4 days. APC agreed a contribution of up to £1000. To Adlington town Council. Christine Bailey to be notified by Cllr Blackburn.

e) Cllrs Hosfield attended Planning in Practise meeting on 2<sup>nd</sup> March. Will be in force by 2023-2038, 1st draft available Autumn 2022. Parish will have same access as Chorley to planning. Presentation by Planning enforcement officer who is not local government officer and works outside Chorley Borough Council.

f) Cllr Blackburn attended Eastern Parish Neighbourhood meeting on 17<sup>th</sup> February. Agenda notwithstanding of previous minutes. Selection of empty properties, figures down. Increase in Defib locations in Abbey Village. Community clean up skips in Adlington.

## **3) Matters arising from the minutes:**

a) Notice of Election for borough elections of Parish councillor on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> May, put onto notice board. Nomination papers to be at CBC by 5<sup>th</sup> April.

b) Bernie Heggarty to keep us informed re Speed indicator sign project.

c) Adlington in Bloom to install a tiered planter in memory of Barbara Shaw. Cllr Blackburn to investigate cost of replacement plaque to be put on bench at Water Treatment site. To be discussed at next meeting.

## **4) Financial Matters:**

Current a/c £5548 Deposit a/c £9,877

a) Councillors expenses. Cllr Blackburn E-mail address - approved.

b) Invoice – Adlington & District Community Association hire cost Jan to March - Paid

c) Doanation to Adlington in Bloom in memory of Barbara Shaw.

## **5) Correspondence:**

a) E-mail from Parish Councils – Request for small items (grit bins and small road signs) – awaiting reply

b) E-mail Kim Snape – Bolton Road and Grimeford Lane junction, safety scheme . Denied by LCC. To see if situation improves.

c) E-mail from Kim, Snape – Works to wall near Bolton Road Reservoir – delayed until April, await update.

d) Letter from Rivington and Blackrod Grammar School Foundation – Trustee nomination to replace Barbara Shaw – E-mailed for further details, Cllr Smith cc .

e) Notice from WHP Telecoms – Upgrade to existing radio base station on NW water authority site, Anderson Park.

## **6) Planning Applications:**

a) 21/01474/FUL Conversion and extension of existing stables to create new dwelling – Roscoe Lowe Farm New Road Anderton PR6 9HG.

b)22/00173/FULHH Single Storey side extension – Woodlands, Anderton Court, Bolto Road Bolton BL6 7RH

- c) 22/00186/DIS Conversion and extension to existing store to create dwelling house – Pike View Farm New Road, Anderton PR6 9HG
- d) 22/00214/REM Outline application for erection of single detached dwelling. Land to the North East of Raveloe. Beech Avenue Anderton.
- e) 22/00130/FULHH First floor side extension, amendments to existing dormer window, single storey front and rear extensions, internal alterations and amendments to driveway. 1 Rivington Lane Anderton PR6 9HQ

## **7) Matters of Report**

None

## **8) Other Matters**

- a) Covid 19 vaccine at home notice – displayed on notice board
- b) PNFS and Clerks & Councils Direct magazine
- c) AIB and hanging baskets Cllr Blackburn to reply.
- d) Puffin crossing. Bolton Road/Rothwell Road. Cllr Smith in correspondence re safety issues with Kim Snape . Letter received stating that crossing will be reviewed in 12 months. No box will be placed at junction with Rothwell Road. Cllr Smith stated her concerns re increased traffic and parking on double yellow lines at entrance to Rothwell Road.

Meeting ended 21.45 **Next meeting: AGM Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2022 at 7.00pm . Normal meeting followed at 7.30pm.**