



Waldringfield Parish Council

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1875 Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Tuesday 10th August 2021

In attendance: Councillors Kay, Elliot, Lyon, Reid, Archer, Quick ,Gold
1 member of the public

Clerk: Jennifer Shone-Tribley
Opened 19:33

1. To **RECEIVE** apologies for absence. Received from Cllrs Beaumont and Doyle
2. To **RECEIVE** declarations of interest. non-pecuniary interests were declared by Cllrs Reid and Quick, as members of the Greener Waldringfield committee (item 8).
To **RECEIVE** delegated Declaration of Interest Dispensation decisions or **APPROVE** non-delegated DPI dispensations requested by a councillor. None received
Parish Issues – An opportunity for parishioners to bring matters to the attention of the Parish Council and for parishioners to seek guidance from the Council.
Member of the public asked the councillors what impact on the village do holiday homes/lets have on the village. Councillors offered their views noting that the village is an attraction for holiday makers, that the village has a mix of properties that are holiday lets and those that are second properties for families.
3. To **RECEIVE** reports from SCC Cllr Patti Mulcahy, ESC Cllr Richard Kerry and Suffolk Police.

Clerk advised there were no reports received from SCC or ESC Cllrs
Cllr Elliot requested a clarification on the Suffolk Police Community Officer linked to Felixstowe and Woodbridge.
4. To **APPROVE** the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on **8th July 2021.**

Cllr Elliot raised an issue of factual inaccuracy:
1871 – paragraph 4: Identified that the first area of development in the Taylor Wimpy site is that nearest Ipswich Road, not the A12 as identified in the minutes.

Minutes of 8th July approved with amendment above. Acceptance was proposed by Cllr Kay, seconded by Cllr Elliot. Approved by all who had been present at the meeting.
5. **MATTERS for REPORT** from minutes of previous meetings and to **REVIEW ACTION POINTS** from the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on **8th July 2021.**
Clerk reviewed the action items and all were completed
6. To **CONSIDER** Planning Applications for **COMMENTS:**

Ref. No: DC/21/3685/AME | Received date: Mon 02 Aug 2021 | Status: Pending
Consideration | Case Type: Planning Application

Non-material Amendment of DC/21/1721/FUL - Erection of first floor and ground floor extensions
- Minor alterations to material schedule and window fenestration to rear - Candlemas House
School Road Waldringfield Woodbridge Suffolk IP12 4QR

Planning committee has reviewed the revised plan and agree these are non-material amendments and agree no comment is required. Clerk noted comments were not invited by ESC.

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To **APPROVE** submission regarding **DC/21/3030/FUL Gin Gin Slouva, Deben Lane, Waldringfield IP12 4QN** Ratification was proposed by Cllr Reid, seconded by Cllr Archer and approved unanimously.

To **MAKE ARRANGEMENTS** to deal with applications received after publication of this agenda. None received

To **NOTE** any application decisions received – see separate list. Cllr Kay reviewed the applications approved.

To **RECEIVE UPDATE** on Brightwell Lakes.

Noted a response was received by Cllr Kay -see Supporting documents

Cllr Elliot comments: Response sent was approved by council prior to sending but noted was copied to wider group of interested parties, include Taylor Wimpy executives. Cllr Elliot noted engagement with the community from Taylor Wimpy is improving. Cllr Elliot noted the quick response to a resident's concern regarding Bridleways.

To **RECEIVE** any other planning information. No further items to consider.

To **CONSIDER** the adequacy of East Suffolk Council's strategy/policy regarding TPOs.

Cllr Elliot advised that the TPO regulations come directly from central government and are implemented by the District Council at its discretion. Anyone can, at any time, apply for a TPO to be placed on individual or groups of trees, the main qualifying criteria being the amenity value to the wider community/landscape. The trees do not need to be under immediate threat to make an application but the most recent TPO's have been associated with planning applications. Cllr Kay suggested a tree survey by the Tree Warden to identify trees that meet the requirement to have amenity value. Council agreed survey would be useful. Cllr Kay to request tree survey to be undertaken.

Cllr Gold noted that pipeline works undertaken by East Anglia One had a replacement requirement of two trees to each they felled, and there I no evidence this has been done. Clerk requested to write requesting evidence replacements have been planted as required.

7. To **RECEIVE** updates on the playing field.

Cllr Reid advised that due diligence visits to existing installations is ongoing and due to be completed in the coming weeks. This is to quality assure the work of the proposed contractor. Cllrs Archer, Reid and Doyle will undertake these visits. Cllr Reid updated on planned meetings to discussing funding streams which are due to take place with the Chair of East Suffolk Community Partnership (next week) and ESC Community Officer (to be scheduled).

Cllr Reid discussed the ongoing application process to Play Space for funding and required policies for the application were identified for inclusion in the application, namely the Child Safety and Protection Policy and the Equality and Diversity Policy. Cllr Reid requested that a determination of whether planning permission was required for the 5M climbing frame as requested in the application.

Cllr Reid updated on existing funding – outlining agreed WPC funding and noted additional CIL funding is forthcoming and could potentially be applied to the project. Committee is continuing to investigate all funding streams to ensure that reserves for maintenance and repairs are available following the projects implementation

8. To **APPROVE** the location of the Phone box to Village Way

Cllr Lyon raised concerns regarding the level of consultation in the community regarding this location. Cllr Quick advised that all homes had been visited and 7 residents spoken to. Cllrs agreed that a letter through doors inviting feedback could resolve this issue. Cllr Quick to undertake this.

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Approval of the location of the phone box was proposed by Cllr Kay, seconded by Cllr Reid, approved by a majority (5 in favour 5, 2 abstentions)

To **RECEIVE** updates

Cllr Quick advised there was an error in the Grant Award letter that had caused some issues with an initial interim payment request, but that these are now resolved, and the request for interim payment is now being processed. Cllr Elliot asked for clarity on the funding. The Clerk confirmed WPC will be in receipt of the funds. Invoice raised for interim instalment

Cllr Elliot requested confirmation that WPC will continue to own the kiosk in perpetuity and will therefore have the ongoing legal responsibility/liability for maintenance, content etc as specified in the BT contract. This was confirmed. Cllr Elliot then opined that it would therefore be advisable to draw up a contract, similar to a tenancy agreement for a fixed term of 2 or 3 years, between WPC and, initially, Greener Waldringfield.

Proposed by Cllr Reid, seconded by Cllr Elliot, agreed unanimously.

The Clerk further confirmed that the Street furniture licence application had been submitted.

9. To **REVIEW** and **UPDATE**, as appropriate, the policies of the Parish Council and the Parish Plan. This will include considering the adoption of additional policies
None

10. To **CONSIDER** toilet facilities at the Beach/car park.
Cllr Kay advised a member of the community has again raised the issue of facilities at the beach and sailing club car park. Cllr Kay reviewed that while there used to be facilities, ESC removed them for a variety of reasons, including legionnaires disease and refurbishment. They were never replaced. Cllr Kay asked if the WPC would like to e-open this issue and pursue the attainment of public facilities for the area. Cllrs unanimously agreed to begin investigating the issue.

11. CLERK AND RFO REPORT

To **CONSIDER** and **APPROVE** applications for community grants, if any – All Saints Waldringfield Parochial Church Council request for £750. Proposed by Cllr Elliot, seconded by Cllr Lyon; Unanimously approved.

To **CONSIDER** and **APPROVE** items of expenditure, and sign cheques and arrange for approval of BACS accordingly – see separate list.

Cllr Elliot reviewed and signed the paper records. Cllr Reid and Elliot to approve BACS payments

To **RECEIVE** and **APPROVE** the Financial Reports and **UNDERTAKE** the independent Bank Reconciliation.

Reviewed and signed by Cllr Elliot Acceptance proposed by Cllr Elliot, seconded by Cllr Archer; unanimously approved.

12. To **RECEIVE** updates/reports on public rights of way, verges and road safety matters. – see separate list

Cllrs reviewed the response from SCC Highways in respect of the ongoing issues -see Supporting Documents. Clerk advised that requested clarification (sent 29 July) had not been responded to as yet.

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Cllr Reid identified that not only is the (very large) sign to be replaced -it was further agreed that a new post would be installed (away from the hedge) to facilitate the SID being attached. Clerk to seek further confirmation to ensure with highways that this is the case.

Cllrs further agreed the Clerk should request repeater signs, indicating that the WPC would install them if provided.

Cllr Reid will draft the application form for the SID site on Cliff Road.

Cllr Reid also noted that there are a number of faded signs that need replacing. Clerk requested their locations so this can be raised with

Cllr Lyon opened discussion about an employed handyman for the WPC and whether this would be of benefit. Cllrs agreed not at this time.

Cllr Gold advised that the footpaths require urgent cutting and this was agreed by Cllrs. Clerk to contact the contractors to schedule this work.

13. To **CONSIDER** any correspondence received before the meeting – see separate list.
No issues raised

14. **PARISH MATTERS** for the next meeting.

Cllrs raised the issue of noise levels during the meeting. Gold to speak to Village Hall regarding scheduling of the neighbouring class as Cllrs unanimously agreed, meetings cannot continue in those conditions. Cllr Gold to update Councillors by email.

Meeting closed 21:36

REVIEW OF ACTION POINTS FROM THE MEETING

Suffolk Police Clerk to clarify who the community officer if for Felixstowe and Woodbridge

TPOs Cllr Kay – request Tree Survey of Tree Warden ; Clerk to draft letter to East Anglia One requesting notice of what trees were removed during works and evidence of their replacement (2 for 1)

Playing Field – Clerk to advise whether planning permission is required for the 5m tower.

Phone Box -Cllr Quick to write to residents of Village Way

BACS payments - Cllrs Elliot and Reid to authorise BACS payments

Facilities at beach/car park – Clerk to investigate the provision of facilities to Waldringfield in the car/park beach. Due to increasing numbers

Footpaths – Clerk to request cutting as soon as possible.

Highways - Clerk to confirm works with and request quotes for works on repeater signs; Cllrs Reid and Lyon will report on fading signs that require replacement; Cllr Reid to investigate the application form for the installation of the SID on Cliff Road

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

ITEM 3

Suffolk County Councillor Patti Mulcahy

None received

East Suffolk Councillor Monthly Bulletin – August 2021

None received

Suffolk Police

The interactive crime map for June shows:

1 x 'burglary' near All Saints Church, Hemley

1 x 'violence and sexual offences' near Daresgate Caravan site, Newbourne

Link to the latest newsletter:

[ceo_constables_county_june.pdf \(suffolk.police.uk\)](http://ceo_constables_county_june.pdf(suffolk.police.uk))

ITEM 5

Gin Gin Slouva – **Cllr Elliot** will draft a response for **the Clerk** to send to ESC Planning Updated drawings sent – revised date of 04 August; no substantive change to response. Sent by Clerk 02 August 2021.

Taylor Wimpey's Public Consultation – **Cllrs Kay and Elliot** will draft a response for approval by others. DONE

Playing Field – **Cllr Reid** to send a 'holding response' to the working group's preferred supplier while grant funding is investigated. DONE

Mill Road Phone Box – **the Clerk** to advise BT of WPC's resolution to adopt the box. DONE

Church Field Trust Grant Request – £450 to be paid by **the Clerk** at the August meeting. DONE

BACS Payments – to be approved by **Cllrs Reid and Archer**. DONE

Future Meetings – **the Clerk** to book the Kennedy Room for the second Tuesday of every month to the end of the year. DONE

ITEM 6

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To **NOTE** any application decisions received

- Rear single storey extension to dwelling, erection of a detached Cart Lodge and construction of entrance gates. - **Whitehall Mill Road Waldringfield Suffolk IP12 4PY**

Ref. No: DC/21/0297/FUL | Status: Application Permitted | Case Type: Planning Application
Approved 16.07.21 – Parish response 11.02.21

- Listed Building Consent - Rear single storey extension to dwelling, erection of a detached Cart Lodge and construction of entrance gates. - Whitehall Mill Road Waldringfield Suffolk IP12 4PY

Ref. No: DC/21/0298/LBC | Status: Application Permitted | Case Type: Planning Application
Approved 16.07.21 – Parish response 11.02.21

- Construction of double garage in front driveway - Crow Cottage Cliff Road Waldringfield IP12 4QL

Ref. No: DC/21/2579/FUL | Received date: Wed 26 May 2021 | Status: Application Permitted | Case Type: Planning Application - Parish response 17.06.21

- Non-Material Amendment of DC/21/0907/FUL - Demolition of existing conservatory, erections of two storey side extension and single storey side extension toward river, altered first floor gable window and amendments to the internal layout of the existing dwelling. Photovoltaic panels to be omitted from rear elevation, and 1no. new rooflight added to the front elevation - Barrack Row Fishpond Road Waldringfield IP12 4QX

Ref. No: DC/21/3367/AME | Received date: Wed 14 Jul 2021 | Status: Application Permitted | Case Type: Planning Application Non-material amendment – approved 21.07.21 - Parish response to initial application 26.03.21

To **RECEIVE UPDATE** on Brightwell Lakes

Response received regarding Waldringfield Parish Council's response to Brightwell Lakes consultation

Dear Ian,

Thank you for sending through Waldringfield Parish Council's response to the first phases of development at Brightwell Lakes. We have sought to respond to your comments and queries below.

Taylor Wimpey is looking to exceed building regulation requirements and those of the outline permission when it comes to the energy efficiency of the homes.

Taylor Wimpey Homes are built to beyond current Building Regulations standards in terms of their u-value performance (heat retention). As such the homes reduce heat loss and reduce energy demand on heating, which is better for customers and the environment. By choosing a 'fabric first approach' we are improving the homes' envelope. In instances where Building Regulations dictates, renewable technologies such as Photo Voltaics (PV) are added to the roof to generate electricity during the day which can be used towards powering the home. In addition, 'Waste Water Heat Recovery' may be used which is a means of pre-heating water with the water going down the plughole.

Beyond the home, Taylor Wimpey has a sustainability strategy for the introduction and safeguarding of wildlife which goes beyond Local Authority Requirements. Provision of increased numbers of Bat and Bird Boxes, Hedge Hog Highways (provision of holes in fences to create a network of foraging routes) as well as a focus on biodiversity Net Gain amongst others.

The Outline Planning Consent allows for the existing Quarry access to be retained along with another access near Brightwell Barns, which are referred to as the East and West Ipswich Road accesses. A potential emergency access is a requirement from the County Council as local highway authority and a normal requirement on developments of this scale. The details of access arrangements will need to be agreed by Suffolk County Council as part of the

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Reserved Matters application. Taylor Wimpey is committed to ensuring that existing bridleways are incorporated into access points as necessary.

The delivery of the school is reliant on Suffolk County Council as education authority and this will come forward in subsequent phases of development at Brightwell Lakes. The Council are currently determining application DC/18/2775/ARM which provides details in respect of SANG areas and requirements for the first phases of development. Taylor Wimpey are working to deliver these proposals which were submitted by Caryle Land (the previous site promoters) which provides details on areas of SANG through the central part of the site and the southern boundary.

Taylor Wimpey expects the first two parcels of land to deliver 60 units per annum, a total of 120 units on both parcels. Based on that rate of delivery, it is expected that the first two parcels of land will be delivered over approximately 3 years. Taylor Wimpey will continue to work with East Suffolk Council and provide information on rates of delivery and housing completions which will inform the Council's housing land supply position.

Please let me know if you have any further comments or queries.

Kind regards,

Katie

Katie Brown

Account Manager

To **CONSIDER** the adequacy of East Suffolk Council's strategy/policy regarding TPOs

Councillor Elliot re-circulated the following email to councillors, indicating the ESC & Woodland Trust documents are the most easily digested

I think it has been previously suggested that ESC has a policy to issue a TPO only if a particular tree/group of trees is under threat, usually from development.

I wasn't sure if that was actually the case so I've done some research so that we have the information when we discuss this item on Thursday.

This is the link to the very wordy gov.uk page of regulations which includes the duties of the local authority (ESC)

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/tree-preservation-orders-and-trees-in-conservation-areas#tree-preservation-orders--general>

Here is the less wordy ESC page. The page includes another link to a dept of local government brochure on the matter.

<https://www.eastsuffolk.gov.uk/planning/design-and-conservation/trees-and-landscape/tree-preservation-orders-tpos/>

And finally, here is a link to the woodland trust explaining the criteria for issuing a TPO, how organisations can apply to the LA to have a TPO issued and the evidence/information required to accompany such an application.

<https://www.woodlandtrust.org.uk/protecting-trees-and-woods/campaign-with-us/campaign-in-your-community/tree-preservation-orders/>

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ITEM 7

Email from Councillor Reed sent to Councillors 12.07.21

Following the general agreement given by the PC at last week's meeting the next steps appear to be the following. I am going to be away on a small boat in Scotland from this Wednesday until 2nd August (mainly out of contact though seeing emails occasionally) but I hope that progress can be made during this period. I have therefore boldly put some initials/names against the actions below with this hope.

- *Visit Martlesham/ Maylandsea to see Playquip installations and check with owners how they have found the firm (separate email refers) Colin A /JD*
- *Draft Playspace application: I attach this as far as I have got with an invitation to Joanne to draft sections 12, 13 & 14 JD*
- *Clarify the separate parcels of CIL money due to us and when they will be claimable (incl Eureka) Rebecca/Jennifer*
- *Do we have freestanding health and safety and equality policies? Rebecca/Jennifer*
- *Ask planning office for procedure for applying (if they think it is necessary) for a 5m high activity net. Rebecca/Jennifer*
- *Invite SCC and ESC councillors to visit to talk them through our plans on site IK*
- *Invite Cllr Mark Jephson (Chair of the Felixstowe Are Community Partnership to do the same*

ITEM 10

Note: It is appreciated that these are not as clear as have been provided previously. Resolution is in process. Clear printed reports will be provided at the meeting for inspection by councillors if cannot be remedied prior to the meeting.

To **CONSIDER** and **APPROVE** items of expenditure, and arrange for approval of BACS accordingly.

6 August 2021 (2021-2022)

Waldringfield Parish Council PAYMENTS LIST

Voucher Code	Date	Minute	Bank	Cheque No	Description	Supplier	VAT Type	Net	VAT	Total
26	20/07/2021		Unity Trust Bank		Grass-cutting -field	SCL Landscape Management	S	120.00	24.00	144.00
27	20/07/2021		Unity Trust Bank		Salary	Jennifer Shone-Tribley	X	244.95	0.00	244.95
28	20/07/2021	1873.10	Unity Trust Bank		Grant s137/72 or s19 MAP76	Waldringfield Church Field Tr	X	450.00	0.00	450.00
29	20/07/2021		Unity Trust Bank		Salary	Rebecca Todd	X	0.00	0.00	0.00
30	29/07/2021		Unity Trust Bank		Training	Suffolk Association of Local C	S	150.00	30.00	180.00
31	04/08/2021		Unity Trust Bank		Grant s137/72 or s19 MAP76	Waldringfield PCC	X	750.00	0.00	750.00
32	06/08/2021		Unity Trust Bank		Salary	Jennifer Shone-Tribley	X	489.90	0.00	489.90
Total								2,204.85	54.00	2,258.85

NOTE: Error in entry of Item 29 – 0 value entered.

To **RECEIVE** and **APPROVE** the Financial Reports and **UNDERTAKE** the independent Bank Reconciliation.

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9 August 2021 (2021-2022)

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Prepared by: _____ Date: _____
Name and Role (Clerk/RFO etc)

Approved by: _____ Date: _____
Name and Role (RFO/Chair of Finance etc)

	Bank Reconciliation at 30/07/2021		
	Cash in Hand 01/04/2021		16,657.51
	ADD Receipts 01/04/2021 - 30/07/2021		10,803.95
			27,461.46
	SUBTRACT Payments 01/04/2021 - 30/07/2021		5,989.06
A	Cash in Hand 30/07/2021 (per Cash Book)		21,472.40
	Cash in hand per Bank Statements		
	Cash	30/07/2021	0.00
	Unity Trust Bank	31/07/2021	13,074.59
	Ipswich Building Society	30/07/2021	7,961.18
	Barclays Community Account	30/07/2021	1,210.63
			22,246.40
	Less unrepresented payments		774.00
			21,472.40
	Plus unrepresented receipts		0.00
B	Adjusted Bank Balance		21,472.40
	A = B Checks out OK		

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Waldringfield Parish Council Summary of Receipts and Payments All Cost Centres and Codes

6 August 2021 (2021-2022)

A - Receipts

Code	Title	Receipts			Payments			Net Position
		Budgeted	Actual	Variance	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	+/- Under/over spend
28	Precept	14,300.85	7,248.43	-7,052				-7,052 (-49%)
30	SCC Locality Grant							(N/A)
31	SCC Footpaths Grant	200.00		-200				-200 (-100%)
35	ES Enabling Communities Grant							(N/A)
36	Bank Interest	50.00		-50				-50 (-100%)
37	Grants and Donations	98.00		-98				-98 (-100%)
38	Advertising income		36.00	36				36 (N/A)
39	VAT Refund							(N/A)
44	CIL Funds	4,403.87	2,758.12	-1,646				-1,646 (-37%)
SUB TOTAL		19,052.72	10,042.55	-9,010				-9,010 (-47%)

B - Administration

Code	Title	Receipts			Payments			Net Position
		Budgeted	Actual	Variance	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	+/- Under/over spend
1	Salaries				5,994.72	2,699.97	3,295	3,295 (54%)
2	PAYE/NI							(N/A)
3	Stationery/Mileage/Etc.				125.00	38.59	86	86 (69%)
4	Post and telephone				50.00		50	50 (100%)
5	Newsletter re 1972 LGA s142				400.00	156.00	244	244 (61%)
6	Village Hall hire				300.00		300	300 (100%)
7	Insurance				459.13		459	459 (100%)
8	Membership Subs re LGA s111				420.00	265.18	155	155 (36%)
9	Audit				160.00	170.00	-10	-10 (-6%)
10	Chairman's Expenses				50.00	30.00	20	20 (40%)
11	Training				250.00	625.00	-375	-375 (-150%)
12	Election Costs							(N/A)
40	Accounting, Website & Computir				560.00	65.96	494	494 (88%)
42	Professional Services				200.00	674.00	-474	-474 (-237%)
SUB TOTAL					8,968.85	4,724.70	4,244	4,244 (47%)

C - Playing Field/Recreational

Code	Title	Receipts			Payments			Net Position
		Budgeted	Actual	Variance	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	+/- Under/over spend
14	Grass cutting (field)				780.00	360.00	420	420 (53%)
15	Mole catching (field)				100.00		100	100 (100%)
16	Repairs/Maintenance				2,250.00	51.94	2,198	2,198 (97%)
17	Footpath Maintenance				400.00		400	400 (100%)
41	AONB Grant Payments							(N/A)
SUB TOTAL					3,530.00	411.94	3,118	3,118 (88%)

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D - Grants - s137/72 & s19 MP/

Code Title	Receipts			Payments			Net Position
	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	+/- Under/over spend
21 General Grants				300.00	99.00	201	201 (67%)
22 Church Field				425.00	450.00	-25	-25 (-5%)
23 Village Hall LGA				525.00	500.00	25	25 (4%)
24 All Saints Church				775.00	750.00	25	25 (3%)
25 WildlifeGroup				125.00		125	125 (100%)
SUB TOTAL				2,150.00	1,799.00	351	351 (16%)

F - Miscellaneous

Code Title	Receipts			Payments			Net Position
	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	+/- Under/over spend
26 Miscellaneous							(N/A)
SUB TOTAL							(N/A)

Summary

NET TOTAL	19,052.72	10,042.55	-9,010	14,648.85	6,935.64	7,713	-1,297 (-3%)
V.A.T.		761.40			293.32		
GROSS TOTAL		10,803.95			7,228.96		

ITEM 11

20mph bend in the road sign outside The Myrtles and outstanding issues for Cliff Road 327031

Thank you for passing on the parish councils highway issues.

We can advise that:

1. There was an oversight in ordering the removal and replacement of the sign outside Myrtles for which we apologise. This is now being looked into.
2. 20mph repeater signs are permitted within a 20mph speed zone. I can get an estimate from our design team to come up with a proposal (of the locations and numbers of new posts and signs) if a local funding source is agreed such as parish precept or grants the parish can secure,
3. The parish council can operate a SID within a 20mph zone if the unit can be calibrated down to the lower speed. The parish will need to assess a suitable site and submit an application form as shown on the SCC web site. <https://suffolkroadsafe.com/speed-and-communities-2/speed-prevention-in-the-community/>

ITEM 12

Response received from Therese Coffey – received 19.07.21

From: Thérèse Coffey MP <therese.coffey.mp@parliament.uk>
Sent: 19 July 2021 13:47
To: pc.waldringfield@googlemail.com
Subject: Re: Letter from your constituent Rebecca Todd (Case Ref: TC101725)

Dear Mrs Todd,

Thank you for contacting the office of Dr Thérèse Coffey MP. I would like to offer my apologies for the delay in responding to you.

Unfortunately, Dr Coffey was unable to attend the debate held on 1 July due to existing ministerial and diary commitments.

As you will be aware, the Local Electricity Bill was a Private Members' Bill introduced by Peter Aldous MP in the 2019-21 session. The Bill failed to complete its passage before the end of the session.

Community energy is a key part of clean growth and can decarbonise energy in local areas while bringing other economic or social benefits. However, there are other considerations which must be taken into account. For example, the Bill sought to alter the licensing provisions and Government Ministers have expressed their concern that changing the licensing framework would create wider distortions elsewhere in the energy system. Instead, the Government encourages stakeholders to engage with the ongoing work that the Government is undertaking with Ofgem to support flexibility and innovation more generally. This can help identify how a local element can play a part in the solution.

Furthermore, there is flexibility in the existing provisions. As you may know, electricity and gas supply licences are usually awarded on a GB-wide basis. However, Ofgem has powers to award supply licences for specified areas and specified types of premises, and that can allow licensees, to specialise and offer more targeted and potentially innovative products and services. The holder of such a licence could supply customers only in the specified geographical area and specified types of premises, with the full terms and conditions of the licence applying otherwise. Therefore, electricity suppliers can apply to Ofgem for a derogation from a particular provision of the supply licence, and if it is granted, provisions of the supply licence will not apply to them.

Ofgem is reviewing the use of supply licences that are restricted by geographic location, and Ofgem's Access & Forward-Looking Charges Review aims to improve the signals sent to all network users, which could support more localised supply.

With increased electrification of heat and transport, the Government and Ofgem continue to work to ensure that the systems and markets that will support this remain flexible, secure, competitive and that they meet the needs of consumers. The Government is supporting the delivery of renewable energy projects within rural communities in England through the £10 million rural community energy fund programme.

Kind regards,
Luke

Luke Watson
Parliamentary Assistant to Rt Hon Dr Thérèse Coffey MP
Suffolk Coastal and Secretary of State
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*Email received by the Clerk and councillors from Cllr Doyle

It would be useful to have the letters we write and the responses on the website for the public to view. Is that possible?

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*emails regarding bridleways on Land South and East of Adastral Park, Martlesham, Suffolk, IP12 4PS involving Taylor Wimpy

*Email from Clerk to Councillors regarding CIL funding attached to planning application DC/18/3623/FUL.

Various emails were circulated to councillors:

- Community Action Suffolk News
- Eco Green Communities - offer of environmental dog and litter stations to help tackle the littering and dog fouling epidemic.
- OneLife Suffolk Newsletter
- The Rural Bulletins (weekly)
- The Sizewell C Project - various updates
- CAS Network Survey
- SLCC News Bulletin
- The Rural Bulletin – as recieved
- SALC e-bulletins as recieved
- Expected CIL Payments from Eureka, Cliff Road, Waldringfield
- Free Virtual Summit - A Guide To Broadcasting Council Meetings - Thursday 29 July
- A conversation with Jackie Weaver
- Orwell & Villages By-election - 12 August 2021
- Letter from Cllr Steve Gallant - East Suffolk Council (ref City of Culture bid by Great Yarmouth supported by ESC)
- RSN Rural Funding Digest - July 2021 Edition
- East Suffolk Boost Grant Scheme
- Information for councils from SALC (Good Neighbour Network fund)
- Felixstowe Peninsula Community Officer Bulletin
- Local Electricity Bill circular from Power for People