

Minutes of Boothby Pagnell Parish Meeting Ordinary Meeting - 16th June 2017

In attendance - Peter Williams, Jo Blake, Peter Clarke, Russell Harte, Rachel Williams, Barbara Parson, Pauline Haw, Trevor Hutchinson, Gill Cowdell, Linda Hutchinson, Lorraine Hoy, Elizabeth Clarke, Peter Butcher, Dawn Crawford, Andy Crawford, Pam Collier, Mike Collier, Tom Blake, Robert Cornford, Keith Smith, Kate Speck and Nick Kutscher.

1 Apologies – Apologies were received from Ian and Lynne Rutherford. and Neville and Liz Cox.

2 Minutes of the meeting on 13th May 2016 - Pam Collier wants to leave the church open. The Minutes of the meeting were read and agreed by all to be a true record. Proposed by Trevor Hutchinson and seconded by Pauline Haw.

3 Matters arising -

Broadband – Steve Brooks has confirmed that fibre cable to the properties in Boothby Pagnell is programmed, but cannot confirm any more. BT is proposing 3 new poles: in School Lane, the corner opposite the church, and on Ponton Road by March 2019, with a green cabinet opposite the church. It is programmed to all be installed by December 2018. **Great Wood Nursery** – The village had requested speed restrictions coming into the village, but instead Highways are making two passing places on Great Ponton Lane, but have not communicated where they will be going.

4 Speed restrictions update – Various options were discussed to reduce speeding through the village such as radar checks, and rumble strips, which can be noisy. There is nowhere to park a police van in Boothby Pagnell. Pam Collier stated that both Main Street and Great Ponton Road have speeding problems.

It was suggested that Great Wood Nursery be asked if they are willing to contribute to the cost of speed signs. Their mini van has been seen to sometimes drive fast through the village, and any complaints should be telephoned to the Nursery.

After this discussion it was unanimously suggested that the six static and one reactive Speed signs should be applied for with the Community Speed Watch initiative run by the Lincolnshire Road Safety Partnership, at a cost of approximately £2,700. This was proposed by Tom Blake and seconded by Gill Cowdell.

30 mph speed stickers were handed out for attaching to wheelie bins.

5 Insurance - Insurance will be needed for the speed signs. This was carried unanimously.

6 Financial Matters - a) There were no other proposals to spend Parish Meeting funds.
b) It was unanimously passed to keep the precept at £750.

7 Any Other Business - Any potholes can be reported on the LCC website.

The Clerk reported that she had invited PCSO Stuart Bowden to come to the meeting, but he was unable to attend.

There was no other business, and the meeting was closed.