

# Bucknell Parish Council

Minutes of the Bucknell Parish Council on Monday 9th November 2015  
at 7:30 in Bucknell Village Hall

## Draft

**Present:** Neil Wainman (Temporary Chair), Rachael Blakey (Clerk), Alexander Bowden, Derek Hedges, Andrew Parsons

**In attendance:** Mandy Stewart (Parishioner), Robin (Parishioner), Jo-Jo (Trigger Pond), Harwood (Trigger Pond), Christine Desborough (Parishioner), Bob Dixon (Parishioner), John Kightley (Parishioner)

### **1 Apologies**

1.1 Daniel Blakey, Chris Wells Ian Corkin (District Councillor), Lawrie Stratford (County Councillor)

### **2. Declaration of interest in items on the agenda**

2.1 None declared

### **3. Minutes from the meeting held on the 13<sup>th</sup> July 2015**

3.1 These were signed by the Chair as a true record of the meeting.

### **4 Matters arising from the minutes of the 13<sup>th</sup> July 2015**

4.1 Minutes are not up-to-date on the website.

**Action:** Clerk to pass this on to webmaster.

4.2 Parking on the grass by the Trigger Pond. The landlords of the Trigger Pond were present and upset to not be notified of the agenda item. Clerk to make sure they are added to the distribution list in the future.

**Action:** Clerk to update distribution list.

Landlords agreed to provide guidance to customers (particularly on a Sunday, when the problem mainly arises) asking them not to park on the grass verge next to the pond.

In the long term it may be necessary for the Parish Council to provide signage but this can be monitored.

JK (previous chair) advised that there is the possibility of extending the car park and will pass on details to the landlords.

4.3 A discussion was had on how to commemorate Hazel Watt's contribute to the village but no decision was made on this.

### **5. District and/or Councilor's report:**

5.1 None present.

### **6. Standing Items:**

#### **6.1 Traffic Calming**

6.1.1 There has been no further information from A2D on the traffic calming they can provide, despite this being chased by the Clerk on numerous occasions.

**Action:** Clerk to chase again.

#### **6.2 Bicester Developments**

6.2.1 There was nothing more to report regarding this as there have been no new developments since the last meeting and the last meeting of the Garden City Village groups was cancelled.

6.3. **Incinerator**

6.3.1 The last meeting was on the 14<sup>th</sup> October and the following issues were discussed:

6.3.1.1. Lorries coming in and out of the plant and the resulting rubbish, although this affects Ardley more.

6.3.1.2. There has been no real time monitoring of emissions and doesn't look like there will be. MS (Parishioner) knows someone working in this area and offered to discuss it with them.

6.3.1.3. There may be a planning application regarding the landfill which is almost at its limit.

6.3.1.4. Internal and external lighting was discussed again and DH will continue to liaise regarding this.

6.3.2 It was agreed that the Council would meet separately regarding the bottom ash and associated applications and report back to the next meeting.

6.4 **Thames Water**

6.4.1 AP offered to take the lead on this issues and the Clerk to arrange another meeting with Thames Water. It was suggested that MS and JK might like to be involved.

**Action:** Clerk to arrange meeting with Thames Water and inform those involved of the date and time.

6.5 **Planning**

6.5.1 15/01876/Q56A. This is a re-submission and it was agreed that the same response would be made.

**Action:** Clerk to re-submit response

**7. Correspondence**

7.1 The Clerk informed the Council of the next Parish Liaison meeting on the 11<sup>th</sup> November.

**8. Finance**

8.1 No bank statement has been received and therefore the reconciliation has not been done.

8.2. There were two cheques for signing.  
£96.10 to CDC for emptying of the dog bins  
£329.17 for the Parish Clerk's wages and expenses

**9. Public Participation**

9.1 BD (Parishioner) commented on his concern over the traffic at the end of Bucknell Road towards Bicester. This is a County Council issue and the Clerk offered to contact LS to let him know the Parishes concerns.

**Action:** Clerk to contact LS

**10. A.O.B**

10.1 Will there be another copy of the printed version of Bucknell Matters? To be added to the next agenda.

**Date of the Next Meeting**

11th January 2015 starting at 7:30pm in the Village Hall

Signed .....

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