

# ROCK PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Minutes of the Parish Meeting of the Rock Parish Council held in Callow Hill Methodist Hall, Bliss Gate on **Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2008 commencing at 7.00pm.**

**Present:** Councillors D Godwin (Chairman)  
J C Simmonds J Turner  
J Nott Miss Morris  
Mrs P Pain K Perkins  
Mrs Harvey A Brooks  
C Hadler C Price

**Apologies were accepted from:** Councillor Mrs Fermin.

**In attendance:** Mr S Clee Mr C Link & PC Pauline Montague.

## **502 Minutes of the last meeting**

The minutes of the last meeting held on 25<sup>th</sup> February 2008 and as previously circulated were approved and signed by the Chairman.

## **503 Declaration of Interest for a) The Meeting and b) Any Changes to be notified to the Registers of Interests and Gifts & Hospitality;**

a) There were none.

b) There were none.

## **504 Public Participation**

The Chairman invited members of the public to speak. PC Pauline Montague gave an overview of the reported incidents within the parish over the last 4 weeks.

## **505 County Councillor's Report**

In the absence of Councillor Campion there was no report.

## **506 Planning Matters:**

092 Application No : 08/0142/FULL  
Valid Date : 18/02/2008  
Application for : Temporary siting of residential caravan for one year during construction works (authorised via Planning Permission 08/0030/FULL) at GLEN VIEW, KINLET ROAD, FAR FOREST, ROCK, KIDDERMINSTER, DY149UA.

RESOLVED to approve the application with no objections.

093 Application No : 08/0184/FULL  
Valid Date : 25/02/2008  
Application for : Change of use of land to the keeping of horses & retention of stable block at LUCYS FARM, CALLOW HILL, ROCK, KIDDERMINSTER,

RESOLVED to recommend refusal to this application as the stable block is too close to the public right of way. Council does not like retrospective applications and wish the Wyre Forest District Council refer the matter to its enforcement committee.

094 Application No : 08/0192/FULL  
Valid Date : 26/02/2008  
Application for : Replacement dwelling (change of house type from planning permission 06/0927/Full) at THE BEECHES, RIBBESFORD, BEWDLEY, DY122TR.

RESOLVED to approve.

095 Application No : 08/0207/LIST  
Valid Date : 29/02/2008  
Application for : Conversion of barn from agricultural to residential at THE OLD BARN, HEIGHTINGTON, BEWDLEY, DY122YE.

RESOLVED to approve with no objections.

096 Application No : 08/0208/FULL  
Valid Date : 29/02/2008  
Application for : Construction of a garden wall at THE OLD BARN, HEIGHTINGTON, BEWDLEY, DY122YE.

RESOLVED to approve.

097 Application No : 08/0209/LIST  
Valid Date : 29/02/2008  
Application for : Construction of a garden wall & replacement porch at THE OLD BARN, HEIGHTINGTON, BEWDLEY, DY122YE.

RESOLVED to approve.

#### **507 Correspondence Sheet**

Council noted the correspondence sheet.

#### **508 Parish Magazine**

Councillor John Nott for April & Councillor Mrs P Pain May 2008.

#### **509 Parish Tree Warden**

It was agreed to place an advertisement in the parish magazine for a Parish Tree Warden.

#### **510 Finances**

Invoices amounting to £1,607.66 were approved for payment. There was a recommendation from the Finance Committee that the position of Parish Clerk with Rock be allowed to join the Local Government Pension Scheme with immediate effect. This recommendation was proposed by Councillor Godwin. It was RESOLVED to approve the recommendation unanimously.

#### **511 Date of the next meeting**

There being no other business the Chairman closed the meeting at 19.50 hrs. The date of the next meeting being Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2008.

Chairman.....

28<sup>th</sup> April 2008