

PEASENHALL PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Peasehall Parish Council Extraordinary virtual meeting held via Zoom Meetings on Tuesday 16th November 2020 at 7:00 pm.

2020/81 Attendance and Apologies

Attendees:

Cllr. Steve Pewsey - Chair
Cllr. Frank Potter – Vice-Chair
Cllr. Ric Earle
Cllr. Nick Levett-Scrivener
Cllr. Peter Dance

Apologies for absence:

Cllr. Roger Benstead
Cllr. Stephanie Liston

In attendance:

Sharon Smith - Clerk/RFO
One member of the public

2020/82 Declarations of Pecuniary and Non-Pecuniary Interests

Cllr. Nick Leverett-Scrivener and Cllr. Peter Dance declared an interest in item 2020/84.

2020/83 Planning Application

Cllr. Ric Earle proposed no objection to planning application DC/20/4171/FUL – construction of a single storey 135 sqm bungalow with 27 sqm mezzanine – Oak View, Mill Hill. Seconded by Cllr. Frank Potter. All in favour.

ACTION: Clerk to inform the planning department.

2020/84 Local Plan

Cllr. Ric Earle proposed that the Council raises a stage 1 complaint against East Suffolk Council regarding the Local Plan. Seconded by Cllr. Steve Pewsey. Cllr. Frank Potter objected to the proposal on two grounds - he does not believe the process was flawed nor that there are any national implications. Cllr. Ric Earle said he supported the proposal for the reasons raised in previous meetings and because District Cllr. Stephen Burroughes recommended that course of action. Cllr. Nick Leverett-Scrivener said that the Local Plan may be founded on a falsehood and until it is known who put the site forward we should complain. Cllr. Peter Dance agreed with Cllr. Leverett-Scrivener. Votes in favour: Cllr. Earle and Cllr. Pewsey. Votes against: Cllr. Potter. Cllr. Leverett-Scrivener and Cllr. Dance, who previously declared an interest in this item, took no part in the voting.

ACTION: Clerk to send a letter to the ESC Planning Policy and Delivery Team, send a copy to Cllr. Stephen Burroughes and upload a copy to the village website.

2020/85 Christmas Tree Event

Cllr. Steve Pewsey proposed that the Council agrees a budget of £85 to purchase a Christmas tree from Sibton Country Supplies and to contribute £25 to a resident for electricity for the Christmas tree lights. Seconded by Cllr. Ric Earle. All in favour.

ACTION: Cllr. Steve Pewsey to arrange.

The meeting closed at 7:20 pm.