Minutes of the Stockton Parish Council Monthly Meeting held in the Village Hall, Stockton, at 7.15pm on 21st March 2016

Those present: -

Parish Councillors: Cllrs. C.Millidge, J.Neal, W.Rumsey and T.Warner

District Councillor:

County Councillor:

Public: 1 member of the public

Election of Chairman for the meeting

In the absence of the Chairman and Vice Chairman it was proposed by Cllr.Neal and seconded by Cllr.Warner that Cllr.Millidge be elected Chairman for the meeting - This motion was unanimously agreed.

Open Forum

There were no issues brought forward.

Apologies for Absence

Parish Cllrs. Cllrs. H.Collerson, P.Banham, and J.Emberton

District Cllr.: County Cllr.:

Acceptance of Apologies from Parish Councillors

Parish Cllrs; It was proposed by Cllr.Warner and seconded by Cllr.Neal that the apology be accepted - This motion was unanimously carried.

Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest.

Minutes of the meetings held on 15th February and the 14th March 2016

These minutes being previously circulated, it was proposed by Cllr.Warner and seconded by Cllr.Neal that they be accepted as true records - This motion was unanimously agreed.

Matters arising from the minutes of the 15th February and the 14th March 2016

There were no matters arising from the minutes for attention

Planning Matters: -

a. New Planning Applications

16/00557/FUL, 8 Tuckwell Close: Raising of existing dormer roof to principle elevation – No representation (taken under delegated powers).

16/00383/S106A, 25A Post Office Lane: Application to discharge a Sec 106 agreement (planning permission 07/00865/FUL) to remove the obligation securing the occupation of the dwelling to be by a "Qualifying Person". This would enable the dwelling to be sold on the open market - Object 16/00626/FUL, 7 Manor Road: Construction of 2nd storey side extension above existing first floor extension and two storey rear extension. – No representation

16/00646/ADV, Allotments Napton Road: 2 X "V" advertisement signs and 4 X flag advertisements – No representation

16/00596/COUO, Stockton Hall Court, Rugby Road, Stockton: Prior notification for change of use of a

B1a office building to 5 number C3 dwelling houses under class O - Object 16/00801/FUL, Land at Nelsons Wharf: Widening of access behind existing dropped kerb and retention of existing access track (part of site within Stratford District Council) – No representation

b. Planning Decisions by District Council or County Council

Financial Matters

It was proposed by Cllr.Neal and seconded by Cllr.Warner that all invoices shown in the March 2016 Agenda Appendix 1 be paid - This motion was unanimously agreed.

Correspondence and Reports

There were no items for discussion

Finance & Strategy Group

There were no items for discussion

Amenity Group

There were no items for consideration.

Correspondence not passed to Action Groups

There were no items for consideration.

Ongoing References

Village Mowing: It was unanimously agreed that for this financial year D.Stanley will add the playing field and scout field to his mowing contract

Playing Field: It was noted that the dog bin and waste bin have been vandalised, Cllr.Millidge will inspect and the Clerk will if necessary order new bins. The Clerk to contact Safer Neighbourhood teams regarding this vandalism.

Village Green: It was noted that the waste bin on the green needs to be replaced, the Clerk will order one that can be set on a post. It was also noted that at church functions there is parking on the village green outside the church, and also that a resident of Church street is using the green as access for parking on their garden the Clerk is to contact the police re this matter. It was also decided that the village green is to be added to ongoing references

Additions and Removals to Ongoing References

Village Green to be added

Parish Council Calendar Actions

Monthly budget monitoring: It was noted that this is now the year end and the monthly budget will be reviewed alongside all other payments and expenditure as soon as practicable.

Villager of the Year: this will be held over to the next meeting.

Publicity for the Annual Parish meeting: This will be advertised in the parish magazine, the website, and on facebook.

Training and Meetings

There was no training or meetings attended.

District Council issues

There were no issues for consideration

County Council issues

There were no issues for consideration.

Other Issues

Speed cameras training: the Clerk is to contact the police regarding this.

There being no further business the Chairman closed the meeting at 8.35pm.