Great and Little Kimble Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting of Great and Little Kimble cum Marsh held on Wednesday 9th June 2010 at Kimble Stewart Hal at 7.30pm

Prior to the start of the Parish Council Meeting time is allocated, subject to the sole discretion of the Chairman of the meeting, for statements or questions from members of the public.

Roger Howgate gave an update of the BOAT enquiry.

Sue Howgate informed the meeting that John Bercow has booked the Stewart Hall for a surgery on Friday 25th June. Sue Howgate thanked the Parish Council for the money to replace the external doors of the Hall. Gerald Redding enquired on the current situation with the Affordable Housing scheme.

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1. Attendance and Apologies

At this meeting the following persons were present

Councillor Terry Mackintosh (Chairman)
Councillor Alun Jones
Councillor Stuart Watson
Councillor Martin Saunders

Chris Arnold - Parish Clerk

Apologies were tendered and accepted by the Parish Council from Councillor David Williams and Councillor Julia Northway

Members of the public were also present

The agenda was ordered as follows at the meeting 1 to 3, 6, 8, 10, 11 and 4. The meeting was closed at 8.25pm as Councillor Stuart Watson absented himself from the meeting thus making the meeting non-quorum.

2. Declaration of interest in any item on the agenda by a member

Councillor Saunders declared an interest in a planning application number 10/05901/FUL on item 4 of the agenda.

3. Minutes of the meeting on 12TH May 2010 and any matter arising from those minutes not dealt with elsewhere on the agenda.

The minutes were unanimously approved by the council and signed by the Chairman

To review and determine a course of action on the following subjects

4. Planning Applications and appeals review and confirm the responses made to Wycombe District Council by the planning committee (Updated list circulated before the meeting)

The Council carefully reviewed the list of planning applications and unanimously supported the responses submitted to Wycombe District Council by the planning group. The planning group agreed to visit a couple of the sites prior to the closing date for comments.

A list of planning applications is circulated with the agenda for this meeting and is also posted on the Parish Notice Board in Bridge Street, Great Kimble, near the junction with the B4009 as are all statutory Parish Council notices.

It should be noted that the response of the Parish Council and any observations made by the public to any planning application are available by accessing the Wycombe District Council website http://www.wycombe.gov.uk/, together with detailed information about the application.

This user friendly website provides COMPREHENSIVE information and can be accessed for all applications and decisions made by the planning authority.

Please note that comments made by the Great & Little Kimble cum Marsh Parish Council may not accord with decisions of the Planning Authority.

5. Various BCC Highways planning matters, including footways, footpaths, Village Entry Treatments, Vehicle Activated Signs and BCC Grass Cutting

It was noted that a replacement village entry gate had been erected on the A4010.

6. To determine the course of action on the provision of rural housing within the Parish

The Council agreed that the Buckinghamshire Community Action should be contacted to liaise with prospective developers for this Scheme and these should be invited to the next Parish Council Meeting.

7. To set up a working group to review standing orders.

This item was deferred to the next meeting.

8. A resolution to arrange for the council to hold a meeting on the second Wednesday of every month excluding August, commencing July 2010.

This resolution was proposed by Councillor Terry Mackintosh and seconded by Councillor Alun Jones and carried unanimously.

9. To determine the council's policy regarding the proposed BOAT and TRO within the Parish

Roger Howgate had given an update on this enquiry prior to the start of the meeting from this it was agreed from that the item will be placed on the July agenda and a meeting set up with BCC, Chequers Estate and other interested parties.

10. To review the accounts to March 2010 and complete the annual return for the external auditor

The annual return and statutory declarations were agreed by the Council and signed by the Chairman and Clerk.

- 11. Reports from Councillors and Parish Clerk on various matters of interest including any correspondence on the following matters.
 - Parish Repairs (Councillor Alun Jones)
 It was reported that there were still dangerous potholes in Marsh that were in need of repair.
 - b. Kimble Stewart Hall
 There will be a meeting set up with the Parish Council and The Stewart Hall Committee to discuss the way forward.
- 12. Any other business and items for inclusion on the agenda for the next meeting of the Council on Wednesday 14th July 2010 and 7.30pm in Kimble Stewart Hall.

To be included in the July agenda

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To set up a working group to review standing orders

The next meeting of Great and Little Kimble cum Marsh Parish Council will be on Wednesday July 14th 2010 at Kimble Stewart Hall at 7.30pm

N.B. - Councillors

The Clerk must be notified at least 3 working days before the next meeting to add an item to the Agenda

Great and Little Kimble cum Marsh Parish Council Friday June 11th 2010 Julie Bunker (Acting Parish Clerk)

Councillor Terry Mackintosh (Chairman)

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