

Blythburgh with Bulcamp and Hinton Parish Council

Minutes of Special Parish Council Meeting Monday 18th August 2008 at 8:00 pm

Present: Cllr D Tytler (Chair), Cllr R Benson, Cllr L Clapham, Cllr L Lewis, Cllr A Mackley, Cllr R Williams, Cllr C Waller, J Boggis (Clerk).

Meeting commenced at 8:10pm following Parishioner inspection of the plans.

08/44. To receive Members' declarations of interest on any matters on the agenda
None

08/45. To note apologies for absence
None

08/46. To receive any planning decisions
Permission GRANTED for:-
Application No. C08/0935
Location; 6 Angel Lane, Blythburgh
Purpose; Erection of single bay timber cartlodge with side store

08/47. To discuss planning application

Application No.	C08/1420	Full Planning Permission
Location:	The Old Ambulance House, Blyth View, Bulcamp	
Proposal:	Erection of single-storey garden room to rear of house	
Application No.	C08/1421	Limited Building Consent
Location:	The Old Ambulance House, Blyth View, Bulcamp	
Proposal:	Erection of single-storey garden room to rear of house	

There was limited discussion on the above linked applications. The planning sub committee recommended that there be no objections to these applications
Proposal – Clerk to contact SCDC planning department and express the Blythburgh Parish Council view of no objection to these applications

Agreed

A further planning application arrived too late to be included on the agenda.

Application Number;	C08/1462
Location;	Heron Cottage, Dunwich Rd, Blythburgh
Proposal;	Erection of one-and-a-half storey side extension (demolition of Existing flat roof extension)

There was considerable discussion about this application with impacted parishioners explaining their concerns. The planning sub committee had not reviewed this application but from the earlier review and discussion it was expressed that Blythburgh Parish Council would object to the application on the basis of scale and position. However it was requested that the decision was deferred to allow all people impacted to be involved in the discussion.

Proposal – Clerk to contact SCDC planning department asking for an extension to response date for this application

Agreed

08/48. To agree any payments due
Proposal – Pay Paul Cook £135-00 for Grass Cutting at Play Site 17/3/08 to 8/8/08

Agreed

Proposal – Pay Paul Cook £112-00 for Bus Shelter Cleaning 3/5/08 to 8/8/08

Agreed

08/49. Latitude – What time was it licensed to finish?

There was a discussion about Latitude and its licensed times. It was reported that a letter had been sent to all residents explaining the situation but it appeared that not all residents received this letter. It was also reported the bus caused problems along Angel Lane. The conclusion was that in future the letter from the Latitude organisers would be displayed in the notice boards and that the Chairman would discuss the concerns raised with the organisers and report back at a future meeting.

08/50. Prince Charles Visit – Who was aware of the visit? How can events like this be better publicised?

Meeting Closed

A parishioner asked why the visit of Prince Charles had not been advertised? Why did they have to rely on word of mouth to find out about the visit? Other Parishioners stated the information was advertised in the local newspaper.

Meeting Opened

Cllr Williams asked why the Parish Councillors had not been notified of Prince Charles' visit? The ensuing discussion agreed that for future official visits, when the information was in the public domain, the Parish Councillors would be e-mailed with the information and a notice put in the notice boards.

08/51. To discuss any other matter the Chair will allow

08/51.1. Clerk asked that the arrangement for making payments for Parish Plan expenditure be formally recorded.

Proposal – Parish Plan expenditure does not require Parish Council approval, within available Parish Plan funding. Cheques can be written by the RFO, as requested, by the Steering Committee.

Agreed

08/51.2. The Parish Council were told the Parish Plan questionnaires would be delivered next week, to arrive before the bank holiday weekend.

08/51.3 A question was asked about what the Parish Council were doing about the Boundary Committee report. The Clerk responded that he had invited a representative from SCC to answer any questions people may have. It was suggested that for balance someone from the Boundary Committee should also be invited

Proposal – Clerk to contact Boundary Committee and ask for representative to attend next Blythburgh Parish Council meeting

Agreed

Meeting closed at 9:10pm

Date of next meeting Monday 8th September 2008 commencing with an Open Forum at 7:30pm followed by the Council Meeting starting at the earliest of 8:00pm