HAUGHLEY PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Wednesday 17 April 2019 in the Village Hall

Councillors Present:	G Brown, Mrs. S Crossman, R Dawson, M Gilson, A Hannan (chairman), Mrs. Y Hannan (vice chairman), Mrs. T Shaw (arrived at item 3) and R Tricker.
In Attendance:	Claire Pizzey (Clerk), District Councilor Rachel Eburne and 3 members of the public.
1.	To receive and consider apologies for absence: None received.
2.	To receive Councillors' Declarations of Interest: None received.
3.	To receive any written requests for dispensations: None received.
4.	To approve the minutes of the Parish Council Meeting of 20 March 2019: All Councillors confirmed receipt of the minutes. Mrs. T Shaw proposed to accept the minutes of 20 March as a true record of the meeting and decisions made. Seconded by Mrs. Y Hannan with all in favour the Chairman signed and dated all pages.*
5.	Public Forum: A resident addressed the members and spoke about the planning application at 4 Station Road.
6.	 To receive a report from District Councillor: A report had been received prior to the meeting by District Cllr Rachel Eburne. District Cllr Eburne highlighted: The Haughley Neighbourhood Plan is due to go to cabinet at MSDC on the 12 June for it to be agreed to go to public referendum. In addition to the funding advised at last month's meeting a further £400 of locality budget has been obtained towards the Swift Box Project in Haughley. Housing land supply figure has increased to 5.24 years. This is as a result of the Office for National Statistics releasing new (decreased) figures for potential housing growth. Wetherden is actively looking at how its Vehicle Activated Signs are being used in the village and it would be good for Haughley Parish to connect with them to co-ordinate all the active signs.

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7.	To receive a report from County Councillor: A report had been received prior to the
	meeting by County Councillor Andrew Stringer.
8.	Planning Applications: To consider and agree Council comments on applications
	made to the Local Planning Authority (MSDC) (please note: in planning matters the
	Council acts as the consultee of the Principal Authority. The Principal Authority being
	the deciding body):
	1. DC/19/01568: Notification of works to Trees in a conservation Area – Removal
	of 1no. Chestnut Tree and removal of stump. Location Haughley Village Green,
	Haughley: It was agreed to <u>SUPPORT</u> the application.
	2. DC/19/01643: Householder Planning Application – Erection of a single storey
	rear extension. Location Old Bells Farm, Wassicks Lane, Haughley, IP14 3NP:
	It was agreed that no comment was to be made.
	3. DC/19/01626: Householder Planning Application – Erection of a two-storey
	rear extension. Location 4 Station Road, Haughley, Suffolk, IP14 3NP: It was
	agreed to <u>SUPPORT</u> the application. Comment to be made over concerns
	around site access for large vehicles as it is on the road, particularly during the
	building phase.
9.	Planning Decisions: To note determinations by the Local Planning Authority (MSDC)
	Council to note the following determinations made by MSDC:
	1. DC/19/00901: Householder Planning Application – Demolition of existing gar-
	age, erection of replacement single storey side extension and erection of sin-
	gle storey front porch. 15 Old Street, Haughley, IP14 3NT. Planning permis-
	sion has been <u>GRANTED</u> .
10.	Vehicle Activated Sign (VAS):
	1. To agree new sites in Haughley for the VAS: R Tricker proposed that the
	Parish Council makes an application for 3 additional VAS posts at Green
	Road, Fishponds Way and Station Road and a MSDC CIL 123 Regulation ap-
	plication for the purchase of a further mobile VAS sign. G Brown seconded
	and all were in favour.
	2. To discuss the ongoing maintenance and placement of the VAS: R Tricker re-
	ported that he will not be standing again for the Parish Council and it was

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	agreed to discuss the ongoing support for the VAS signs at the May AGM, as
	Cllr. Tricker currently supports the signs. He advised that the posts mount-
	ing them should not be left empty but should host road safety signs. It was
	agreed to ask Suffolk County Council for 4 additional signs to allow for the
	new post sites.
11.	That the Parish Council agrees that a bench is purchased by Palmers Bakery to mark
	the 150 years celebration and is placed on The Green. The Parish Council to be re-
	sponsible for the bench to be delivered, installed and engraved: The members dis-
	cussed the bench. A Hannan proposed that the Parish Council agreed that the bench
	is placed on The Green. R Dawson seconded and all were in favour. All costs will be
	funded by a donation by Palmers Bakery. When installed, the bench will become a
	Parish asset.
12.	To agree that the Parish Council appoints 4 trustees and agree that the Haughley
	Joint Charities is re-formed: The members discussed the Haughley Joint Charities. A
	Hannan proposed that himself, David Fleetwood, Kieron Palmer and Claire Pizzey are
	appointed trustees to the Haughley Joint Charities. Mrs T Shaw seconded and all
	were in favour.
13.	To discuss the Haughley and Wetherden Parish News publication and agree any
	action to be taken: The Chairman reported that he and the Clerk had met with two
	members of the Haughley and Wetherden Parish News. It was confirmed this is a
	church publication that has been developed more into a Parish magazine. It was not
	understood if Haughley PCC or Wetherden PCC make a financial contribution to the
	production costs. It was confirmed that the £100 additional grant funding for 2019-
	20 was to cover the cost of a colour page for the Bluebell Woods front page of the
	April edition. Since the meeting it has been agreed that Wetherden Parish Council
	would match the additional funding. M Gilson proposed that the Parish Council
	obtains clarity from the Haughley and Wetherden News committee on the accounts
	for the publication and that the Parish Council seeks details on the cost of a new
	layout and production of the News and report back to the Parish Council to discuss
	and action. R Dawson seconded and all were in favour.

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To agree that a quote is sought for 2 new closed (lockable) noticeboards at Haughley New Street and Haughley Green: M Gilson proposed that a quote is sought for 2
new closed and lockable noticeboards. R Dawson seconded and all were in favour.

15. FINANCE:

- a) The Council confirmed receipt of the finance report for March 2019 prior to the meeting including, Bank reconciliation, Budget to actual and Receipts and payments since the last meeting. No questions or comments were made.
- b) It was resolved to make the following payments:

Air Ambulance (Gallowsfield Wood)	£50.00
Village Hall (Hall Hire)	£18.00
JRB Enterprises (Dog Poo Bin)	£195.60
C Pizzey (Expenses)	£41.30
SALC (Subscription)	£614.24
Faxbase (McAfee)	£36.00
B Online (Internet)	£32.57
R Cobbold (Wages)	£249.03
M Adams (Wages)	£720.93
C Pizzey (Wages)	£497.63

R Dawson proposed the payments and R Tricker seconded and all were in favour.

- c) The Clerk advised that she had contacted an internal auditor for the 2018-19 audit. The councillors reviewed the effectiveness of the internal auditor. The Parish Council was satisfied that M Balfour is suitable, independent of Haughley Parish Council, holding no role within the Council and having no connection with any current members. The Parish Council also felt that his professional qualification showed that he is competent to carry out the internal audit for a Parish Council the size of Haughley. R Dawson proposed that M Balfour carries out the internal audit for a cost of £250.00 A Hannan seconded and all were in favour.
- d) The members discussed the reserves report. M Gilson proposed that £10,000 was transferred from the General reserve into 9the Depreciation, Replacement and Purchase of Assets Reserve, £5,000 is transferred from the General Reserve to the Strategic Reserve and £2,500 is transferred from the

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	Post Office Reserve and transferred to the General Reserve. R Dawson se-
	conded and all were in favour.
	e) A Hannan proposed that the quote from Town and Village Landscapes of
	£2,120 .00 for the works to the bridge railings, pump, Haughley sign and fenc-
	ing is accepted once confirmation that the materials are included in the quo-
	tation. R Dawson seconded and all were in favour.
16.	To agree a "Planning in Haughley – Applications and Approvals" Theme for the An-
	nual Parish Meeting: A Hannan proposed that the APM Planning in Haughley Theme
	should be adopted. Mrs T. Shaw seconded and all were in favour. The Clerk to send
	out the invitations early next week.
17.	To note a summary of correspondence received by the Clerk since the last meeting:
	Members confirmed receipt of the summary of correspondence received.
	1. To note correspondence of an event on the first day of the Haughley Festival
	(Saturday 25 May 2019): No action.
	To note response from Suffolk County Council following the correspondence
	from a resident regarding The Folly, Haughley: No action.
	3. To note correspondence from MSDC asking for the Parish Council views on
	the Joint area Parking Plan: Mrs. S Crossman agreed to complete the consulta-
	tion on behalf of the Parish Council.
	4. To note response from Suffolk Highways following the report of the barriers
	on the land at Fishponds Way: No action.
	5. To note response from MSDC Tenant Services Team following the report of
	the scaffolding poles and bench at Fishponds Way: No action.
	6. To note correspondence from Gallowsfield Wood and The Save Our Haughley
	Swift project: It was agreed that two swift boxes could be erected on the Ron
	Crascall Pavilion.
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10.	Dates of next meeting: Members are asked to note that the next Parish Council

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meetings are the Annual Parish Meeting on Wednesday 8 May 2019, AGM on
Wednesday May 15 2019 and Wednesday 19 June 2019 at the Village Hall, Haughley
There being no further business, the Meeting was closed at 20.40

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