

BEAULIEU PARISH COUNCIL  
MINUTES OF MEETING ON THURSDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2020  
ON ZOOM

**PRESENT**

Cllr. F. Norris (Chairman), Cllr. P. Fairweather (Vice Chairman), Cllr. C. Knight, Cllr. S. Reece, Cllr. M. Grindrod, Cllr. S. Steele, Cllr. L. Shanks, Cllr. L. Dearing

**APOLOGIES**

Cllr. K. Mans

**IN ATTENDANCE**

Cllr. M. Harris, Mr. T. Mack, Mrs. N. Deering (Clerk)

1872. **MINUTES OF LAST MEETING**

Proposed: Cllr. Knight    Seconded: Cllr. Grindrod

1873. **MATTERS ARISING**

Cllr. Norris said we do not usually meet in August, but quite a few planning applications. Joined by Tim Mack from Baileys Hard.

1874. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Cllr. Knight – Planning, Gravelly, Park Farm, Hazel Copse and Moonwood.

Cllr. Reece – Planning, Gravelly & Park

Cllr. Dearing – Planning, Hazel Copse

Cllr. Fairweather – Planning, Park Farm

1875. **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

No members of public present. Unable to send invitation to two residents who wanted to attend, but sent ID and Passcode.

1876. **POLICE LIAISON**

P.C. Eastwood not present.

1877. **HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL'S REPRESENTATIVES REPORT**

Cllr. Mans not present.

1878. **NEW FOREST DISTRICT COUNCILS REPRESENTATIVES REPORT**

Cllr. Harris said Covid 19 has affected all our lives, but task and finish groups have been set up, directed and lead by Cllr. Rickman, to examine the effects and what we can do to protect ourselves and businesses, lot of work going on.

Briefing on finances and in very good position as we have reserves. Awaiting final resolution from government. Reserves have enabled us to cope with losses of £1m a month, through lost revenue and income. Proposed Boundary changes, reduction in number of Cllrs. Reducing to 48 district Cllrs. Working with Boundary Commission to finalise details. Distributed all money that Central Government gave us to support business. Try to help those who fell through the gaps. Been successful in attracting money from Solent Enterprise Partnership. £80,000 given to us to help support rural businesses, joint funding basis. Very exciting about water fountain, now installed and working. Said thanks to BPC who raised the issue originally. Cllr. Norris asked with changes to the wards, I believe we are going to be Forest and Solent. Will you still be our Cllr.? Cllr. Harris said that is to be determined. Existing ward being divided into two. Brockenhurst and Denny Lodge will be a ward with one Cllr. and Beaulieu, East Boldre, Boldre, Exbury and Lepe will be another ward with one Cllr. Said I live

in Brockenhurst and will put my name forward for Brockenhurst. If someone else puts their name forward and are to represent Brockenhurst, then I would like to represent Forest and Solent, as I know the areas and PC's well. Cllr. Norris said we would not want to lose you.

**1879. LITTLE BINS AND BOTTLE FILLING**

Cllr. Norris said with Cllrs. Knight and Reece we walked around the parish and looked at litter bins, following an initiative from Lord Montagu. Three circular ones in the High Street which are very old. With increase in number of visitors and food outlets, felt more waste generated and to keep it under control Lord Montagu wanted the three bins belonging to the PC and BE to be changed to larger ones. Also wants fourth bin located on the green opposite the garage. After discussion with NFDC, BE made proposal to purchase four bins at a cost of approx. £400 each. NFDC suggested it easier if we use the type of bin they use, and have ordered four. Still awaiting to hear from NFDC as to whether they will empty the fourth bin. BE and BPC will share the cost. BPC asked to install the bins, but unable to do this and asked if BE install we will pay. Cllr. Norris said he had email from Lord Montagu about bus stop poles and flags and dealing with HCC on this.

**1880. PLANNING**

20/00427 – NF Activities, The Piggery, Hazel Copse Farm.

Temp. use of building as toilets for neighbouring offices and toilets, shower block and washing area for 60 days permitted camping in nearby field.

BPC recommend refusal as this is the 3<sup>rd</sup> application for temporary consent following breach in planning regulations which remains unresolved and needs to be resolved permanently. 5 Cllrs. in favour.

Proposed: Cllr. Grindrod                      Seconded: Cllr. Reece

20/00447 – 5 Baileys Hard

Replacement external staircase, first floor decking and ballustrade, alteration to fenestration.

BPC recommends permission, No. 1. Proposals acceptable.

Proposed: Cllr. Dearing                      Seconded: Cllr. Shanks

20/00463 – Gravelly House, Warren Lane

Conservatory

BPC are happy to accept the decision reached by NP. No. 5.

Proposed: Cllr. Shanks                      Seconded: Cllr. Steele

20/00522 – Moonwood House, Moonhills Lane

Outbuilding

BPC recommends permission. No. 1.

Proposed: Cllr. Reece                      Seconded: Cllr. Shanks

20/00551 – Park Farm

Slurry lagoon

BPC recommend permission No. 1.

Proposed: Cllr. Shanks                      Seconded: Cllr. Grindrod

5 in favour. Cllrs. Knight & Reece declared interest. Cllr.

Fairweather abstained.

20/00421 – Beck Farm, St. Leonards Road

New temporary building, 1.8m high fencing, cycle racks  
BPC recommends permission No.1. All Cllrs. agreed.

Proposed: Cllr. Steele      Seconded: Cllr. Fairweather

Tree Decisions

CONS/20/0363 – Spence House, Dock Lane. Raise no objections.

1881. **CORRESPONDENCE**

Greenspan. Cllr. Steele said handyman has done temp job on slide, straightened the seats and mended fence. Said playground has had heavy use and more litter. Handyman's invoice - £70. Greenspan quote for replacing top section of slide - £385 + VAT. Seems a lot of money. Cllr. Fairweather we cannot take a risk with equipment used by the public, we need to get it repaired. All in favour.

Proposed: Cllr. Dearing      Seconded: Cllr. Fairweather  
£70.00 for handyman

Proposed: Cllr. Knight      Seconded: Cllr. Shanks

Lloyds Bank, Balance £18,550.47

1882. **CHEQUE SIGNING**

£11.00 Fairweathers

Proposed : Cllr. Reece      Seconded: Cllr. Steele

1883. **QUESTION TIME**

Cllr. Norris said we can do a virtual AGM, serve notice to one or two people. Will change how we serve notice on zoom. Put on notice board.

Cllr. Knight mentioned speeding in Palace Lane. Cllr. Norris said I know one or two of you are concerned. One resident is working with police and one has put in device that records speeds, data collection on vehicles who go up the hill.

Resident disputing data from HCC, and wants to prove incorrect. Mentioned data protection issues and need to ask advise. Think we might get pinch points put in, so everyone has to slow down. Only view we may have is it a bit urban. Cllr.

Grindrod worried, as heard not allowed two speed calming situations at one time. Told could not do anything in the High Steet as already have speed calming there. Needs to know as will be speed watching on behalf of BPC.

Meeting closed at 8.00pm.

Date of Next Meeting – Virtual meeting - Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> September 2020 at 6.30p.m.