

**THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
CASTLE EDEN PARISH COUNCIL
HELD ON THURSDAY 21 JULY 2016**

Present:

Councillor B Turnbull (Chair)
Councillors D Martin, Mrs V Robertson and B Robertson

Also Present

Mrs A Moon – ACE, County Councillors R Crute and Mrs L Pounder

1. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

There were submitted on behalf of Councillors M Wilmer and M Colborn.

2. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

There were no declarations of interest.

3. **POLICE REPORT**

There were no police present.

4. **THE MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING** held on **16 JUNE 2016**, a copy of which had been circulated to each Member were approved and signed by the Chair.

5. **MATTERS ARISING**

Police Report – Minute No 3 refers

The Clerk advised that a speed visor was used on a rational system however there was no site identified in Castle Eden and was currently at capacity. A proven need was required for a fixed speed visor and a suitable location for deployment. The initial capital investment was £6500 and the commuted sum over an 8 year lifespan was approx. £3100. The Parish Council would be responsible for indemnity insurance and its removal.

Following discussion, it was **RESOLVED** that Councillor B Robertson investigate the costs of solar powered speed visors.

County Councillors Report – Minute No 6 refers

The Clerk had written to the MP Grahame Morris asking for his support of in the reduction of the street lights proposals following a suggestion from a resident.

6. **COUNTY COUNCILLOR'S REPORT**

Councillor Crute commented that he was pleased with the number of responses he had received regarding the removal of the street lighting columns.

The date for the Crematorium public appeal had been set for 15 September 2016.

Councillor Martin advised that DCC had wanted to meet regarding the refuse roadside collection from his property. He did not think it was safe especially if the street lighting columns were removed.

RESOLVED that the information given be noted.

7. **CORRESPONDENCE**

There was no correspondence.

8. **PLANNING PROPOSALS**

Consideration was given to the following planning application:

DM/16/02145/FPA Single storey rear extension at 4 North View, Castle Eden

RESOLVED that no objection be made.

9. **FINANCE REPORT**

Balance at Bank as at 16 June	£18,271.74
Clerks Salary	£624.98
Village Hall hire	£480.00
CDALC subs	£78.02
HMRC	<u>£156.24</u>
	£16932.50
Wayleave	£6.90
Interest	£0.75
Balance at Bank	<u>£16,940.15</u>

10. **PARISH COUNCILLOR VACANCY**

The Clerk advised that there had been no applications for co-option to become a Parish Councillor.

RESOLVED that the information given be noted.

11. **VILLAGE MATTERS**

(i) **ACE Report**

The key points from the last ACE meeting were circulated.

(ii) **Proposed Crematorium**

This was dealt with earlier in the agenda.