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GREAT RISSINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of meeting held on Tuesday 3rd April 2018 at 7pm at the Great Rissington Club

Present: Parish Councillors Richard Cleverly (Chairman), John Durrant (Vice Chairman), Jane Carter, Graham Ramsay, Jenny Stewart.

In attendance: Local Government Electors (3)

1 Apologies for absence and declarations of interest

Apologies were received from Parish Councillor Simon Young, Tasha Sheasby and Mike Saunders (Parish Clerk and Financial Officer)

2 Minutes of meeting held on 06 March 2018

The minutes were approved as an accurate record and will be signed by the Chairman at the next meeting.

3 Accounts and financial matters

In the absence of Mike Saunders (Clerk and Financial Officer), no accounts were submitted for approval

4 Matters arising

Cllr. Ramsay raised the question of replacement grit bins, following on from the discussion on the topic at the February 2018 meeting. Councillors thanked Helen Spooner for respraying the existing blue/black bins since that discussion but agreed that sturdier types were still required in certain new and existing locations around the village. It was agreed that Cllr. Ramsay should ascertain the locations, and the type and price of the recommended bins, for resolution of the matter at the May meeting.

5 Planning

- 18/00687/FUL Full Application for Variation of Condition 2 (plan numbers) of permission 17/01207/FUL (Erection of an outbuilding) to allow replacement of glazed screen with timber doors at Waterbank. No Objection.
- 18/00157/FUL Full Application for Change of type of camping within existing camp site to allow campervans and motorhomes at Ashspring Camp Site. No Objection.
- 17/03994/LBC Listed Building Consent for Internal alterations: to include removal of sections of floors and ceilings to create No.2 Galleries, removal of staircase, relocation of corridor partition and associated works at The Manor. No Objection.
- 6 Reports from County and District Councillors

Neither present at the meeting.

7 Correspondence

The Chairman read from a letter from Mahala Plater requesting that a rubbish bin be located in New Bridge Lane. After discussion it was agreed that, although there is certainly a problem with rubbish dumping at this location, it was not of the sort that would be reduced by the provision of a bin. Rather, it is almost certainly caused by people in vehicles throwing refuse, mostly bottles and cans, out of car windows as they drive along the lane. In response to a request from Marian Surch, Cllr. Ramsay agreed to ask if the local police would patrol the area more frequently in an attempt to reduce the problem. Marian Surch volunteered to arrange for a litter pick along New Bridge Lane, and Cllr. Durrant agreed to ask CDC to supply rubbish sacks and picking equipment accordingly. He reported that a recent litter pick on the roads around the village had yielded 10 large sacks of mostly discarded wine bottles and beer cans.

8 Any other business

Christine Brain reported that an electric car had been parked on the pavement by the Lamb Inn whilst it recharged its batteries from a line strung from a window of the Inn, causing inconvenience to pedestrians and other motorists. On a different matter, she suggested that the fast-flowing spring by Pond Bank Green had been caused by the trenching work performed by Gigaclear when they installed cabling around the village. It was agreed that the Clerk should contact them and request that they return to rectify the situation.

9 Date of next meeting (AGM) 1st May 2018

The Meeting closed at 7.20