

MINUTES OF MEETING OF ASSINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Held in Assington Village Hall on Monday 7th January 2013

Present: Councillors S Thorogood (Chairman), C Heseltine, B Stacey, R Symonds and K Tatum.

Attending: D Crimmin (Clerk).

13/001 Apologies for Absence

Cllrs King and Symons gave their apologies.

13/002 Declaration of Interest

Cllr Symonds declared a pecuniary interest in agenda item 13/006b as she owns the property and left the meeting while this item was discussed.

13/003 Requests for Dispensation

None were requested.

13/004 Minutes of Meeting held on 26th November 2012

The minutes of the meeting were approved and signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

13/005 Public Forum

There were no members of the public present.

13/006 Planning

- a. The councillors reviewed Planning Application **B/12/01413 Hill Farm, The Street** - Application for Listed Building Consent - Conversion of barn to form 1 No. dwelling and annexe and resolved to support the application. The councillors felt that it would be better to preserve part of the old barn rather than letting it all rot and that the solution offered appeared to be viable from a restoration perspective. The councillors were surprised that the paperwork received for the application did not match that contained on the Babergh website.
- b. The councillors reviewed Planning Application **B/12/01465 Dows Hall Cottages, Bures Road** - Erection of two-storey side extension and resolved to support the application.
- c. No further planning application had been received since the agenda was posted.

13/007 Question to the Chair

Cllr Heseltine raised the concerns that Assington Village Charity has with the existing arrangements with Ryes School for car parking in the Village Hall overflow car park.

13/008 Dates of next meeting

The next scheduled meeting of APC will take place on the 28th January 2013 starting at 7.30pm.

The meeting closed at 7.58pm

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