

# **MINUTES OF GILLINGHAM PARISH COUNCIL MONTHLY MEETING**

## **JULY 2019**

A Meeting of Gillingham Parish Council was held at the village hall on Wednesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> July, 2019, at 7:30pm.

**Parish Ten - parishioners slot.** Four members of the public attended. The Waterloo representative attended to update the parish council on the Waterloo sign that has disappeared. This was reported to Highways last April and finally an answer has been received that they are not interested in replacing the sign in the hedge opposite the turning. South Norfolk Council have responded that Waterloo might need permission to erect a new sign. The representative said he felt that the sign is vital as he has been overtaken on the wrong side of the road while waiting to turn in.

Suggestion of putting plastic spikes on top of the playground swings to try and prevent birds landing received.

**Apologies – none.**

**Minutes of Last Meeting -** Minutes approved by the council, signed by Cllr Massingham.

**Declaration of Interests - none**

### **Village Matters**

Cllr Hoare asked if we needed to replace the playground gate which was currently permanently open. Cllr Massingham said he would look at the prices for a new lightweight gate. A sofa has been dumped over the footbridge towards the church – report to SNC for retrieval and disposal. The council discussed the encroachment of a fence onto the playground land and will be investigating this with a view to rectifying the situation, along with the pile of garden waste left nearby.

### **Correspondence**

Rangers email asking if there are any jobs needing attention.

### **Planning Matters**

Cllr Warman said he would like to see the details for the development management committee's meeting widely publicised regarding the proposed new housing development which is due to take place on 21st August. Clerk to put up separate notices.

### **Finance**

Clerks tax £195.60 (1/4)  
£20 income from litter pick

### **Any Other Business**

Work repairing Dunburgh steps is progressing well.

**Date of Next Meeting:** Please note that the next meeting will be held on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September, 2019 (no meeting in August) and will start at 7.30pm. Everybody is welcome to attend.

ALLOTMENTS RENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED BEFORE THE MEETING – SEE SEPARATE NOTICE FOR DETAILS.

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