

**Minutes of the Meeting of  
Tetsworth Parish Council  
Held in the Memorial Hall  
at 7.30pm on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2011**

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**Present:** Cllr. Jenny Kellond (JK) (Chairman)  
Cllr. John Thompson (JT)  
Cllr. Hazel Bottone (HB)  
Cllr. Karen Harris (KH)  
Cllr. Martin Redman (MR)  
Cllr. Martin Petheram (MP)

**Officer:** Sarah Pullen

**Members of the Public:** 2

- 019/11 Apologies for Absence  
Cllr. Hazel Bottone, Cllr. Roger Belson, Cllr. Dorothy Brown, PCSO Jacky Madden.
- 020/11 To receive Declarations of Interest  
*To receive any declarations of interest from Councillors relating to items to be considered at the meeting in accordance with the provisions of the Councils Local Code of Conduct.*  
Cllr. Martin Redman declared a prejudicial interest in the item – Grants – Tetsworth Fete as his wife applied for the grant on behalf of the TSSC. He signed the declaration of interest book and did not vote on this item.
- 021/11 Minutes of the Council Meeting held on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> January 2011 to be signed as a correct record  
That minute 14/11 should read new road surface at Loudwater not Hazelmere.  
002/11 Dorothy Brown sent apologies.  
**Resolved:** That with the above correct these minutes, are a correct record and that they be signed by the Chairman.
- 022/11 Matters arising from the minutes  
There were none.
- 023/11 District Councillors Report.  
There was no representative.
- 024/11 County Councillors Report  
There was no representative.
- 025/11 To approve Expenditure and sign the following cheques:  
S. Pullen £230.18  
SODC – Dog Bins £34.25  
War Memorial Plants £25.18  
Vision ICT Ltd £147.00  
Mr Clarke £73.98
- 026/11 Grants  
Mr Alan Martin withdrew his application for a grant towards a Village Party.  
**Resolved:** To award 2010/2011 grants to:  
Senior Citizens Christmas Party £200  
Tetsworth Newsletter £200  
The Village Fete £200  
The M40 CEG £200

St Giles Church £200  
The Clerk to update budget figures for the next meeting.

026/11 To receive the Monthly Financial Report

**Balances:**

Current Account: £251.76  
Savings Account: £11657.38  
High Interest Account: £10000.00

**Resolved:** To accept the monthly report.

027/11 Youth Development on the Green

JK, KH and the Clerk met with Wheelskape, a company from Bristol. They will have a proposal and some plans ready for our March meeting.

MR has obtained a quote for putting a drainage pipe into the entrance which is £825 plus VAT.

A letter has been received from Planning saying that no planning permission is required for this site.

No responses have been received to letters sent by JK to Mr Hope and Mr Nixey.

028/11 Planning

**Planning Decisions:**

P10/E1746 – Little Acre, High Street, Tetsworth – **REFUSED**  
Erection of an agricultural barn.

P10/E1391 – Mellon Place Stud, Attington House, Tetsworth – **GRANTED**  
Erection of indoor exercising and training facility and attached equestrian storage/workshop/machinery and implement store. Formation of yard, turning and manoeuvring area (amendments to scheme approved under ref: P07/E1458)

P10/E1767 – Attington House, High Street, Tetsworth - **GRANTED**  
Demolition of existing dwelling and attached service wing, attached outbuildings, detached garage/annex, separate garden/sunroom and pool building. Erection of new country house with attached garage block, home office, au-pair suite and outbuilding. Formation of new drive and parking area. Detailed landscape works. (Re-submission of scheme permitted under P10/E1225 to incorporate a basement).

**Planning Applications:**

P10/E0057 – Dove Cottage, 5 Parkers Hill, Tetsworth  
Erection of a garden shed.

**APPROVED – UNANIMOUS**

R3.0018/11 – Tetsworth County Primary School  
Trim Trail.

**APPROVED - UNANIMOUS**

029/11 Village Environment

The Clerk is meeting with the Oxfordshire Local Highways Representative – Keith Stenning at 10.00am on 2<sup>nd</sup> March to discuss Salt Bins. Should also show him damage to the verges in Parkers Hill.

030/11 Common and Parish Land

There is nothing to report.

031/11 M40 Group

JT has had a meeting with the Regional Director of the Highways Agency and the Leader of Wycombe District Council. The HA have confirmed that any future maintenance work done on the M40 will be carried out using the new quiet surface. Have also agreed that the 'blue spots' identified by Defra as having the worst noise, are a priority. There are 16 of these in the Tetsworth area.

MR reported that a road through Miss Tanners field is planned to build a 'bund' from the Vicarage to the M40 bridge.

**Resolved:** That JT/JK contact the solicitor Mike Honeyball to find out more details.

032/11 The Patch

Mr Clarke has carried out the repairs as discussed at our last meeting and has presented an invoice as agreed at the January meeting. JK is going to paint preservative.

033/11 To consider the following correspondence

002 David Mellor – Light at Attington Stud

**Resolved:** That JK investigate. Clerk to write back to Mr Mellor.

003 The Local Government Boundary Commission – Electoral Review of Oxfordshire - Noted

004 John Howell MP – Details of surgeries/broadband survey - Noted

005 Oxfordshire County Council – Oxfordshire Play Space Survey 2011

(responses by 26/2/11). – Noted.

006 High Sheriff of Oxfordshire – HS Awards - Noted

007 SODC – Agenda for Standards Committee - Noted

008 Steve Shaw – Sustainable Communities Act - Noted

009 OCC – OxOnline – Improving broadband and mobile coverage - Noted

010 OCVA – Grants – Red Nose Day Community Cash scheme. – Noted.

034/11 Any other business for discussion

Memorial Hall – Have requested that the Village Hall Committee write to us to say what funds they are looking for to complete their project.

**Resolved:** That Clerk has budget figures ready for next meeting to look at Earmarked funds for this project.

JK attended a meeting with the Village Hall Committee with Emmetts with regards to the proposed development at Mount Hill Farm. They are looking to assist with funding the hall depending on the final size of any development. They will look to do a consultation after the elections in May.

JT reported that he has attended the local Parish Council meeting in Thame. Cuddington Village have a new website which has cost £2100. Suggested that we look at this to see if there is anything we can add to our website to improve it.

Village Plan - Cllr. Petheram is going to review the Village Plan and progress.

PCSO Jacky Madden has requested a list of events in Tetsworth. She would like to bring a Police stand to future events.

035/11 The following dates have been set for future meetings:

April Meeting – Monday 11<sup>th</sup> April

The Annual Parish Meeting – Monday 18<sup>th</sup> April.

The Annual Meeting of the Parish Council – Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May

018/11 Date of Next Meeting

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> March

**THERE BEING NO OTHER BUSINESS THE MEETING CLOSED AT 9.15pm**