MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE REEDLEY HALLOWS PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON THE 23 NOVEMBER 2020. BY MEANS OF ZOOM.

PRESENT: Councillor P.V.Bates in the Chair;

Councillors C. Johnson, L. Oddie and I. Shutt;

Ian Woolstencroft – Clerk.

Stephen Bates – Parish Lengthsman .

ALSO PRESENT: Roman Korol ( member of the public who is interested in becoming a Parish

Councillor.)

12 . PUBLIC QUESTIONS.

There were no public questions.

13 . DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST.

Members were reminded of the requirements by the Chair. There were no declarations

of interest on this agenda.

14. RECORD OF MEMBERS INTERESTS.

All members interests were confirmed as up to date.

15. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE.

No apologies for absence were received.

16 MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING.

RESOLVED: That the Minutes of the meeting held on the 14 July, 2020 copies of

which had previously been circulated were approved and signed by the Chair as a

correct record.

17. PARISH COUNCIL – MEMBER VACANCY – CO-OPTED MEMBER – ROMAN KOROL.

The Clerk reported that there was currently one vacancy on the Parish Council . He

further reported that Roman Korol who lived within the Parish wished to be co-opted

on to the Parish Council.

RESOLVED: That Roman Korol be co-opted on to the Reedley Hallows Parish Council

and the Clerk be requested to make the necessary arrangements in consultation with

Pendle Borough Council.

18. CLERK’S REPORT / CORRESPONDENCE.

* Pendle Council Task Force – Coronavirus Pandemic .

The Clerk reported the receipt of an e mail from Philip Mousdale , Pendle Council dated 9 November, 2020 which explained that for several months Pendle Council has had a Task Force charged with leading the response to dealing with the coronavirus pandemic in the area. The Council have put a good deal of information on their website and issued numerous communications through social media the aim being to provide residents with full information about the virus and help them understand the need to follow the Governments Restrictions and Guidelines. At a recent meeting the Task Force discussed whether local organisations and groups could help with engaging with residents and he was asked to contact all town and parish councils . The Task Force welcome the thoughts of such bodies and are happy to meet with Parish Councils to discuss them further.

RESOLVED: That at this point in time the Parish Council are not aware of any ways they could be involved with local residents on this issue, however, Members are invited to give the matter further thought and, if they come up with any ideas to pass them on to the Clerk for further discussion.

19. FINANCE.

RESOLVED: That the following items be approved and noted.

* Bank balances as at 30 October, 2020– Business Premium Account £4,240.75

Business Community Account £21,769.27

* Clerk’s salary and expenses for July, 2020 £236.66, August, September and October, 2020 £240.48 all paid by Standing Order.

* Clerk’s Tax for July, 2020 £47.60, for August, September and October, 2020 £48.60.
* Lengthsman’s Fees for July, August and September, 2020 54 hours at £9.58 per hour = £517.32
* Mayor’s Tail Weedkiller and Sprayer – Total Cost £63.13
* Insurance Premium £257.60 (same as 2019).
* Room Hire – Pendleside Hospice – for November and December, 2019 and January, February and March, 2020 £75.00.
* SELRAP - Annual Subscription £15.00
* Stately Lighting – Installation, Removal and Storage of 14 Wave Column Motifs £2,569.22 inc VAT.

20. ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES.

* Parish Lengthsman’s Report.

The Parish Lengthsman’s reports for July , August and September, 2020 were noted. He drew attention to the use of a Weedkiller to treat the Mayor’s Tails in the Roundwood Gardens Flower Bed which appeared to have been effective. Furthermore he reported that he had checked all the red grit bins which are the responsibility of the Parish Council and everything seemed in order .

21. PLANNING APPLICATIONS.

The Clerk reported that the following planning application had been received by

Pendle Council relating to the Reedley Hallows area since the last meeting of the

Parish Council:-

* 20/0405/ HHO – 11A Hawthorne Avenue, Reedley – Erection of a single storey extension.
* 20/0292/FULL – Land to the South of the Motorway Bridge, Clitheroe Road, Brierfield – Change of Use of agricultural land to horse grazing and erection of a stable building and outdoor menage.
* 20/0468/HHO – 4 Hillside Avenue, Reedley – Erection of a single storey side and rear extension.
* 20/0533/HHO – 30 Meadow Close, Reedley – Roof lift to form first floor and second floor in roof space and erection of two storey extensions to both sides.
* 20/ 0672/LBC – Greenhead Farm, Greenhead Lane, Brierfield – Listed Building Consent - Part Rebuild of south west gable elevation.
* 20/0703/ FULL – Barden Lane Stables, Barden Lane, Brierfield – Change of use of land to be used for outdoor recreation Airsoft ( Sui Generis) and erection of associated game structures.
* 20/ 0772/HHO – 51 Reedley Drive, Reedley – Erection of roof lift to facilitate first floor accommodation, 2 storey front extension , front ground floor bay window extension and pitched roof over existing single storey garage.

RESOLVED: That the Parish Council have no objections to any of these applications.

22. . COUNCILLORS LOCAL ISSUES.

* Parish Councillors -

Councillor Johnson reported that since the last meeting of the Parish Council the MP for Burnley had written to the Clerk and outlined action being taken by Pendle Council where appropriate in consultation with the Environment Agency arising from complaints made by the Parish Council and local residents concerning the Royle Equestrian Centre . Pendle Council had informed the owner of the site that he had 8 weeks from the middle of September, 2020 to remove items which had been deposited next to the river. She reported that those items hadn’t yet been removed therefore she had informed the Pendle Council and she had received another letter from the MP today .

RESOLVED: That the position be noted.

1. DATE AND TIME OF THE NEXT MEETING.

RESOLVED: That the next meeting of the Parish Council be held on the 14

December, 2020 by means of Zoom.

The Chair thanked the Clerk for setting the meeting up and those Councillors who had got involved.

The meeting finished at 8.20pm.

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