



SOUTH PETHERTON PARISH COUNCIL

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Public Session

Mrs D Kingston

Spoke regarding the outline Planning Application 18/01481/OUT

Mr S Travers

Spoke regarding Planning Application 18/03416/FUL

Mrs J Hodges

Spoke on behalf of the Scouts in respect of their Grant Application

Mr S Elswood

Spoke regarding Planning Application 18/03416/FUL

Cllr Adam Dance – County Councillor report

- Update on the Hospital Footpath

Cllr Crispins Raikes – District Councillor report

- Not specifically SSDC, but Cllr Raikes gave an update on the progress of the Co-op works.

The Chair thanked all contributors.

The Minutes

Minutes of a Parish Council Meeting of South Petherton Parish Council held at The William Blake Memorial Hall, Market Square, South Petherton on Monday 7th January 2019 when the following business was conducted.

PRESENT Councillors A Dance (Chair) D Hodson-Wright, D Williams, N Wakely, B Apps, C Salway, A Allen, C Raikes, S Spiers, Claire Bragg together with the Parish Clerk Mrs K Alford.

Some 32 members of the public were also in attendance.

57.1 To receive any apologies for non-attendance

Cllrs T New, B Chitty & C Hockey

57.2 To receive and declarations of interest

None

57.3 To receive and approve the Minutes of the Meeting of South Petherton Parish Council held on Monday 10th December 2018.

Approved and signed.

57.4 Past Subject Matters for the purpose of report only

(1) Update on last meetings actions.

- **Cricket Nets** – process in place for drawing down funding.
- **SIDS** – purchase in progress for SIDS machines
- **Update on Fingerpost for Compton Road.**
- **Update on Co-op redevelopment and temporary closure.**

57.5 Chair’s Announcements

The Chair spoke regarding the possible reintroduction of Chair Awards for the Parish.

57.6 Resolutions

(1) To resolve to discuss and make a decision regarding Planning Application 18/01481/OUT – Outline application for the erection of 6 dwellings, resubmitted – Land east of Stoodham, South Petherton.

(2) Resolved to confirm the decision below.

18/01481/ OUT	Outline application for the erection of 6 dwellings (resubmitted) Land East of Stoodham, South Petherton, Somerset	<p>The Committee was presented with a petition of over 75 signatures. Committee strongly objects to the application for the following reasons:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Highways access to and from the junction of Silver Street • Safety of the junction of Silver Street • Level of traffic being more than the Highway is suited for. <p>7 against application / 3 abstentions</p>
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(3) To resolve to discuss and make a decision regarding Planning Application 18/03416/FUL – The demolition of redundant commercial buildings and the erection of 9 No. dwellings – Land rear of The Old Garage, West Street, South Petherton TA13 5DJ.

Resolved to confirm the decision below.

18/03416/ FUL	The demolition of redundant commercial buildings and the erection of 9 No. dwellings. Land rear of The Old Garage, West Street, South Petherton TA13 5DJ	<p>Committee approve the application for the following recommendations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Committee would like to see clear and detailed reports & conditions set by Highways, Wessex Water & the Environment Agency, with particular reference to water run off, mains drainage & dispersal. <p>5 for / 3 against / 2 abstentions</p>
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(4) To resolve to discuss the quotation from Church & Public Clock Specialists in respect of Crumbleholms Clock, and to agree to a course of action with regards to completion of repairing and re-siting the clock.

Resolved for Cllr Wakley proceed to continue to research options and obtain quotations for repairing and re-siting the clock.

(5) To resolve to Grant the South Petherton Scout Group £1600 towards a new trailer.

Following amendment to the amount requested by the Scout Group, it was **resolved** to Grant £1000 to the South Petherton Scout Group towards a new trailer.

(a) To note the following items of expenditure & agree payment:

			£	£
(189)	Rialtas	Alpha Finance software	119.00	23.80
(190)	SLCC	Updated Ed's of Council Laws	128.79	
(191)	Tims Wines	Refreshments for Dec meeting	54.40	13.60
	Total		302.19	37.40

(b) To note the following items of expenditure received after the distribution of the Agenda:

(192)	Heather McMillan	Parish Link Worker – Dec 2018	324.00	
(193)	Barnstore	Parish Storage – Dec 2018	141.00	
(194)	Somerset Landscapes	Grass maintenance – Dec	960.50	192.10
(195)	Clerks Salaries	December 2018	2150.25	
(196)	HMRC	PAYE December 2018	529.08	
(197)	PATA Payroll	Payroll set up & Dec 2018	35.00	
(198)	Microshade	Computers services	98.90	19.78
(199)	InTouch CRM	Website/email hosting	134.50	26.90
(200)	Advanced Arboriculture	Tree Safety Inspection	550.00	110.00
(201)	Mr K Harris	Parish Maintenance Dec 2018	707.50	
(202)	Mr P Shoemark	Christmas Lights takedown	120.00	
(203)	Blake Hall	Hall Hire Sept- Dec 2018	110.50	
(204)	Barnstore	Parish Storage – Jan 2019	141.00	
	Total		6002.23	348.78

57.8 Planning Committee Report**(a) To receive the minutes of the Planning Committee held on Monday 10th December 2018, and to note the decisions.**

Received and noted.

57.9 Open Spaces Committee Report**(a) To receive the minutes of the Open Space Committee held on Monday 10th December 2018, and to note the decisions.**

Received and noted.

57.10 To receive any additional information on the following:-

(a)	Allotments	NW
(b)	Cemetery –	KA
(c)	Footpaths & Bridle Ways	PK
(d)	Roads & Transport	CR
(e)	Recreation Ground	DW
(f)	Play Area	TN
(g)	TA13 – Deadline for next edition is 19 th January 2019	BC
(h)	Website	TN
(i)	SPIB	DHW
(j)	Blake Hall	AA/CH
(k)	SPRINC	KA
(l)	CLT	BC
(m)	Youth Council	AD
(n)	Youth Management	DP
(o)	LIC	DW
(p)	Mere Lynches Charity	CH

- (1) SALC
- (2) Councillors
 - Cllr Salway reminded Councillors that the Budget/Precept agreement is in process for this and next month.
 - Cllr Wakely reported on a discussion regarding the Library building.
- (3) Chairman
- (4) The Clerk
 - Update on Co-op letter residents.
 - Information on pending tree surgery work at the cemetery.
- (5) Parish Link Worker & Village Agent – reports have been circulated.

57.12 Other Business referred to the Clerk

None

57.13 Dates of next Meetings –

Finance & General Purposes Committee – Monday 4th February 2019

Open Spaces Committee – Monday 4th February 2019

Planning Committee – Monday 4th February 2019

Parish Council – Monday 4th February 2019, all to be held at The William Blake Memorial Hall.