

Sutton Parish Council
Minutes of Meeting, Tuesday 13th October 2020 in the Bowls Hut

Present: N Albertini, S Collins, J Schafer, A McManus.

Also present: G Franks, P Youngs, D Gunson, I Franks.

Prior to the meeting a visual risk assessment was made, and the seating etc arranged to ensure appropriate social distancing.

1. Apologies – There were none.

The Chair announced that Wayne Chapman had decided not to accept co-option on to the Parish Council.

All other other previous Councillors were willing to be co-opted.

2. Declarations of Interest – There were none.

3,4. Minutes of meeting 8th Oct – accepted. No matters arising.

5. Planning Applications – Since last reporting approvals have been given for:

Pink Cottage, Eves Cottage, Nut Tree Farm, Broxstead Unit, Haddon Hall trees and News Hill Barns material changes.

Woodhall Barn application has been withdrawn.

Newly arrived planning application for Sutton Hall and SH farm buildings. This is a very big application. It is suggested that all Cllrs have a look at it, and probably make a site visit.

6. Finance - The Audit report was accepted and it's comments acknowledged.

Three invoices and cheques were processed.

7. Correspondence was noted with no issues arising.

We still intend to have our litter pick in March. We need to find out if there is still an offer from Norse to contribute to costs.

There was general disapproval of the consequences of the planning deregulations.

8. Any other business - There is still dissatisfaction with the way Open Reach have dealt with Broadband connections within Sutton.

All Cllrs are unhappy about the recent events that led to our suspension. It was agreed to take no further action, and it was regretted that none of us had noticed a warning that SALC are said to have given.

Condolences were offered to the Parish Clerk who's health had prevented her from attending, and we owed her our thanks for having 'held the fort' for the past few months.

Date and time of next meeting – Tuesday 24th November at 7.00pm in Bowls Club.