

Minutes of Ingham Annual Parish Meeting, Annual General and Parish Council 26th May 2021 at Ingham Village Hall

Present: Mr. M. Burdett, Mr. F. Piggin, Mr. C. Pestell, Mrs. M. Bennett, Mrs. S Bush and Mr. J Deane and County Councillor Mr R Price

Apologies: Mr. D. Ames and Ms L. Shires District Councillor

Annual Parish Meeting

There were no minutes of the last meeting as no meeting was held due to Covid restrictions.

A report by Ms L. Shires District Councillor was presented to the meeting. Ingham is relatively quiet with regards to casework.

The Councillor is still able to issue Food Bank vouchers for those who need them and there are funds available for fuel should anyone need support with keeping warm or general electricity bills.

It was noted that the orchids had again been cut by the County Council's contractors. This was very disappointing given the assurances that had been previously received and that there were posts marking the area as a roadside nature reserve. Apologies had again been received and the County Councillor had raised the issue. It was agreed that the County Council would be reminded re the roadside nature reserve next spring and that the Councillors would add additional markers.

Annual General Meeting

The outgoing Chair Mrs M Bennett was thanked for all her hard work during her time as Chair.

The Clerk took the Chair and asked for nominations for Chair and Vice Chair. Mr. J Deane was nominated by Mr. C. Pestell and seconded by Mr. F. Piggin as Chair and Mr. F. Piggin was nominated as Vice Chair by Mr. M. Burdett and seconded by Mrs. M. Bennett. They were elected unopposed.

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No business was raised

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Minutes of the March 21 Parish Council meeting

These were agreed proposed Mrs M Bennett and seconded by Mr. F. Piggin.

Matters Arising

Footpath 8

Mrs M Bennet gave an update on the issue of the footpath 8 at Sea Palling Road and the error in its drafting. The County were suggesting that a dedication agreement, subject to the landowner's approval was the quickest and simplest route to rectify the issue. The landowner's details had been passed to County from them to liaise.

Village litter pick

It was agreed that this would take place in September and that the sacks and collection of them would be organised by Mr J Deane.

Correspondence

All circulated by email.

Trees for the Queen – it was agreed that the village should take part in this and areas for planting should be identified. The Clerk advised that there was £331 in the tree fund.

Finance

The Clerk presented the accounts and the annual return. No queries were raised and they were proposed by Mr. F. Piggin and seconded by Mr. M. Burdett.

A cheque to Ingham Village Hall for £72 for hall hire was proposed by Mr. F. Piggin and seconded by Mr. M. Burdett.

Planning

PF/21/1153 - Ingham - Grange Barn, Grove Road, Ingham – no objections raised. It was noted that previous similar applications had been restricted to the number of outside buildings that could be erected.

Any Other Business

The County Councillor gave an update on his work and council roles.

Date of next meetings

28 July 2021

29th September 2021

24th November 2021

26th January 2022 and

30th March 2022

Public Question time

None