

Hacheston Parish Council Meeting

Held at 7.30 pm in the meeting room of the Village Hall

Wednesday 28th September 2022

Minutes

Present: Cllrs Revill (Chair), Markham, and Mee. Mrs Sarah Mott (Clerk to the Council, minutes)

Public: There was one member of the public present (name held with Chair)

1. **Apologies:** Cllrs Poulter, Burroughes, Leach, Hurlock, Hall.
2. **Declarations of Interest and dispensations:** No declarations were made for matters on the agenda.
3. **To consider confirming the Minutes:** The minutes of the Annual Parish Council Meeting of 8th July 2022 were confirmed and signed.

4. Public forum

The Chairman of the Hacheston Village Hall trustees thanked Hacheston Parish Council for their support of the improvements to the Petanque court. These are nearing completion.

5. Reports received from

5.1. **East Suffolk District Councillor** Stephen Burroughes.

6. Quiet Lanes Suffolk

6.1. Marlesford Lane sign has been installed

6.2. Easton Lane – no update received.

7. Financial

7.1. An outline of finances was provided to the meeting a full audit of income and expenditure will follow in future meetings.

7.2. Investigation to be completed as to provenance of income received from East Suffolk County Council as listed in the financial update.

8. Planning

8.1. **Sizewell** - Southern Park and Ride Parishes Meeting: Councillors are attempting to secure a further meeting with EDF.

8.2. DC/22/2701/FUL Terra Cotta, Easton Lane: The parish council objected to the plan to build two houses on the land adjacent to the renovated bungalow.. East Suffolk Council subsequently refused the application.

8.3. **Wickham Market Newsletter**

Councillors requested more information on what was needed for this and the cost involved.

9. Village Hall renovations

As previously noted in point 4, works are underway. The Parish Council have requested that invoices are directed to them for payment in this instance.

10. Traffic Calming Measures

This issue was raised by a member of the public following the construction of traffic calming measures and signage in Easton.

Councillor Revill referred to a meeting with SCC Highways in 2019 when all the traffic calming measures available in Hacheston were outlined. It was concluded that Speed Indicator Devices are effective and HPC had subsequently purchased a second unit. Further measures include a crossing island.

Hacheston residents continue to raise the issue of traffic speeding through the village and it is perceived that the situation is worsening. Further consideration of mitigation measures is needed.

The next meeting is scheduled for 9th November. With no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Signed: *A Revill* Date *23rd November 2022*
Chair