

KENNETT PARISH COUNCIL**MINUTES OF PARISH COUNCIL MEETING held at Kennett County Primary School on Wednesday 10th November 2004 at 7.30pm****Present:**

Mrs Pamela Evans, Chairperson
 Mr Keith Mobbs, Vice Chairman
 Mrs Jackie Hughes, Parish Clerk
 Mrs Diane Wallis

Mr Michael Allan, District Councillor
 Mr John Abbott, District Councillor

1. Apologies for absence

Dr John Gumpert
 Mr Robin Watson
 Mrs Judy Broadway, County Councillor

2. The Minutes of the last meeting held on 6th October were confirmed as a correct record and signed by the Chairperson.**3. Matters arising from the Minutes**

Memorial stones. IMI inspected the memorial stones on 12th October. All dangerous stones were either staked or laid flat. The parish council have to ensure that all owners of staked stones are notified that they have six months to make them safe, if not the parish council can arrange it and charge them for it. The stones that were laid flat will have to be either reinstated or buried. This will be arranged in the spring.

ACRE Rural Housing Enabler. Michael Allan contacted the ECDC Housing Officer who wrote to say that Allan Newport Ltd did not want to sell the land. The parish council approved site 2 in Dane Hill Road. The clerk to contact Lofts Property & Trading Co Ltd .to see if they own the land, then advise the Rural Housing Enabler

New street lighting. The new column on the corner of Station Road and Church Lane has now been erected and is working.

Village tidiness. The hedges in Station Road have been trimmed back.

The clerk to inform Alfred McAlpine that there is a lamp out in Station Road and two lamps are on all day

Parish Council lighting maintenance. Alfred McAlpine has supplied an inventory of the parish council lights listing column number, column/bracket type, location, lamp type, lamp wattage and switching regime. The clerk to write to Cambs CC about the maintenance scheme.

Jointly Funded Minor Highways Improvements 2005/06. No news.

Kennett Landfill Site. Construction of a landfill gas utilisation compound to Control and convert landfill gas into electricity. Pam Evans, Keith Mobbs and John Gumpert visited Milton to inspect similar scheme there, they were satisfied that it would be safe and would not be noisy.

4. **Police and Community** There were two burglaries and gardening equipment stolen from the church during October.

The Open Out Co-ordinator has asked for an article about hate crime to be included in the local newsletter, the clerk to contact Ann Hazelhurst.

5. **Donations** The following were approved by the parish council.

Newmarket Day Centre	50.00
Kennett PCC	125.00
Kennett & Kentford Village Hall	75.00
East Anglia Air Ambulance	25.00

6. **Accounts for payment**

The following accounts were passed for payment:

Eon Energy – October supply	23.91
IMI – Memorial inspections	1151.50

Confirmation of petty cash payments made: 1.06

Postage stamps 1.00

Transfer of £1000.00 from Deposit to Current was approved.

7. **Planning matters**

E/03004/04/CW	Importation, crushing, screening and processing of construction and demolition waste Land at, Plantation Farm, Red Lodge, Kennett	Committee meeting 01/11/04 cancelled
E/03013/04/CW	Construction of a landfill gas utilisation compound to Control and convert landfill gas into electricity Kennett Landfill Site Kennett Hall Farm Estate Dane Hill Road Kennett	No objections
04/01233/FUL	Single story extension to the rear of the property to accommodate kitchen and utility room 7 Dane Hill Road Kennett	No objections
04/01199/CLE	Certificate of lawfulness of existing use for offices and premises for a general construction and civil engineering company Site west of 10A Dane Hill Road Kennett	See note 1 below

8. **Correspondence**

CALC	Office staffing & Quality Status updates	Noted
CALC	Training – Certificate in Local Council Administration	Noted
CALC	Guide to Quality Council	Noted
Cambs CC	Community Support Service Workers	Notice Board
Cambs CC	Lost Highways Project	Noted

		(460)
Cambs CC	Organising Events on Roads	Noted
Cambs CC	Parish Path Partnership 2005/06	Noted
Cambs CC	Winter Gritting & Snow Clearing	Noted
CRNE	E Bulletin	Noted
CPRE	Countryside Voice	Noted
Clerks & Councils	Magazine	Noted
ECDC	Parish Forum Agenda	Noted
ECDC	Goalpost Safety	Noted
ECDC	Leisure & Tourism Strategy Draft Consultation 2005/8	Noted
ECDC	Draft Statement of Licensing Policy Licensing Act 2003	Noted
ECDC	Draft Statement of Licensing Policy Licensing Act 2003 clarification	Noted
ECDC	Meeting with Licensees to Discuss Licensing Act 2003	Noted
ECDC	Basketball Coaching Workshop	Noted
ECDC	Christmas & New Year Refuse & Recycling Collections	Notice Board
ECDC	Mediation Delegated Meeting – Planning Applications	Noted
Highways Agency	East of England Roadworks & Traffic Information Autumn 2004	Noted
Local Channel	Web site	Noted
Newmarket Comm P'ship	Steering Group	Noted
Newmarket Comm P'ship	Public Meeting for Newmarket Parking	Noted
Newmarket Day Centre	Annual Review	Noted
Office of Deputy Prime Minister	New Ethical Framework Regulations	Noted
SLCC	Regional One Day Conference	Noted
Soham Village Collage	Governors Community Education Committee	Noted
Standards Board	Code of Conduct - Freemasonry	Noted
Sutton Parish	Parish Plan Steering Group	Noted

Notes

1. Further information is required, the Clerk to advise John Gumpert and liase with Pam Evans, then write if necessary to ECDC with any objections.

9. Date and venue of next meeting

The next meeting will be held at The Pavilion, Kennett Playing Field, on Wednesday 15th December at 7.30pm