

MINUTE 139

MINUTES OF THE EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF WHILTON PARISH COUNCIL HELD IN THE VILLAGE HALL AT 7.30 P.M. ON MONDAY 3RD AUGUST 2009

The following Councillors attended:

Mr Mike Lewis in the chair, Mr Ken Bowers, Mr Jonathan Hanslip, Miss Nora Swinford and Mr Michael Thomas

Mr John Townley with Mr Jeff Paybody and Mr Roy Hammond of Howkins and Harrison attended and also four members of the public.

Apologies were received from Mrs Sue Wingrave.

OPEN FORUM FOR PARISHIONERS

Concerns were expressed about drainage problems at the bottom of the village.

1. DECLARATION OF COUNCILLORS' INTERESTS RELEVANT TO MATTERS ARISING ON THIS AGENDA

No declarations were made.

2. FINANCE

It was resolved to confirm the following expenditure:

| Cheque no. | | | | VAT to reclaim |
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| 722 | E. ON | Electricity | 126.86 | 6.04 |

3. PLANNING

Planning Application DA/2009/0515: **Home Farm Grounds, Brington Lane:**
Agricultural dwelling and livestock agricultural building

At this point the Chairman closed the meeting and opened it to the public to examine and consider the plans, and to ask questions of Mr Townley and his agents. The main matters discussed concerned the independent control of effluent, possible changes in the amount of traffic through the village, the lack of a planting plan, and the possibility of toning down the colour of the agricultural building.

After this discussion, the Chairman closed the public forum and re-opened the meeting.

It was proposed by Mr Bowers, seconded by Mr Hanslip and unanimously agreed that the Parish Council would support the application, with the following conditions:

- The agricultural building shall be of a colour to blend in with the environment.
- There shall be an approved tree planting scheme to be completed within the standard time scale, to screen the agricultural building from the public highway and the village.

The meeting closed at 9 p.m.