

Barnack and Pilsgate

Annual Village Meeting 2017

Minutes of the Annual Village Meeting held at 7.00pm
on Monday 8 May 2017 in Barnack Village Hall.

Draft minutes to be approved at the next Annual Meeting.

1. Those in attendance: *72 Residents (including Representatives of local organisations and 6 Parish Councillors), and Ward Councillor David Over.*
2. Apologies for absence: *Parish Councillor Phil Broughton.*
3. Welcome by the Chairman of the Parish Council, Harry Brassey.
4. Minutes of the Meeting held on 9 May 2016. *Approved and signed by the Chairman.*
5. Presentation of Civic Award by Ward Councillor David Over. *Margaret Palmer was awarded a civic award for community involvement by Peterborough City Council. Ward Councillor David Over presented the award as Margaret had been out of the country for the official ceremony at the Town Hall.*
6. Chairman's report. *(Available upon request from the Clerk).*
7. Reports from local organisations:
 - a) **Barnack School Out of School Club** – *Rachael from Kids in Action (KIA).*
 - b) **St John the Baptist Church** – *Dave Maylor.*
 - c) **Friends of Barnack Church** – *Mike Mills.*
 - d) **Barnack Community Association** – *Debra Martin on behalf of Roy Chowings.*
 - e) **Horticultural Show & Party in the Paddock** – *Debra Martin and Steve Rickard.*
 - f) **Youth Group & Barnack Fun Run** – *Kerrie Garner.*
 - g) **British Legion, Barnack & District Branch** – *Brian Palmer on behalf of Charles Clark.*
 - h) **The Cricket Club** – *Will Armitage.*
 - i) **The Women's Institute** – *Judy Francis.*
 - j) **Barnack Flower Group** – *Petrina McCarey.*
8. Public Forum:
 - a) Doris Hamilton wrote to the PC with the following three queries to be raised in her absence: (1) Does the PC have any plans to discuss with the developers the possibility of a shop on the new site? (2) It would be an ideal opportunity for the PC to initiate discussions with Gladman to provide some land for a MUGA. (3) I would like to suggest The Square as an ideal site for the Post Box. (1) *Once the land has been sold to a developer the PC will be able to open dialogue with both the PCC planners and the developers about detailed plans. A Village Meeting will be held to keep residents informed.* (2) *There will be an area within the proposed development for a play area for children.* (3) *The new Post Box will be sited in place of the bin outside the church gate, the PC are waiting for confirmation of a date from Royal Mail's engineers.*
 - b) Housing Development – *what will it look like? Residents will be kept up-to-date as soon as the PC have an idea of timings on the land sale.*
 - c) Traffic Calming. *Concerns regarding access from Uffington Road to the new development were raised. The PC will discuss plans for traffic calming improvements*

in this area with the developers and PCC once the site has been purchased and plans drawn up.

Residents raised concerns over speeding hotspots through the village, such as Wittering Road, Stamford Road and the B1443. The PC are in talks with PCC Highways to implement a program of Traffic Calming measures, including the installation of Vehicle Activated Signs (which will be funded by the Parish Council). The Villages are due to have road markings refreshed after the completion of the road resurfacing program.

Lorries have been using Uffington Road despite the weight restriction – the Police have been informed.

A resident voiced her concern that access to the centre of the village for emergency vehicles is extremely difficult during peak times such as school runs. This issue has been raised with PCC Highways as part of the overall Traffic Calming plan.

- d) *CIL Money. When the development is built, there will be CIL money due to the Parish Council. It was suggested by the Parish Council that a Village Working Group should be formed to decide how best to implement the funds within the community. Suggestions noted include; using CIL money to help prevent further development, building a MUGA/recreational area, traffic calming measures and village shop.*

9. Provisional date and time of next meeting - 7.00pm on 14th May 2018.

10. Meeting closed at 8.15pm.

This is a true record of the meeting Chairman 14.05.17