

**Minutes of a Meeting of Plumtree Parish Council held on Monday September 23, 2019, at
Burnside Memorial Hall, Plumtree at 7-00pm**

Couns. Mike Bylina (chairman) (A)
Adrian Kerrison(A) Jonnie Richards (in the chair)
Andrew Burnett Penny Perkins

Also present Clerk Mike Elliott, Coun. John Cottee and one resident.

- 1] APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE Cllr Mike Bylina
- 2] DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST There were none
- 3] MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING ON JULY 29, 2019 were accepted as circulated and signed by the chairman
- 4] DEFIBRILLATOR AND CPR TRAINING The matter was to be an agenda item for the next meeting.
- 5] PUBLIC FORUM – 10 MINUTES - Comment was made on the need to have grass alongside the main road through the village near the electricity sub-station cut, with some of the overgrowth already spreading out on to the pavement. Coun. Cottee said he would take the matter up with the highways department.
- 6] CLERK’S REPORT AND UPDATE ON PREVIOUS MEETING BUSINESS
Nothing that is not covered on the agenda.
- 7] REPORT FROM THE BOROUGH AND COUNTY COUNCIL MEMBERS
Coun. Cottee reported that there was to be progress on provision of a roadside pavement on Bradmore Lane leading from the Griffin Inn to the cricket ground and hoped it might come about in October.
He informed the meeting of a new £1.75m vehicle that was now in use to tackle highway pot hole problems.
The Borough Council ‘s Local Plan Part Two was due to be presented for approval at a special meeting in October.
- 8] CORRESPONDENCE
Nottinghamshire County Council free bags of salt scheme was again operating but members felt there was currently no requirements they had.
Rushcliffe Borough Council tree offer for parishioners; the council were to apply for the ten free trees for Lottie.
CPRE spelt out its new strategy on its future, explaining it was tackling a drop in membership.
Burnside Hall wrote seeking grant to help towards the £7000 it had recent[ly] had to spend dealing with structural problems with the building. Members agreed to give £500.
Plumtree parish council website visitor analysis report April to August showed a continuing numbers of visitors of over 100 a month.
National Audit Office presented a consultation on a new Code of Audit Practice for parish councils to operate.
Nottingham County Council gave notice of roadworks on Station Road to tackle a water mains repair.
- 9] HIGHWAY MATTERS
The meeting was told of a continuing high numbers of road repair and improvements projects being tackled in the Rushcliffe area.
- 10] PLANNING MATTERS
APPLICATIONS: There were none

RUSHCLIFFE BOROUGH COUNCIL DECISIONS

19/00844/REM. Octopus Healthcare and Aldi Stores Ltd, approval of matters reserved under application 19/00776/VAR relating to appearance, landscaping, layout and scale of the development of an 80-bed residential care home, land south of Landmere Lane, Edwalton.

19/01367/ful. Christine Hames, land south of the Small Barn, Station Road. Construct new dwelling. Refuse.
19/01250/ful. Mr Meader, Plumtree House, Station Road. Single and two storey side and rear extension. Grant.

19/01412/ful. Neil Footitt, Plumtree Garage, Station Road. Demolish portable building, construct single storey rear extension for car showroom, disabled WC and store and alterations to existing building to form display windows. Grant.

11] FINANCE

a] accounts to pay were approved as per the circulated list

12] ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS.

The meeting chairman said that work was to be undertaken to effect the painting of the telephone kiosk. Coun. Burnett said he had removed the books in it to allow the work to go ahead.

The council agreed to purchase a supply of litter pick instruments for the youngsters at the nursery school to allow them to carry out a litter pick.

A meeting was to be held with representatives of Normanton on the Wolds parish council to progress ideas, including a joint event to mark the VEDay 75 years milestone on May 8 next year. A celebration tea had been suggested as one possible event.

13] CASUAL VACANCY

The clerk said following the resignation of Coun. Glenn Whitley due to him leaving the village the council now had two vacancies to fill.

14] CHAIRMAN'S MATTERS

The meeting chairman took the Memorial Book for The Queen and would store it at the Children's nursery until it was required for use. No other matters were raised.

15] AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING ON NOVEMBER 25, 2019.

VE Day75. Defibrillator.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 8-00pm.