**LAMESLEY PARISH COUNCIL**

Minutes of the proceedings of the Ordinary Meeting of the Council held in the Millennium Centre, Kibblesworth on **Monday 13th January 2020 at 7.00 pm**, pursuant to notice duly given.

**PRESENT**: The Chairperson: Councillor J Callaghan in the Chair.

Councillors: H Nixon, C Kendal, S Brown,

R Harrison and R Nixon.

88 **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE:**

An apology for absence was received from Councillor’s T Glasgow,

C Bradley, M Hood, and A Batten,

The following vacancies were shared:

Kibblesworth Ward – 6 Members.

Coun R Harrison, Coun Steve Brown, Coun Tracey Glasgow,

Coun Heather Nixon and Coun Roy Nixon

(One Vacancy)

Longshanks & Team Colliery Ward – 3 Members

Coun Jackie Callaghan, Coun Christine Bradley.

(One Vacancy).

Eighton Banks Ward – 5 Members

Coun Michael Hood, Coun Andrew Batten

(3 Vacancies)

Lady Park & Lamesley – 1 Member

Coun Celia Kendal

89 **MINUTES: DISCUSSION, ACTION AND QUESTIONS ON MINUTES OF**

 **LAST MEETING**

**Resolved:** Ordinary Meeting of the Council **Monday 11th November 2019** been approved.

90  **CORRESPONDANCE:**

 A) Invoice from Gateshead Council Re: Audit. was discussed and it was

 agreed the £180 was appropriate. **Resolved:** Cheque paid into Civic Centre

 15.01.2020

 B) Invoice from Helping Hands Re: garden upkeep 2019, was discussed and

 agreed that a letter of expectations for the coming year will be submitted with

 the cheque. **Resolved:** Cheque sent 15.01.2020

 C) Cllr’s shared their concern of work vans being parked and causing

 obstructions on public paths in Birtley.

 **Resolved:** Email sent to Marion Ranson 15.01.2020

No further grant requests have been received.

91 **REPORTS OF THE COUNCIL OR ANY OTHERS THAT AFFECT THE**

 **COUNCIL**

* OVERGOWN HEDGES/TREES – there have been some overgrown trees noted throughout Kibblesworth however these are on private property and the responsibility of the home owner.
* OVERFLOWING BINS/ FLY TIPPING – Some noticed around the Parish but overall there is an improvement.
* MOTORCROSS BIKES –Police continue to monitor and manage.
* NEW BUILDS (KIBBLESWORTH) – These were discussed at the Ward meeting – 10.01.2020 – however no further notifications have been submitted to the Parish. Email sent to Eleanor Cockburn requesting an update – 15.01.2020
* FLOODING – members agreed that flooding around Lamesley area is an ongoing issue and continues to be investigated.

92 **FINANCIAL REPORT**

 A) The bank accounts are still to be transferred to Ms Lawrence.Further

 meetings at Lloyds will take place when all the relevant Cllr signatures have

 been collated. New mandates were submitted on Friday 27th December 2019.

 B) Cllr’s agreed that the precept for 2020 will continue to be increased along

 with Gateshead Council proposals of 3.5%

 C) Cllr’s requested an electoral register of electors is requested from

 Gateshead Council to ensure all numbers are accurate. **Resolved:** email

 request sent 15.01.2020.

 93 **MATTERS IN PROGRESS.**

1. **WEBSITE:** The website is now live and Cllr’s agreed that the link can be shared via local social media pages. Cllr’s were reminded to submitted a personal statement paragraph and photo and any other relevant information which can be shared.

94 **PLANNING MATTERS:**

 Gateshead Council has forwarded details of all applications received from

 within the Parish Council’s area as part of the consultation process.

 **Resolved:** That the following applications be received and noted A for the

 Parish meeting and B/C were questioned from the Ward meeting:

A)Variation of condition 1 of DC/16/00787/FUL (approved plans) to reposition dwelling towards the western end of the application site, minor changes to north and east elevations, resizing of roof lantern and internal changes to allow first floor set back by a further 1 metre (amended 21/11/19). **AT:** Ostlers Lodge,The Green Kibblesworth Gateshead : **Granted**

1. DC/19/01240/FUL: The Mount Community Association, Galloping Green

 Opening up 5 no. blocked, up windows, changing 3, no. existing windows into

 doors, adding external, steps and a ramp to the garden area and installing

 a new shed structure onto the existing footprint of the boiler house.

1. DC/19/01250/FUL: Land South of Blackfell Way, North Side, Birtley.

 Erection of 23 residential dwellings with associated infrastructure and

 landscaping.

 **Resolved:** email sent to Elanor Cockburn and Lois Lovey – 15.01.2020.

 requesting confirmation that planning is aware The Mount is owned by the

 Parish yet had not been informed of the proposed plans.

95 **ADDITIONAL MATTERS:**

 No further matters to discuss.

96 **Next Parish meeting**

The next Parish meeting will take place on: **Monday 10th February 2020 at 7pm**

at Kibblesworth Millenium Centre.

87 **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

At this point of the meeting any member of the Public present is

able to ask questions or make suggestions to the Members of

the Council present provided they have given notice of the

questions or suggestions to the Chairperson or Clerk by 6pm on

 the Monday prior to the meeting

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| Chairperson  | Councillor Jackie Callaghan  | Date |
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| Parish Clerk  | Anita Lawrence  | Date  |
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