

Bishopton Parish Council

Minutes of the Extraordinary Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 6th July 2020 At 7:00pm by remote access.

This meeting was held remotely, under the provisions of The Local Authorities and Police and Crime Panels (Coronavirus) (Flexibility of Local Authority Police and Crime Panel Meetings) (England and Wales) Regulations 2020.

Present: Cllrs: N Melaney (Chair), M.Moses, J. Robins, D Latham, G. Preston, L MacMahon, S. Harker and L Foggett [Parish Clerk].

Apologies for Absence: none

148 Public Participation

148.1 With Covid 19 and the 'lockdown' there was no public participation

149 Declarations of Interest in Items on the Agenda:

Cllr Harker expressed an interest as secretary of the Playground Association

150 Playground – progress report.

Cllr Melaney reported that the MUGA equipment will be installed by 18th July the contractors will be on site on 16th July. There was also some discussion about the topsoil not leaving site but being used to create a mound in front of the goal as a partial barrier and somewhere for children to sit.

There followed some discussion about the effect on the playing field/playground of the development and details of how we are going to advise residents of the appeal, see below under planning matters (see item below)

151 Planning Appeal for Houses on Cobby Castle Lane

Following the report that the decision on 20/01191/OUT- a proposal for nine houses on Cobby Castle Lane was being appealed and a government planning inspector has been appointed. The Parish Council discussed this at length, including plans of playground access and the development area boundary and Cllr Melaney has taken photographs. The Council decided to produce a second flyer to distribute around the village for the purpose of further raising awareness amongst residents and giving them the opportunity to make a written statement to the inspectorate.

This flyer will be further discussed via email by councillors and be sent out next week around the village. We must emphasize the closing date for submissions of 10th July.

152 Date of Next Meeting:

The meeting closed at 8:16 pm.

Next Meeting 7:00 pm on Wednesday 8th July 2020 . This will enable us to further consider response to the planning appeal.

Signed: Chairperson: _____



Date _____

16/09/2020