

A meeting of the Stukeley's Parish Council held at Great Stukeley village hall on Monday 4th January 2010 at 7. 30pm.

ATTENDANCE	M/s R. Turpin, D. Middleton, P. Hobson, C. Cowdery, J. Butter, T. Pinner, M.Reynolds, R. Hulstrom, H. Raby, D. Adams, County Councillors Sir Peter Brown and Laine Kadic, District Councillor. K. Baker together with one member of the public.
APOLOGIES	Were received from Mr. D. Bartlett away on business, D. Hossack indisposed, Mrs Gifford other commitment, Mrs. Parkin away on holiday, Mr. Ryan delayed on business, Mr. Vincent personal commitment.
OPEN FORUM	There was no question from the member of the public present.
115. MINUTES	The minutes of the meeting held on 6 th December 2009 were signed by the chairman with the approval of a proposition by Mr. Turpin seconded by Mr. Cowdery.
117. MEMBERS DECLARATION OF INTEREST	There were no such declarations from members attending.
118. ACCOUNTS	On a proposal by Mr. Turpin, seconded by Mr. Butter it was resolved that the following accounts were approved for payment. EON Electric for December supply £59.16. Printing Matters for January magazine £100.80. M. J. Newman, clerks January salary £199. 46. MHB Services for electrical repairs £172. 50. Easy Internet for magazine services £35. 65. Jennifer Morgan refund of magazine advert fee £16. 00. There was no reported income for the month.
119. FOOTPATHS	Mr. Cowdery informed members that gates and a bridge had been agreed with Mr. Pinner to be sited on footpath one across his land. He had been told that contractors had filled a waterway when erecting one of the gates on footpath eighteen, this he had reported to the County Council for action. He also said that the County were to cut back the hedges on byway twelve where it crosses the northern bypass on it's route to Tesco, it was agreed that this path was little used as a byway but that any improvements were to be welcome, possibly signage to inform approaching motorists of crossing pedestrians. Mr. Hulstrom raised issues around the suggestion that the recent stable development had been partially built on or was obstructing footpath eleven at Grange Farm, Gt. Stukeley, he produced copy to show the development and observed that the path although not blocked was slightly impeded, much discussion followed and it was eventually agreed that with the proposed diversion of this path onto the adjacent metalled roadway it was possibly better to wait and observe developments closely over the next few weeks, Mrs. Kadic suggested that she would enquire from the County as to what stage the diversion orders had reached. Mr. Cowdery also informed members that consultation was in progress with the County Council regarding establishing a horse rider access to Hill Close from Ermine Street.
120.PLAY EQUIPMENT	As Mr. Vincent had been unable to attend this issue was deferred to the next meeting.
121. PLANNING	The following application was presented for adjudication. Application No. 0901637REP for Demolition, rebuilding, alterations and extensions to a barn to form dwelling(replacement of planning permission 0603951FUL) at 15. Owl End, Great Stukeley. As this application was intended to extend the original application time for implementation the members took the view that this was acceptable. On a proposal by Mr. Butter, seconded by Mr. Reynolds the application was approved. The Huntingdon West Development proposals were discussed in full, as was

ITEM	DETAIL	ACTION
	<p>Mr. Ryan's proposed response, which had been circulated to all members via email prior to the meeting. It was proposed by Mr. Butter, seconded by Mr. Middleton that these responses be sent to the District Planners, this was agreed by the entire Council.</p>	
122. DISTRICT ISSUES	<p>Mr. Baker had no information to impart and there were no issues for members to raise.</p>	
123. COUNTY ISSUES	<p>Sir Peter Brown explained that the County Council still were unable to adopt the Guided Bus Way as in their opinion there were still issues regarding the final completion. It was reported that the County had salt bins on offer for sale at the reduced price of £100 each. As there were requests for salt bins in other areas in the villages, Mr. Raby said he could supply these in the nominated places and the clerk was told to ask the County to fill as soon as possible. Members were informed that the County were in the process of forming the budget for the coming financial year and that it was proving extremely difficult. Mrs. Kadic was thanked for her efforts in getting road gritting in Mill Road prior to Christmas, she said that the County still had budget funds for the filling of 'pot holes' for this year. Mr. Hulstrom raised traffic issues in Green End and Mrs. Kadic said she would investigate what the latest position with the County in relation to addressing those issues, she agreed to report back to him. She also agreed to investigate whether the County intended to do any remedial work in Green End in an effort to discourage light commercial vehicles, accessing Grange Farm Industrial Area, from encroaching on and destroying grass verges in this Country lane.</p>	
124. ISSUES TO REPORT	<p>The Clerk said that he had circulated figures of costings for the playground inspection for this year from Digley Associates amounting to some £45, as recommended by our new insurers, he was told to go ahead and order the inspection.</p>	
125. NEXT MEETINGS	<p>On Monday 1st February 2010 at Little Stukeley village hall commencing at 7.30pm. On Monday 1st March 2010 at Great Stukeley village hall commencing at 7.30pm. On Monday 12th April 2010 at Little Stukeley village hall commencing at 7.30pm. On Monday 10th May 2010 at Great Stukeley village hall commencing at 7.30pm On Monday 7th June 2010 at Little Stukeley village hall commencing at 7.30pm.</p>	