

Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held Tuesday 6th November 2018 at The Pendle Room, St Nicholas Church at 7pm

Members Present Councillor A Haworth in the chair
 Councillor J Shorter
 Councillor S Clarke
 Councillor I Jackson
 Councillor R Newmark
 Councillor P Newmark

1. **Apologies** for Absence – Cllr M Pilkington
2. **Resignation of Cllr H Spry**
 Cllr H Spry had sent a letter of resignation due to personal reasons. Councillors accepted the resignation with regret. A letter expressing thanks for work during her time as a Councillor.
3. **Declarations of Members Interest of items on the Agenda** - None
4. **Public Participation** : None
5. **Minutes of meeting held 2nd October 2018**
RESOLVED Minutes approved & signed
6. **Accounts for payment**
RESOLVED the accounts for payment be approved as per schedule
- 6a. **Budget Meeting to set Budget and Precept for 2019/20**
 Arranged for 6.30pm Tuesday 4th December
7. **Planning Applications** -None
- 7b. **Updates on previous Applications**
Stubbins Lane Old Printworks – concerns that a response from the Fire & rescue service dated October 2018 has recently appeared on the RVBC planning website. It contains recommendations. Councillors concerned building works had started before the response had been received and were the builders adhering to recommendations
 A letter will be sent to J Macholc -RVBC Planning – asking for clarification
Victoria Mill – Residents on Whalley Road have received letters advising work will commence. RVBC is not aware work is commencing. RVBC conditions state the expected start date as January 2019. Skipton Properties has received a special interim Licence to allow demolition but not construction.
Falcon House -has received permission for change of use from Industrial to Residential. No plans for development have been submitted
8. **Consideration was given to future monitoring of CCTV on Village car park**
 Councillors feel uncomfortable at taking the responsibility for monitoring. RVBC will be advised
9. **Updates on Telecommunications Mast – Black Hill**

Work continuing through December with a proposed live date of 1st January. All networks should benefit

10. Best Kept Village 2018 comments

Judges comments have been received and will be published on the parish council website.

11. Removal of Bench at Mount Pleasant

A complaint has been received regarding the removal of the bench at Mount Pleasant – the complainant feels its removal is unjustified as it is used by residents along Padiham road. Councillors are not aware of anyone using the bench.

12. FOR INFORMATION ONLY

Playground Report –No change.

Borough Councillors Report –confirmed 106monies connected with Victoria Mill have been signed off and will be available to Sabden Parish Council within 2months of the occupation of the 15th unit.

12. Date & Time of Next meeting –Tuesday 4th December 2018 at 7pm in the Pendle Room at St Nicholas Church .