

**Minutes of the Parish Council Annual General meeting and monthly meeting held Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> June 2018 at The Pendle Room, St Nicholas Church following the Annual Parish meeting**

**Members Present** Councillor A Haworth in the chair  
 Councillor J Shorter  
 Councillor S Clarke  
 Councillor I Jackson  
 Councillor R Newmark  
 Councillor H Spry  
 Councillor K Marks  
 Councillor M Pilkington

**Also present** 1 member of public,

1. **Apologies** for Absence – Councillor P Newmark,
2. **Declarations of Members Interest of items on the Agenda** - None
3. **Public Participation** : Electricity supply currently off in several areas of village. Supply will return by Midnight  
 Request for Bus Timetables to be in larger print.
4. **Minutes of meeting held 1<sup>st</sup> May 2018**  
**RESOLVED** Minutes approved & signed.
5. **Accounts for payment**  
**RESOLVED** the accounts for payment be approved as per schedule
6. **Planning Applications** -  
**Application 3/2018/0439 Application for the variation of condition 2 from planning permission 3/2017/1192 to reduce the scale at Lower Barn Whalley Road**  
**RESOLVED** No Objections  
**Application 3/2018/ 0361** Full application for the demolition of existing structures and removal of culvert to Sabden Brook; development of 30 dwellings including re-construction of former Marbil office buildings as new dwellings; reconstruction of base of mill chimney as an ecology tower and associated access and landscaping. **at Victoria Mill, Watt Street**  
**RESOLVED** No Objections. Clrs were keen for working hours to be appropriate for a residential area.
- 6b. **Updates on previous Applications**  
**Stubbins Lane Old Printworks** Work has started.
7. **Consideration was given to complaints received re junction at Portfield Bar onto A 671**  
 Residents are increasingly concerned about safety at this junction.  
**RESOLVED** LCC highways will be contacted and details copied to Whalley PC
8. **Consideration was given to placing a bench at site of old youth shelter.**  
**RESOLVED** The spare bench in store will be sited at the old Youth Shelter area

9. **Consideration was given to a request from Sabden Football Club to hold its annual duck race on 26<sup>th</sup> August**

**RESOLVED** All were in favour of No Objections. Reiterate tidying of Brook and returning it to its former state following the race.

10. **FOR INFORMATION ONLY**

**Playground Report** – Clr J Shorter reported no issues with play equipment . Asked for strimming beneath benches and Play Equipment. No update on fence at Pendle Witch car park.

**PACT** -Clr J Shorter reported only 1 crime since the last meeting, a couple of cold calling incidents, Milking parlour sign is missing, Anti social behaviour on village car park.

**Borough Councillors Report** –Clr R Newmark reported RVBC are not responsible for CCTV monitoring on the village car park. Clrs suggested going back to RV to ask for assistance with monitoring.

Has obtained a Shelter for the Football Club.

Still chasing for a start date for telecoms mast.

**Watering Planters** A discussion took place to ensure all planters around the village/ would be watered

11. **Date & Time of Next meeting** –Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2018 at 7pm in the Pendle Room at St Nicholas Church .