

#### **APM 2021**

# MINUTES OF ANNUAL PARISH MEETING TUESDAY 25<sup>th</sup>MAY, 2021 HELD AT THE BRITISH LEGION, KEDINGTON

In the Chair: Mrs Ann Naylor Chair of Kedington Parish Council

Present: Mr Terry Wheeler Kedington Parish Councillor

Mrs Stella Wilsher Kedington Parish Councillor
Mrs Tracy McAllister Kedington Parish Councillor
Mr James Stranger Kedington Parish Councillor
Mr Nick Clarke West Suffolk District Councillor
Mr David Roach Suffolk County Councillor

Mrs Marion Rushbrook

Mr Nic Rumsey **JAYNIC** Mr Paul Sutton **JAYNIC** Ms Jane Chance Parishioner Mr David Cianciola Parishioner Mr Mike Shearer Parishioner Mrs Barbara Surridge Parishioner Mr Mike Surridge Parishioner Mrs Ellie Hodge Parishioner Mr David Atkin Parishioner Mr Kevin Betts Parishioner

Mr Peter Stevens District Councillor for Little Wratting

Ms Marion Farrant - Parish Clerk

## 1. Welcome and Introductions.

The Chair of Kedington Parish Council, Ann Naylor welcomed all present and thanked. everybody for attending.

# 2. Presentation by JAYNIC representations regarding the development of Karro Foods, Little Wratting.

Parishioners present were concerned regarding the development and addressed their issues to representatives of JAYNIC.

#### Concerns were:

- (a) Existing Screening, hedges and trees were left, and seek to keep the existing landscaping. Would like to keep existing screening of Stour Valley Path.
- (b) Concerned re the height of the new buildings.
- (c) Site has an abundance of Wildlife, concerned this may be lost.
- (d) Had JAYNIC established there was a need for this type of areas.
- (e) Re-routing of Traffic and the need for some traffic measures. New safety measures must be considered.
- (f) It was suggested that there were other sites far more suitable for this type of development along the A14 corridor.



(g) The development would be 'unsightly' for our village. Then Anglian Water works was given as an example.

Nic Rumsey and representatives responded to the Parishioners concerns. They confirmed they would ensure the existing screening, established trees and shrubs would remain and they would work with the village to enhance the area further. They are mindful of the wildlife. JAYNIC has consulted with local groups and there may be a possibility of recreation areas being created. i.e., Football and sports area. They would of course look at traffic measures. Nic Rumsey stated they were not looking at developmental areas. They reiterated they would like to work with us.

# Minutes of last year's Annual Parish Meeting 30 April 2019 were approved.

The Chair signed minutes.

## 4. Parish Councils Annual Report 2020-2021

The Chair of Kedington presented her report.

# 5. Parish Councils Financial Report 2020-2021

Chair of the Finance Committee presented her report

## 6. Reports on the year 2021/2021

# 6.1 Suffolk County Councillor for Haverhill Northeast and Kedington

Suffolk County David Roach stated It was an honour and pleasure to be representing Kedington and he will continue to support the village. Locality Budgets are available which will continue to support us. He will continue his work to seek to a lorry ban for our village.

#### 6.2 Marion Rushbrook

During then pandemic WSC has worked with families and communities.

The Parish Council had worked exceptionally well.

WSC Grants were also available.

Homelessness - WSC were on top of this.

Street link had worked very well

## 6.3 Nick Clarke

Working with Police and Crime Commissioner and Supt Gennie Ratton. The new group are in favour meeting every 3 months. Chair confirmed they would support this and engage appropriately.

## 7. Resolutions

None

#### 8. Other Matters

Concerns were raised about the concerns of surface water – flooding by the

Barnardiston Arms, Silver Street, Kedington. KPC will work with resident to ascertain the way forward.

Village Shop Location- Parish Council confirmed they were in receipt of a proposal letter regarding the relocation of the village Shop. Until and if a formal planning application were submitted the KPC would not comment because of pre-determination. If a formal application were submitted, the council would seek the views of our residents and act appropriately.

It was also noted KPC would ensure a timely update on their website regarding Kedington Parish Minutes. The website is work in progress.

#### 9. Refreshments

The chair thanked everyone who attended the meeting. Meeting was formally closed. light refreshments were offered.

Signed AENOY(V

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