

GODMERSHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting of the Parish Council held on Tuesday 11th January 2022 at 7.30 pm at Godmersham Village Hall

Present : Cllrs Taylor (in the Chair), Lee, Johnson & Gee

In attendance: Mr. Eaton, Clerk to the Council, Mr. Greg Ellis, Godmersham Relief in Need Charity, and ABC Cllr Meaden

Action by:

1 Apologies for absence

Apologies were received from Cllr Grayson and PSCO Catherine Stevens

2 Declarations of Councillor's Interests

There were no declarations of Cllrs interests in items on the Agenda

3 To approve the Minutes of the last Meeting and Matters arising

The Minutes of the Meeting held on 9th November 2021 were approved and signed

4 To discuss matters of public concern

There was a full discussion with Mr. Ellis regarding the Godmersham Relief in Need Charity

5 Highway Improvement Plan/Traffic calming

There was a general discussion about the meeting Cllr Taylor had with Darren Hickman, Kent Highways, regarding the Highways Improvement Plan. It was agreed to proceed with the traffic surveys but to wait until traffic levels had returned to normal/near normal levels

6 Planning

New Planning applications

There were no new planning applications to consider

Decided planning applications

21/02005 – single storey rear infill extension
Orchard Cottage, Eggarton Lane

(Considered between Meetings and no objections raised)

Permit

Other Planning Matters

17/01917 – demolition of structures and erection of up to 20 dwellings and associated works
Thrxuted Mill, Penny Pot Lane

Withdrawn by applicant

7 Finance Matters & Accounts for payment

The following accounts were approved for payment -

	£
Chq 936 Clerk's tax (Dec & Jan)	108.40
Chq 937 Godmersham VH, room hire	16.50

The monthly Standing Orders were noted -

	£
G Eaton, Clerk's salary and expenses	256.84
GW Landscaping, grounds maintenance	222.00

8 Correspondence

Letter from 'Hedgehogs r Us' re hedgehog highway project – It was agreed to forward this to Ben Palmer, Godmersham Park **Clerk**

9 AOB

There was a brief discussion regarding the speed sign and the proposed Memorandum of understanding. It was agreed the Clerk to contact Robin Cooper to clarify some issues **Clerk**

It was agreed that Parish Council Minutes should be posted on Nextdoor **Cllr Gee**

10 Date of next Meeting

It was agreed that the next Meeting would take place on 8th March 2022 at 7.30 pm at Godmersham Village Hall

There being no other business the Meeting closed at 8.30 pm