# **RUSHTON PARISH COUNCIL**

#### A MEETING OF RUSHTON PARISH COUNCIL WILL BE HELD ON

## **TUESDAY 19th January 2021**

#### at home via Zoom a 7.30pm

#### AGENDA

The Parish Council Meeting will be held by Zoom, if a resident wishes to be part of the meeting, please e-mail the clerk at <a href="mailto:rushtonclerk@aol.com">rushtonclerk@aol.com</a> and joining instructions will be forwarded to you.

Public Speaking time will be restricted to fifteen minutes.

Members of the public are more than welcome to stay for the Parish Council Meeting but are not permitted to speak during this time.

- To receive apologies for absence and reason.
   To receive Disclosures of Pecuniary and personal Interests.
- 2. To agree the minutes of the Ordinary meeting of 17<sup>th</sup> November 2020 To agree the minutes of the planning meeting of 5<sup>th</sup> December 2020
- 3. Public Speaking Time.
- 4. Village Design Statement, consultation and validation process of the documentation
- 5. CORONAVIRUS- the Parish Council response to the ever-changing pandemic and the assistance we can give to the elderly and vulnerable.
- 6. To Review the 2021-2022 Budget for Rushton Parish Council
- 7. To Review the 2021-2022 Precept for Rushton Parish Council and vote on any alterations that may be required.
- 8. Village Green wall, update on when repairs will be undertaken
  Quote received for repairs £803 +VAT (Of which £360 +VAT is for traffic
  management. Update on when repairs will be undertaken. Repair to be undertaken
  on ???
- 9. Speeding on Eaton Lane, implementation of a team to tackle the issues of speed. Review of actions following initially virtual meeting and liaison with Highways and Police.

- 10. Trees on the Green, following an inspection by a qualified arboriculturist, these have been found to be healthy but large for the green. To review responses from SP Energy and CWaC Tree Officer.
- 11. Redistribution of Cllr. Wilsons activities and duties to other Councillors.

#### 12. Planning matters

1- To note planning decisions.

#### 20/0364/FUL

Location -Sapling Cottage, Sapling Lane, Eaton, CW6 9AE

Proposal – Two Storey Side extension, outbuilding and new retaining wall.

Approved

#### 20/02308/FUL

Location - 4 Oulton Mill, Beech Lane, Rushton CW6 9BF

**Proposal** – Two Storey Side extension, outbuilding and new retaining wall.

Approved

#### 20/02780/LBC

Location - The Old School House, Lightfoot Lane, Eaton, CW6 9AF

**Proposal** – Subdivision of the Old School House to form separate dwellings and provision of vehicular and pedestrian access.

Approved

### 2- To consider response to planning applications received

#### 20/04459/FUL

Location -Sapling Cottage, Sapling Lane, Eaton, CW6 9AE

**Proposal** – Two Storey Side extension, outbuilding and new retaining wall, amendment to application 20/00364/FUL for outbuilding revision.

### **APPEAL**

**Appeal Ref** – 21/00002/REF

Planners Ref No. APP/AO665/W/20/3264271

Location -Land Adjacent to Hill House Farm, The Hall Lane, Rushton

Proposal – Erection of one holiday let

#### Applications received since the last meeting

'Any Planning Application, received since the publication of the agenda'

#### 13. To consider highways matters

To Consider Highways matters;

Including any updates on outstanding issues with Highways eg.

- **a.** Speed of vehicles on Eaton Lane, update on proposal to extend the 30mph to Beech Lane, or alternatives to speed reduction to highlight the village and rural nature of the roads.
- **b.** Other Highways issues
  - Dogmore Lane, road surface has collapsed, road floods, needs major repair, update on works undertaken since October meeting.
  - Sapling Lane, Road constantly flooding even during dry time, even when jetted the drains only flow clear for 12 hrs due to sand Jevels in the drains.
  - Location of the 20mph sighs on Royal lane are being re-assessed.
  - Eaton Lane/ Lightfoot Lane drainage, broken drains causing flooding and leading to water flowing under the road surface to Lower Lane, Lower Lane is being 'uplifted' by the water flow and potholes appearing. Highways are aware, Eaton Lane will need to be excavated to enable new drainage to be installed.

# 14. To Receive Updates from Working Groups and agree decisions Communication Feb Newsletter, articles due 25th January

# <u>Development/Planning/Environment</u> Picnic Area update

# <u>Youth/Social/Community</u> a- Play Zone Project –

Multi Use Games Area (MUGA), noise levels from the MUGA have increased over the summer, actions have already been taken to abate the noise, update on actions undertaken so far and plan for future sound absorption works with costs involved.

#### Eaton Primary School conversion to Academy

Eaton Primary School is converting to an Academy as part of Tarporley High School and Sixth Form College Multi-Academy Trust.

The current Agreement between Eaton Primary School and Rushton Parish Council in respect of the MUGA will need to be transferred to the new Academy.

Contact has been made with the Legal Representatives who assisted with the arrangements when prepared in 2015, any update on information received.

#### b- Youth Club

#### 15. To note correspondence received since the last meeting (summary attached)

| Reporter | Date     | Description                        | Action |  |
|----------|----------|------------------------------------|--------|--|
| Eaton    | 26/11/20 | Problem with MUGA, escape holes in | Repair |  |

| Primary<br>School          |                     | netting identified – netting replaced.   | undertaken  |
|----------------------------|---------------------|--|---|
| Cheshire<br>Constabulary   | 27/11/20            | Meeting between Cheshire Constabulary and Councillors, the Truecam that enables speeding tickets to be issues will be available to Eaton                               |   |
| Multi-<br>Academy<br>Trust | 29/10/20<br>onwards | Use of MUGA by school when transferred to Multi-Academy Trust, new agreement to be created   | Circulate to councillors                                  |
| CWaC                       | 04/12/202           | Garden Waste collection will be suspended- further updates to this have been received to confirm suspension till 8 <sup>th</sup> Feb 2021                              | Circualted to councillors                                 |
| CWaC                       | 22/12/2020          | Precept request documents  | Calculate<br>figures and<br>circulate                     |
| Fasthosts                  | 23/12/2020          | Confirmation that Domain renewal has been successful   |   |
| JHVI                       | 30/12/2020          | Covid update   | Circulate to councillors                                  |
| Member of<br>the Public    | 30/12/2020          | Blockage of drains on Eaton Lane causing water to flow under the road causing damage to the road surface on Lower Lane. Broken drains on Eaton Lane to be replaced     | Forward to Highways and circulate response to Councillors |
| Drays Coffee<br>Shop       | 08/01/2021          | Broadband help needed  | Circulate to Councillors                                  |
| CWaC                       | 08/01/2021          | Census 2021 to occur in March 21   | Newsletter<br>article to be<br>prepared                   |
| CWaC                       | 11/01/2021          | The Location of the 20mph sign on Royal Lane outside the JHVI to be re-assessed and moved if found to not be where originally proposed                                 | Circulated to Councillors                                 |
| CWaC                       | 11/01/2021          | Confirmation that Eaton Lane/Lightfoot Lane junction flooding caused by broken drains and excavation of road required to replace broken pipe work. No timescales given | Circulated to<br>Councillors                              |

# 16. Approve Accounts and Payments:

Accounts for payment (below)

| PAYEE                | DESCRIPTION                                    | NET (£) | VAT (£) | TOTAL<br>(£) |
|----------------------|--|---------|---------|--------------|
| L. Worrall           | Q3 Salary (includes Q1 and 2 backpay)          | £947.70 |         | 947.70       |
| L. Worrall           | Q3 Expenses (includes Fasthost domain renewal) | £39.97  | £7.98   | £7.95        |
| Mr Adam Keppel-Green | Website hosting fee                            | £40.00  |         | £40.00       |

# 17. External meetings (virtual)

• Future meetings that may be of interest

# 18. Any other business

Green Waste collection has been suspended until 8th February 2021

# 19. Date of next meeting to be held on Tuesday, 16th January 2021 at 7.30pm via zoom.

L. Worrall – Clerk 08/01/2021

## Table of Actions still outstanding since last meeting

| Cllr.<br>Responsible                    | Date     | Description of action  | Further actions required. |
|---|----------|--|---------------------------|
|   |          |  |                           |
| Clerk                                   | 01/10/20 | Multi-Academy Trust, MUGA transfer   | Details to be circulated  |
| Clerk                                   | 9/10/20  | Hibberts Solicitors, transfer of MUGA agreement to Multi-Academy Trust   | Details to be circulated  |
| Cllr.<br>Thompson                       |          | SP Energy to undertake Tree Survey of Canadian Oaks in Village Green   | Details to be circulated  |
| Clerk                                   | Ongoing  | TP construction regarding repairs to village green wall, timeframe for repairs, 12th November                          | Details to be circulated  |
| Clerk                                   | 09/07/20 | Chase SP Energy for details on any planned work to place cables on Eaton lane underground                              | Details to be circulated  |
| Clerk                                   | Ongoing  | Liaise with Highways regarding Dogmore Lane, Sapling Lane and Eaton Lane/Lightfoot Lane Junction                       | Work progressing          |
| Cllr.<br>Thompson                       | Ongoing  | Liaison with BT Outreach to look at broadband options for properties in Parish still struggling with connection issues |                           |
| Cllr.<br>Thompson                       | Ongoing  | Liaison with VDS team  |                           |
| Cllrs. Wilson,<br>Leslie,<br>Hinchliffe | Ongoing  | Speed on Eaton Lane, Village entrances   |                           |
|   |          |  |                           |
| All                                     | Ongoing  | Re-distribute Cllr. Wilsons responsibilities   |                           |