

SMALLEY PARISH COUNCIL
Minutes of Smalley Council Parish Meeting held on Monday 19th December 2022
At 7.30pm at the Church Hall, Smalley

105/22 Present

M Gallimore (Chairman), L Pizzey, M Thomson, J Walker MBE, W Judson and A Padget

106/22 Public Questions

None

107/22 Apologies

Apologies from Cllr J Saddington, J Ainsworth, G Rogers, Cllr Illiffe and Cllr Ainsworth were received and noted.

108/22 Declaration of Members Interests

RESOLVED: Members agreed to take any Declarations of Members Interests as they occur in the meeting.

109/22 Minutes of Meeting held on 21st November 2022

Cllr J Walker MBE proposed, and Cllr L Pizzey seconded the minutes were a correct record, all members agreed, and the Chairman duly signed the minutes.

110/22 Planning Applications

None

111/22 Playground Inspection

Quotations for the new climbing board have been received, members agreed to ask Mr Goodwin to carry out the work. Also, to paint the roof of the container with anti-vandal paint and to remove the concrete planter from the entrance to Dobholes Lane Recreation ground and remove the old metal post.

112/22 Tennis and Cricket Club signs

The large cricket and tennis signs are to be removed, however Cllr Walker to obtain a quote for a smaller sign pointing towards the tennis and cricket club to go under the car parking sign.

113/22 Cemetery – quotations for landscape work

Clerk provided 4 quotations for the landscape work; however, it was decided that the Area should be graded to provide more burial space. Clerk to arrange a site meeting.

114/22 Installation of SID

Members agreed that the SID should be solar powered, with a thank you icon and speed, also a maintenance contract to be included.

115/22 Little Library

BT have informed the Parish Council that the Community Heartbeat Trust own the telephone kiosk.

116/22 Derbyshire County Council – Wooden Planters

Members agreed that the Clerk should apply for permission for the welcome to the village signs and a cultivation licence underneath the signs.

117/22 Finance

December monthly financial reports previously circulated

<i>Shelter Maintenance</i>	<i>£92.00</i>
<i>Clerk/Groundsman/Expenses/Pension</i>	<i>£1579.99</i>
<i>NT Services</i>	<i>£404.77</i>
<i>Civic Pride</i>	<i>£11,592.00</i>
<i>ICO subscription</i>	<i>£30.00</i>
<i>Excel</i>	<i>£37.68</i>
<i>P Goodwin – install dog bin</i>	<i>£32.80</i>
<i>BT</i>	<i>£124.82</i>
<i>Eon</i>	<i>£28.70</i>

Members agreed to split the invoice with the PCC for the maintenance of the mower.

Clerk to ask the Lengthsman to clear the leaves by Morley Manor.

The Christmas lights to go on the agenda next month.

The path outside house numbers 96/98 Heanor Road require sweeping Clerk to report to Derbyshire County Council

Clerk to obtain a quotation for the trimming of a sycamore tree in the tavern plantation.

118/22 Correspondence

Email accident A608 collision with deer – Clerk to ask Derbyshire County Council if these signs can be moved further up the list for installation in view of the 2 recent accidents.

Email – New driveway created on Laurel Crescent – The Parish Council understands the concerns but is out of the Parish Council's jurisdiction.

The meeting closed at 8.44pm