

ASHENDON PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON MONDAY, 23RD MARCH 2009
IN THE VILLAGE HALL AT 8 PM

<u>Present</u>	Councillors	D. Rand (Chairman) J. Bonson R. Manasse S. Miller K. Nash
		Mrs. Susan Rand (Temporary Clerk)
<u>Apologies</u>	County Councillor	Michael Edmonds
	District Councillor	Mrs. Margaret Morgan-Owen
	Clerk	Michael Rand

4 members of the public present.

A discussion and open forum took place before the Meeting.

The Chairman opened the Meeting at 8.10 p.m.

1587 **Resolved.** The Minutes of the previous Meeting held on the 2nd February 2009 were signed after an amendment was made.

The amendment being "The Council's Website to be continued and the email addresses and telephone numbers of Councillors to be added".

1588. **Declaration of Interest.**

Councillor Rand declared an interest in Item 6. Planning Permission at Hill Farm.

1589. **New Street Light.**

A decision on the street light proposed for Lower End to be deferred for six months.

1590 **Car Park Signage.**

Resolved. Defer decision to erect signage for six months.

Majority vote 3/2.

1591 **Planning Applications.**

Hill Farm. Erection of extension to agricultural building. No observations recorded.

1592. **Bus Shelter**

Resolved. Retrospective approval for the bus shelter to be added to the Parish Council Insurance Policy.

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1593. **Accounts.**

Resolved. Payments approved:

<u>Payments already made:</u>	£
Allianz insurance for bus shelter until 1 st June 2009	29.40
<u>Accounts outstanding</u>	
Rand Contracting. Planting of further hedge and fencing	494.50
Village Hall. Annual rent 2008/09	100.00
Michael Rand. Reimbursement of stationery costs	137.34
Michael Rand. Reimbursement for Open Space Plaque	15.00
BALC Membership	54.44

Proposed by Councillor D. Rand. Seconded Councillor J. Bonson.

1594. **Playing Field. Old Entrance Gate.**

Resolved. To accept the quotation from Rand Contracting to break out tarmac and plant a hedge to the rear of the old entrance gate to the playing field for £180 + VAT.

Proposed by Councillor J. Bonson. Seconded Councillor S. Miller

1595. **Youth Cafe**

Councillor S. Miller to investigate and gather further information for the next meeting.

1596. **Reports by Members attending outside organisations or bodies**

Neighbourhood Action Group (NAG). Councillor J. Bonson gave a report .
Local Area Forum (LAF). No report

1597. **Footpath along Causeway.**

Clerk to organise Site Meeting to discuss provision of footpath and costings.

1598. **Village Freighter.**

Gatehangers' Inn 23rd April, Noon to 3.30 pm/ 3rd November, 7.30 to 11 am
Upper Pollicott 12th August, Noon to 3.30 pm.

1599. **Date of next Meeting**

AGM followed by a General Meeting proposed 7th May 2009.
Parish Annual Meeting proposed 27th May 2009.