

**MINUTES OF NEWCASTLE PARISH COUNCIL
MEETING HELD AT
NEWCASTLE COMMUNITY CENTRE
ON WEDNESDAY 29TH SEPTEMBER 2010 AT 7.30
PM**

PRESENT

Cllr. E.M. Jones (chair)
Cllr. S. Davies (Vice Chairman)
Cllr. C. Reynolds
Cllr. G. Lello
Cllr. P. Gittins
Cllr. R. Williams

APOLOGIES

Cllr. M. Reynolds

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE

Gwilym Rippon (clerk)

There were no members of the public present

Action

089-10 OPENING AND WELCOME

Cllr. E.M. Jones opened the meeting and thanked all for their attendance.

090-10 ATTENDANCE AND APOLOGIES

See list above

091-10 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

The following Councillor declared interests as below

Councillor	Item	Personal	Prejudicial
Cllr. Davies	Item 7(a1) Planning	✓	✓

092-10 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION SESSION

There were no members of the public present.

093-10 MINUTES OF THE MEETING WEDNESDAY 28th JULY 2010

It was **agreed** that the minutes of the meetings held on 28th July 2010 were a true and accurate of what transpired

094-10 HIGHWAY ISSUES

a. Update on outstanding highway issues

A number of issues were raised the chair stated that he would report these direct.

b. Any other highway matters requiring attention

There was nothing to report under this heading

c. Street Cleaning

There was nothing to report under this heading

d. To note any street lights out of order

There was nothing to report under this heading

095-10 PLANNING

a) To consider and decide on planning application :-

1935 hrs Cllr. S. Davies left the room

1. 10/03728/FUL

Erection of a single storey rear extension following removal of existing at Foxholes, Mardu, Shropshire.

This application was discussed

RESOLVED

The Council supported this application and commented that the proposed alteration would improve the appearance of the building.

1937 hrs Cllr. S. Davies returned to the room

2. 0561/89/1

Foot path diversion FP 89

This application was discussed whilst there were no objections to the diversion the Council was concerned that correct procedures had not followed as consultees.

RESOLVED

The Council supported this application however they wished the clerk to write to the officer outlining the Council's concerns.

a. To note any applications approved, refused or withdrawn

There was nothing to report under this heading.

096-10 FINANCES

a) Update on bank balances

The balances stood at Current account	£3773.73
Business Manager account	£2854.09
Giving a total of	£6627.82

b) To agree payment of outstanding Invoices

1. £350.00p (S111 LGA 1972)
2. HMR&C £51.60p (S111 &112 LGA 1972)
3. G.J.Rippon (clerks expenses) £197.67p (S111 &112 LGA 1972)

RESOLVED

The Clerk was instructed to pay the above invoices

097-10 ATTENDANCE AT THE ALC AGM ON SATURDAY 6TH NOVEMBER 2010

Attendance at the AGM of ALC (*Association of Local Councils*) was discussed the Council could see no merits of attending however the Clerk expressed a desire to attend and wished that Council pays for the mileage aspect of his attendance as Bettws y Crwyn were paying for his attendance.

RESOLVED

That the Council pay for the clerk's mileage

098-10 REPORT FROM THE LJC

The chair gave a verbal report on the last meeting of the LJC (*Local Joint Committee*)

099-10 CHARTER BETWEEN NEWCASTLE COUNCIL AND SHROPSHIRE COUNCIL.

The contents of the charter was discussed attention was drawn to two paragraphs. Paragraphs 6 and 7 it was felt that the wording within these two paragraphs was too strong with the word 'will' being used which was felt that the Parish Council was being ordered

RESOLVED

That Newcastle on Clun Parish Council sign the Charter between Shropshire Council and Newcastle on Clun Parish Council with the exception of paragraphs 6 and 7 until the word will is replaced

100-10 PARISH PLAN UPDATE

The two representatives gave the update and highlighted the need emphasised on the Parish Plan Committee for the need to proof read.

101-10 TRAINING FOR THE CLERK

The Clerk requested that the Council part fun his request that he be allowed to

attend training at the University of Gloucester his. This was discussed and it was agreed that there was a necessity for the Clerk to receive appropriate training.

RESOLVED

That the Council fund the training to a sum of £200 per year £100 to be obtained via the NALC bursary.

102-10 CLERK REPORT

The Clerk's report having been circulated was accepted a copy of which is included in the minute file..

103-10 REPORT ON MEETINGS ATTENDING

The Chair gave a verbal report on the meetings attended which included the Flood Forum
LJC (*Local Joint Committee*)
This report was noted.

104-10 INFORMATION FROM MEMBERS

There was nothing to report under this heading.

105-10 DATES OF NEXT MEETINGS

Wednesday 24th November 2010

The meeting was closed at 9.10pm

Chair.....