

WALBERSWICK PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES of the meeting of the Parish Council held in the annex of the Village Hall at 7.30pm on Monday, 5th January, 2009

PRESENT

Mrs M V Dabbs (Chairman), Mr R G Buncombe (Vice Chairman), Mrs A Aldridge, Mr A E Hunt, Mr B Tibbles, Mr D C B Webb, and Mr K G Webb (Councillors), Mrs V J Hunt (Clerk) and two members of public.

1. **APOLOGY FOR ABSENCE** There were none
2. **MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING** were **approved** and signed as a true record by the Chairman
3. **DECLARATION OF INTERESTS** Councillor K Webb declared an interest in item 5(a).
4. **MATTERS ARISING**
 - a. **Blocked culvert near Village Hall** – This was in the process of being repaired
 - b. **Battery and containers at village hall** – These had been removed and Suffolk Coastal Customer Services had stated that they would investigate to see if they could determine the culprits.
 - c. **Track outside Parish Lantern** – Councillor D Webb confirmed that this was the responsibility of the Parish Council and not the Trust. Councillor K Webb volunteered to repair the area. Councillor Dabbs agreed to approach the owners of the Parish Lantern for a contribution to the repairs.

5. PLANNING

a. Planning Applications

i. INNISFREE, Leveretts Lane – Application No: C08/2214 – Erection of replacement dwelling (existing dwelling to be removed)

Councillor K Webb declared an interest and took no part in the discussions. The remaining Councillors had no objections to the application.

ii. MAFEKING COTTAGE, The Green – Application No: C08/2214 – Erection of single storey extension and demolition of existing outbuilding

The Parish Council had no objections to this application. They were concerned, however, that the recently refurbished Green could get damaged in the process of the building. The Clerk reported that Mr Gordon-Potts had informed her that access, by the builders, would be via Poplar Cottage.

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