

WOOTTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting of the **Planning Sub Committee** of **Wootton Parish Council** held on Wednesday 31st March 2010 at 7.00pm in the Memorial Hall, Bedford Road, Wootton.

Present: Councillors, D Price, J Wheeler, R Wallace, S Cruse,
In attendance Cllr J Cunningham and M Alexander (Clerk)

P10/43. Apologies
P Prescod and P Quirk.

P10/44. Declarations of Interest on any items on this Agenda
None.

P10/45. Open Forum
Cllr Cunningham advised the Members on the recent discussions with the Borough Council involving potential development plans for the area. The Members were concerned that NO consultation had taken place involving the Parish Council on any designated development, and that Wootton Parish Council would object to further development of the village. Cllr Cunningham was asked to return this information to the relevant officers at the Borough Council and the Mayor.

Cllr Price updated the members with the situation regarding the missing street column light on Church Road. Despite having requested to the Borough that this light column be replaced (having sustained RTA damage), the work hasn't been completed. At the same time, this Council requested a 'new' heritage lighting column at Church Row, which also hasn't been replaced / installed. It was agreed that Cllr Quirk would take this matter further forward and discuss with Borough Council Officers. (MA to confirm with PQ). Also Cllr Quirk, prior to the meeting agreed to source a replacement handle for the Cemetery gate which had recently been removed.

Cllr Price also brought the Members attention to a large 'advertising banner' which had appeared just outside of the village. In Members view it was obstructive and distracting and Cllr Cunningham was requested to pursue the removal of the offending board through the Borough Council Planning Enforcement Officer.

P10/46. Minutes of the meeting held Wednesday 10th March 2010
Minutes of the meetings held Wednesday 10th March 2010 were signed as a true record.

P10/47. Planning Applications

- a) 10/00530/FUL - Single storey extension, 8 Keeley Farm Court Wootton, Beds, MK43 9LF - **Members recorded NO OBJECTIONS.**

Planning applications Withdrawn

- b) Fell two Ash trees, crown lift Ash trees to 3.5m, 157 Bedford Road, Wootton, Beds, MK43 9BA - **Members noted the withdrawal.**

P10/48. To consider representation of the council at the planning meeting of Bedford Borough Council discussing the above application.
Not applicable.

P10/49. To request above application be considered by Full Planning Committee of Bedford Borough Council.
Not applicable.

Chairman.....

Date of next meeting 14th April 2010