

MINUTES REDGRAVE PARISH COUNCIL
9 September 2009
Held at Redgrave Activities Centre at 7.30 pm

Present: S.Rourke, J Giddings, J Cresswell, I Baird, Mrs J Orves, Mrs A Preston, J McCluskey, R. Hayward, District Councillor Mrs S Michell

1. Apologies: Jason Walker, Charles Michell
2. Jim McCluskey took the chair and welcomed everyone
3. Declarations of interest - none
4. Minutes of meeting of Wednesday 8 July 2009 were agreed a true record
5. Matters arising not covered by this agenda
6. Any changes in councillors
7. *Open discussion with county and district councillors, and services*
Sara Michell advised that the Boundary Committee recommendations had been subject to legal challenges and the outcome should be known in October
8. *Open discussion with residents*
John Robinson advised that there was a notice in the phone kiosk about it being offered to the parish council for £1. R Hayward to check what is happening.
9. Planning
1567 09 Street Farm new house – withdrawn
Listed building request – The Priory 2288/09 – Replace window, small extension at rear
PC agreed to 2288/09
10. Finance and cheques for signature
BT direct debit is still a mess and we are now overpaying
Agreed pay insurance due £1094 by 1st October – Mrs J Orves, Mrs J Cresswell, Mr S Rourke will check and remove any items either no longer necessary or small enough to self insure
Agreed pay play area inspections £82 to MSDC
Agreed pay up to £50 for Humbrol paints for village sign
11. Affordable housing progress – no change.
12. Toddlers play equipment – grants situation gone quiet.
13. Duck Factory- Meetings getting less frequent – PC reps will ask date of next one.
14. Village shop – had quite a good quarter but still need more volunteers
15. Any other correspondence or information
Revised bus timetable – J Walker to check what they have done
Progress on no parking sign – can be laser-cut
Progress on noticeboard – Price for 6mm Perspex requested
MSDC parish liason meeting 28 September – Mrs J Cresswell & Mrs A Preston will go
Breathing spaces – tree o'clock
Mrs J Cresswell will email MSDC to see if they have any free trees
SCC Waste Core Strategy - noted
Distribution of Mid Suffolk Messenger – Young people to be contacted to see if anyone wants to do.
Allotments – assistance from MSDC available
SCC – frequently asked questions on street lighting – noted but rather an overkill for 2 lights
16. Ideas for improvements to village (excluding Activities Centre & play areas)
Entrances to village – gate style proposal – M Mitchell to send pictures to R Hayward to email to councillors
17. Matters carried forward from this meeting 10 BT, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 bus & trees, 16

18. New matters for next meeting - none
19. Date of next meeting 14 October 2009

14 October 2009

Jason Walker Chairman