

SHAVINGTON-CUM-GRESTY PARISH COUNCIL
MINUTES OF THE EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF THE
PARISH COUNCIL HELD AT THE VILLAGE HALL ON
WEDNESDAY, 26th FEBRUARY 2014

Present: Councillors Mrs G McIntyre, Mrs S Cheshire, Mrs V Adams, S Hogben, D Miller, P Yoxall, W McIntyre, B Melling, K Gibbs, Mrs R Hancock, Mrs A Yoxall and R Clarke.

Apologies for absence: None.

201. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND GRANTING OF DISPENSATIONS

Councillor Ms R Hancock declared an interest in Minute No.203 (Representations and Freedom of Information Act requests from Must See Musicals concerning the way in which the Village Hall was hired) since she was the Chair of the Shavington Village Festival Committee (and Shavington Drama Group was a member of that body) and left the room during the discussion and decision on that item.

202. EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC

RESOLVED: That in accordance with Section 19(2) of the Public Bodies (admissions to Meetings) Act 1960 the press and public be excluded from the meeting by virtue of the confidential nature of the business next to be transacted.

203. REPRESENTATIONS AND FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT REQUESTS FROM MUST SEE MUSICALS CONCERNING THE WAY IN WHICH THE VILLAGE HALL WAS HIRED

The meeting discussed a detailed series of questions, demands and allegations made in writing by the Chairman of Must See Musicals (MSM) concerning its dissatisfaction in the way in which the Parish Council was operating the Village Hall. The Parish Council then considered in detail the content of its response.

RESOLVED: a) That the Clerk respond to MSM as instructed.
b) That the Clerk engage the services of a solicitor to represent the Parish Council over the defamatory written statements made by MSM.

204. RE-ADMISSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC

RESOLVED: That the press and public be re-admitted to the meeting.

205. PLANNING MATTERS

- i. **Planning application No.14/0517N** - proposed dormer to front elevation with internal alterations at 29 Greenfields Avenue - no objections.
- ii. **Planning Application No.14/0378N** -outline application for B2 and B8 development and associated road and landscaping works at Basford West – no objections.
- iii. **Planning Application No.14/0605N** -single storey rear extension and garage extension at 39 Burlea Drive – no objections.
- iv. **Planning Application No.14/0476N** - 17 dwellings at Main Road
RESOLVED: That identical objections be submitted as were made in respect of the original application

- v. **Planning application No.14/0610N** - 56 dwellings at land north of Weston Lane, Shavington
RESOLVED: That detailed objections be submitted along the same lines as those made in respect of the original application.

There being no further business the Chair declared the meeting closed at 8.55pm.

Chair
2nd April 2014