

COCKFIELD PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Extraordinary Meeting of the full Council held on 22 August 2024 at 7.30pm held in the Village Hall, Cockfield.

Present: Cllr Ian Levett (Chairman), Cllr Janne Cutting-Keyton, Cllr Joe Brinkley, Cllr Sarah Fletcher, Cllr Andy Golding, Cllr Nic Knight, Cllr Robin Morley and Cllr Ralph Turner.

In Attendance: District Cllr Clover and the Clerk S Ball. Two members of the public attended.

2024/085 Apologies for Absence

Suffolk County Cllr Robert Lindsay, District Cllr Margaret Maybury and Cllr Dale Baber.

2024/086 Declarations of Interest

Cllr Brinkley declared a non-pecuniary interest in Agenda Item 2024/082.1 - Planning.

2024/087 Minutes of the Last Parish Council Meeting

It was proposed by Cllr Cutting-Keyton and seconded by Cllr Turner that the minutes of the Ordinary Parish Council Meeting, held on 25 July 2024, be signed as a true record. The proposal was carried.

2024/088 Public Participation Session:

Nothing was raised under this agenda item, but members of the public were invited to contribute to Agenda Item 2024/083.

2024/089 Planning:

089.1 Applications Received: It was noted that the following applications had been referred to the Parish Council:

DC/24/03424: Householder Application - Conversion of and alterations to outbuilding to provide annexed accommodation for family members. South Barn, Cross Green, Cockfield, Bury St Edmunds Suffolk IP30 0LG. **(The Parish Council do not support the application).**

DC/24/03425: Application for Listed Building Consent - Works to facilitate conversion of and alterations to outbuilding to provide annexed accommodation for family members. South Barn, Cross Green, Cockfield, Bury St Edmunds Suffolk IP30 0LG. **(The Parish Council do not support the application).**

089.2 Decisions Received:

DC/24/02978: Application for works to trees in a Conservation Area - Reduce height of 1No Conifer (T1) by 3m and coppice 1No multi stem Holly Tree (T2) The Cottage, Cross Green, Cockfield, Bury St Edmunds Suffolk IP30 0LG **(Decision: BMSDC Do not wish to OBJECT).**

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DC/24/02605: Householder Application - Erection of front porch extension. 17 Old Stone Pit Way, Cockfield, Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk IP30 0BW0LG
(Decision: Planning Permission has BEEN GRANTED).

2024/090 Old Cockfield Station Site:

It was proposed by Cllr Morley and seconded by Cllr Cutting-Keyton that a small working group (comprising a few Cllrs and the Clerk) meet on site with the Estate Agent to explore opportunities. The proposal was carried.

2024/091 Street Naming:

It was proposed by Cllr Morley and seconded by Cllr Cutting-Keyton that the 3-dwelling Close accessed via Great Green (adjacent to the Plough & Fleece), be named The Oaks. The proposal was carried and the Clerk asked to notify BMSDC.

2024/092 Matters to be brought to the attention of the Council either for information or for inclusion on the agenda of a future Ordinary Meeting:

None

2024/093 Next Meeting:

The next Ordinary Meeting of the Parish Council will be held on Thursday 26 September 2024 at 7.30pm, in the Village Hall.

The meeting closed at 8.50 pm.