GLAPWELL PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of meeting of Glapwell Parish Council held on <u>Thursday 29 October 2015</u> <u>At the Glapwell Centre</u>

Present:

Joan Evans Rachel Hibbert John Jepson Tony Trafford (Chair) Clive Fleetwood Jackie Hole Sue Pilgrim

Also in attendance - Sue O'Donnell, C Moesby

87/15 Apologies for Absence – Councillor A Syrett

88/05 Declarations of Interest - None

89/15 Public Forum – There were no items.

90/15 Minutes of Parish Council Meeting held on 24 September 2015

The minutes were agreed as a correct record of the meeting and signed by the chair of the meeting.

91/15 Matters Arising

80/15 Playground -

80/15 Christmas Events – Rachel Hibbert reported that she had contacted the church and Bramley Vale School to invite them to join in with the Christmas Event on 13th December. However there was now a booking at The Centre on the same afternoon. It was agreed to look at an alternative date.

92/14 Reports

Police – There was no report.

Derbyshire County Council – Councillor Moesby gave a report on the following items:

School Meals Catering Service – The service were running a local campaign to encourage schools to use locally grown produce. He also reminded councillors that local families should be encouraged to register for free school meals where eligible.

Combined Authority for Derbyshire/Nottinghamshire – The leaders of the two Counties recently led a delegation to meet with the Minister responsible for the Government's devolution plans. The proposed development of a combined

authority would bring increased powers and resources for local priorities. A decision was expected in November.

Bonfire Night – Local Trading Standards were urging people to buy fireworks from reputable dealers and to inform them of any concerns about rogue suppliers. **Police Commissioner** – The Police Commissioner for Derbyshire, Alan Charles, had published his report for 2014/15. Elections for the next Commissioner were planned for May 2016. As part of the plans for devolution of powers to local mayors there was a proposal that the elected mayors could take over the roles of Police Commissioner and Chief Fire Officer.

Ramp – In view of the increasing costs of installing the promised ramp from the bus stop, Councillor Moesby expressed his concerns about the value for money of the development which would only benefit a few people in the village. This view had been expressed by Councillors in the past. He proposed that the existing allocation be ring fenced for other priorities in the village. He promised to report back with firm proposals for consideration at a future meeting.

Clive Fleetwood reported that there were two faulty manhole covers located near 123 and 186 The Hill. Councillor Moesby agreed to report these for repair.

Bolsover District Council – Councillor Syrett had sent her apologies for her absence due to her current ill health.

John Jepson reported his concerns about the arrangements for payment of Council tax at the old Bolsover Council office. The automatic machine was a problem for some people and long queues were forming. Tony Trafford agreed to raise these concerns with the District Council but informed him that a new contact centre was being planned in the building previously occupied by Natwest.

The Glapwell Centre – There had been no meeting of the Management Committee since September.

Leaking Roof – The clerk reported that there had been a leak from the roof into the gentlemen's toilets in the Village Hall. This was in addition to the hole in the roof of the storeroom. Clive Fleetwood and John Jepson agreed to contact local roofers to obtain quotes and arrange the repairs. The toilets had been closed to the public.

Telephone Line – There had been no telephone contact over the previous weekend because the line had been damaged.

Glapwell Sporting Association – Tony Trafford reported that there had been no meetings.

93/15 Finance

Monthly Finance Summary for September 2015 – The information provided was considered and it was agreed to make the following payments.

Payments October 2015

Cheques		Direct Debits/BACS	
41.57	DWP	116.46	Total gas and Power
408.22	DCC Pensions	2606.22	Salaries

242.84	Bolsover District Council - Refuse	266.38	PAYE/NI
320.50	Bolsover District Council - CAN	44.04	BT Payments
3600.00	Glapwell Nurseries		
30.00	Royal British Legion		

The following issues were referred from the Finance Committee:

Remembrance Service – A wreath had been delivered for the service to be held on Sunday 8th November. It was agreed to recommend a donation of £30 to the Royal British Legion for the wreath.

<u>94/15</u> Planning - There were no planning matters to report.

95/15 Correspondence

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<u>96/15</u> Date of Next Meeting – Thursday 3rd December 2015 starting at 7.00pm and concluding at 8pm. The meeting would be followed by a meeting to discuss a joint approach to current projects and related funding bids.

Sue O'Donnell 09/11/15