

Beckley and Stowood Parish Council

Minutes for the monthly parish council meeting

On the 1st of April 2010

8pm Beckley Village Hall

Meeting number 0410

214.1.1 Apologies

2.1 Cllr Gail Scott and Cllr Michael Soanes have sent their apologies that they are unable to attend the meeting.

215.1.1 Minutes from previous meeting. To be checked, signed by the chairman.

2.1 The minutes from the March meeting have been checked and signed by the chairman.

216.1.1 Declaration of interests.

2.1 There are none to be declared.

217.1.1 Correspondents with the clerk.

2.1 The clerk has mentioned about the lack of replies from some of the councillors to her emails. The councillors have agreed to reply to all emails wither it be reply emails or via the phone. The clerk feels this will help improve communication.

218.1.1 The Kick wall designs

2.1 The clerk now has the designs and will contact RoSPA and find out what they think about the safety aspect of the designs. As soon as the clerk has the reply the update will be given.

219.1.1 The New PC Notice Board

2.1 This is still an ongoing project; the parish council notice board in the High Street will still be in use till the new board is up. The clerk asks that the notice board be kept clear of all cars at all times.

220.1.1 Beckley Church Fabric Appeal donation for 2009/10 & the contribution to the Grave yard grass cutting.

2.1 It has been discussed and agreed that there will only be £1000 paid for the final 3 payments that will make it up to the agreed £5000 donation agreed back in 2007. Also the pc have discussed and agreed to continue to donate £750 to go towards the grave yard grass cutting.

221.1.1 Planning

2.1 **Application number:** P10/W0031

Application Proposal, including any amendments: Erection of single two storey dwelling with garage. (Amendment to planning permission P07/W0427).

Site Location: 1 Sand Path Beckley OX3 9SU

PLANNING PERMISSION GRANTED

3.1 Application Reference: P10/W0320**Application Type:** Minor**Proposal:** Demolish existing dwelling and erect replacement single storey dwelling.**Address:** Sandy Warren New Inn Road Beckley OX3 9TZ**THE PC HAVE APPROVED THIS APPLICATION****4.1 Application Reference: P10/W0270****Application Type:** Other**Proposal:** Construction of single storey rear and side extension. Demolition of existing garden building and construction of single storey replacement garden building.**Address:** New Ridge Church Street Beckley. OX3 9UT**THE PC HAS REFUSED THIS APPLICATION****5.1 Application Reference: P10/W0382****Application Type:** Other**Proposal:** New porch extension to front of building to provide area and thermal break.**Address:** Wood View New Inn Road Beckley OX3 9TZ**THE PC HAS APPROVED THIS APPLICATION****222.1.1 SODC Dog Bins refund for SODC Error on the price.**

2.1 A refund of £205.98 has been paid via BACS back into the PC account due to SODC error on the price of last year's emptying of the dog bins. The correct price is £89.07 this will be paid via cheque.

223.1.1 Payments made before the meeting

2.1 SODC Dog Bins invoice (979)	£89.07
3.1 Newsletter for Beckley (980)	£83.57
4.1 ORCC membership for March 2010 to 2011 (981)	£30.00
5.1 Clerks expenses for April (982)	£56.64
6.1 OALC membership for 2010 to 2011 (983)	£130.30
7.1 Gary Chalmers 3 months website management @ £60 pm (984)	£180.00
8.1 SLCC Membership for March 2010 to March 2011 (985)	£44.00

224.1.1 Clerks Salary via standing order for April 2010. **£632.25**

225.1.1 Any Other Business.

2.1 Drains at the top of New Inn Road: It has been reported to the clerk that the drains are over flowing and making it difficult for drivers to pass. The clerk has contacted the Highways department Mick Dickerson and he will up date the clerk when they can have the drains cleared.