



**MINUTES OF THE EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF
HADLOW DOWN PARISH COUNCIL**
Held in Hadlow Down Village Hall, Hadlow Down
at 7.00 pm on Tuesday April 13th 2010
*Note – this is a draft copy to be agreed and amended, if
necessary, at the next Council Meeting*

Present: Councillors Paul James (Chairman), Michael Lunn, and Lisa Scott. Also in attendance was the Clerk Helen Simpson-Wells.

- 1. **PUBLIC QUESTIONS** – None raised.
- 2. **APOLOGIES AND REASON FOR ABSENCE** – received from Cllrs Norman Buck, Lucy McConachie, David Walker and Graham Terry.
- 3. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST** – PJ declared a personal interest on point 4 St Mark’s CE School.
- 4. **PLANNING APPLICATIONS:**
 - WD/2010/0454/F – LITTLE FOXES FARM, STONEHURST LANE, FIVE ASHES, TN20 6LL** – Erection of new dwelling and associated outbuildings, amendments to approved application WD/2008/0339/F. To include amendment to condition relating to demolition of existing dwelling, application seeks to retain this until new dwelling is constructed. - The Parish Council cannot support this application due to the excessive height of the building on a ridge which will be easily seen from a distance. The Parish Council consider the associated outbuildings to be overdevelopment of this site, in an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty.
 - WD/2010/0679/F – 15 STANDEN MEWS, HADLOW DOWN, TN22 4HG** – Proposed rear conservatory – The Parish Council support this application
 - WD/2010/0626/F – ST MARKS C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL, SCHOOL LANE, TN22 4HY** – Addition of an entrance canopy to the main entrance area – The Parish Council support this application, we consider this an improvement to the school in terms of usability and security. The school plays an important part in the village community of Hadlow Down.
- 5. **REVIEW OF 2009/10 PRECEPT SPENDING** – the Parish Council reviewed the spending for 2009-10.
- 6. **ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT** – the following payment was agreed and the cheque signed for:
 - i. D.J. Nichols £169.20 to be taken from Pathfinder grantA further cheque was signed for £329.00 to Allen Transport, to be taken from Pathfinder grant and payment to be ratified at the next meeting.
- 7. **UPDATE ON CLERKS HOURS AND TRAINING** – discussion held regarding the Clerk’s workload

The Clerk confirmed that she has been informed that safety notices and fencing have been put up in the play area whilst the work is being undertaken

Meeting closed at 7:55pm

**THE NEXT PARISH COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE
the Parish Assembly on Tuesday 20th April 2010 at 7pm at the VILLAGE HALL.**

Signed.....

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