

**Buerton Parish Council**

Minutes of the Council Meeting held on Tuesday 3rd April 2018 at Hankelow Church Hall.

**Present** Cllr N Bonell (Chair) Cllr A Baddley, Cllr G Healey, Cllr I Shaw.

**In attendance:** Clerk: K Poultney.

**1769 Apologies** Cllr E Lancaster.

**1770 Minutes**

The minutes of the Council meeting of 08/01/2018 were signed as correct records.

**1771 Disclosure of interests**

None

**1772 Public Forum**

Wendy Lucas & Margaret Shaw.

**1773 Business Matters**

1773/1 A525 Woore Road. With reference to the 40mph sign outside Maltkilm Farm Highways ref: 3305366.

**Clerk has sent photos of road and still waiting a further update. With regard to the water on the road surface, clerk to contact water board.**

1773/2 Metal fencing in a poor state of repair on Woore Road, quotes obtained. Questions raised as to if the council would in fact be responsible for repair.

**Clerk to contact highways re repair.**

1773/3 Replacement safety inspector required for playing fields/assets.

**ROSPA to be contacted by clerk.**

1773/4 Parish noticeboard has water ingress in the top and rear making the board extremely damp.

**Clerk to arrange for the board to be taken down and allowed to dry out prior to renovation.**

1773/5 Wendy Lucas reported that the pavement on Woore Road from Malt Kiln Farm to Chapel End was in part in a poor state of repair and large parts unpassable due to the hedge cutting debris being left on the pavement.

**Clerk to contact highways.**

1773/6 Margaret Shaw reported the unacceptable speeds in which vehicles were passing pedestrians on Longhill Lane. Cllr Baddley reported the same problem on Windmill Lane.

**Clerk to contact Cheshire police and Carolyn McGowan. Also the clerk at Adderley as it was noted they had a mobile speed device.**

1773/7 Cllr Shaw reported that as Cllr Hassell had resigned we would need to advertise for a new councillor. Cllr Hassell was thanked in his absence for his hard work and commitment to the role.

**Clerk to advertise locally for two replacement councillors, as unfortunately Cllr Bonnell has also resigned since.**

1773/8 With regard the Ambulance response times, clerk has been in contact and requested the response times within the parishes of Audlem, Hankelow @ Buerton. Two years of data was requested, but apparently the ambulance service changed its systems 6 months ago. So far only 6 months of data has been received. It was discussed that to obtain an accurate appraisal more data would be required.

**Clerk to re contact NW Ambulance re missing data.**

**1754/1 Financial Matters.**

The following payments were noted/approved :-

K Poultney Feb/Mar/Apr salary	£480.00
K Poultney Expenses (laminator @ laminator paper)	£21.98
Greenfingers (grounds maintenance Jan/Feb/Mar	£480.00
Shires pay services	£25.50
CHALC Membership	£146.52

**1765 Planning and Development.**

Nothing to note.

**1766 Any other business**

None.

**1767 Councillors reports of meetings attended**

**1768 Dates of next meetings**

Hankelow Chapel meeting room

05/06/2018  
07/08/2018  
02/10/2018  
04/12/2018

Meeting closed at 8 30 p.m.