

ULNES WALTON PARISH COUNCIL
AGENDA FOR A MEETING TO BE HELD ON
MONDAY 12 JUNE 2006 AT 7.30 PM

RESIDENTS SURGERY

Before the official proceeding commence opportunity will be given for members of the public to raise questions or matters of concern. This session will be restricted to 10 minutes in total.

FORMAL BUSINESS

1. Apologies

2. Declaration of Interest

Members are asked to consider any personal/prejudicial interests they may have to disclose in respect of any matters under discussion at the meeting.

3. Minutes of the Last Meeting (attached).

4. Matters Arising on the Minutes (not elsewhere on the agenda)

Update on issues not covered elsewhere on the Agenda.

5. Post Office Card Account

See letter attached from Cllr Margaret Iddon. Members are asked to give the matter consideration and lobby as necessary.

6. Matters Arising from the Parish Assembly

a) Bus Shelter Southport Road

Comment was made that problems were still being experienced with youths congregating, it was suggested that it would be better as an open shelter. Members are requested to consider appropriate action.

b) Neighbourhood Watch

A meeting had been arranged at the Rose and Crown to try and revitalise the group but the turn out had been disappointing and as such the group is in limbo. It was suggested that it may be more successful as a parish wide initiative, Members are asked to consider appropriate action.

7. Road Safety Matters

a) Report of the Road Safety Working Group

Appointment of Officer from HMP Wymott

Draft questionnaire for residents of Ulness Walton Lane and associated costs

b) Southport Road

Letter attached from Lancashire County Council in response to queries regarding the road safety measures on Southport Road. Members are asked to consider if any further action is required.

c) Cats Eyes Ulness Walton Lane and Proposed Study of Leyland Lane

Letter attached from Cllr Whittaker, please note in particular the comment regarding the study for Leyland Lane. Members are asked to consider appropriate action.

Members are also asked to note that Lindsay Hoyle has tabled a Parliamentary Question asking when the revised guidance on speed limits is to be published.

8. Wymott Park

- a) Ratification of application for Lottery Grant aid and approval for the Chairman to sign the pre application.
- b) Chorley Borough Council has agreed that the Section 106 money received as part of the low cost housing development can be used for parish projects. Members will be asked to consider how this money should be utilised.

9. Chorley Borough Area Forum

a) Agenda Items

The next forum is scheduled to take place on Thursday 6 July 2006 at Bretherton. Members are asked to table items for the agenda and nominate a representative for the top table.

b) Footpath Number 8

Members will recall that there has been a long standing issue over the footpath by the River Lostock that goes east from Ulmes Walton Bridge. The matter was raised by a resident at the last Area Forum and Lindsey Hoyle agreed to take the matter on board. Subsequently the Clerk was given a petition signed by a group of walkers who tried to complete the route over the Easter period. This was forwarded to Lindsay Hoyle and a copy of correspondence relating to this path is attached. Members are asked to consider any further appropriate action.

Members are also reminded that the next meeting of the Parish Cohesion Group takes place on Thursday 15 June at 7.30 pm at Bretherton Endowed School

10. Dog Waste Bin

The Clerk recently met with the Dog Warden from Chorley Borough Council to discuss the location of a dog waste bin near to the Wymott and Garth Club. Members are asked to agree the location of the bin and that the Parish Council is agreeable to meeting half the cost of emptying the bin which is in the region of £80 per year.

11. Finance

- Membership of the LAPTC. Members will recall at the last meeting it was agreed that payment should be withheld until NALC had been contacted, the Clerk will brief on any reply.
- Audit of Accounts. Briefing on the recent audit of the accounts for 2005/06 and approval by the Chairman.
- Approval of Expenditure

12. Planning

New Applications (none yet notified)
Notification of Decisions

13. Parish Plan Implementation

- Communication with Balestrand
- Village Information Point
- Multi User Track

14. Matters of Concern

An opportunity for Members to raise items that need attention or matters for discussion at future Parish Council meetings.

a) HMP Garth – Governor

It is understood that Bob McColm will shortly be leaving Garth to take up a new position at Risley, Members are asked to consider writing a letter of thanks for his help and co-operation.

15. Borough Councillors Report

The Borough Councillors may to bring attention to any matters of mutual interest.

16. Date and Time of Next Meeting

SignedLynne Rowett..... Date 5 June 2006