

COLNBROOK WITH POYLE PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Extraordinary meeting of the PARISH COUNCIL held at the Village Hall, Colnbrook on Tuesday 19th December 2006 at 7.30pm.

PRESENT Councillor L. Tucker (Chairman)
Councillor R. Angell (Vice-Chairman)
Cllrs. Ghatora, Mrs Gipps, Hood, Jones, Laxman, MacDougald,
Rayner and Mrs Underhill

Officer Present: Mr. R.L.N. Hewson (Clerk and Finance Officer)

Slough Borough Council: Cllr. D. Smith

Members of the Public: 3 present

PC/06/67 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

All Present.

PC/06/68 There were no declarations.

PC/06/69 POLICE COMMUNITY SUPPORT OFFICERS

The Chairman gave a report on the public consultation held on 9th December. The turnout had been disappointing and he thanked Cllrs. Hood and Mrs Underhill for their support and attendance at the event. Some 20 members of the public had attended and 15 had filled out the questionnaires regarding the provision and payment for a P.C.S.O., eleven were in favour and four against. He outlined the various ways ahead with various options. Following discussion it was noted that over 2000 cards had been delivered, the event had been publicised and it seemed pointless to go through the exercise once more.

Accordingly Cllr. Hood proposed that the "Parish Council should pay for the provision of a P.C.S.O. at £30,000 with an increase in the precept of £17,000, the balance to be sought from company contribution, otherwise a postponement of the clock provision and use of general fund balance". This was seconded by Cllr. Ghatora. They both then spoke in support of the proposal and it was passed UNANIMOUSLY.

PC/06/70 PRECEPT 2007-2008

The Chairman proposed that the precept recommendation of £65,100 be increased by £17,000 to £82,100. It was seconded by Cllr. Mrs Underhill and passed UNANIMOUSLY.

It was therefore duly set for the year 2007-2008 at £82,100.

The Meeting closed at 8.15 pm.

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