

UFFORD

ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held at 7.00pm
on Tuesday 8th May 2018 in Ufford Village Hall.

1. To note those present:
Chair; Keith Lievesley, Parish Councillors; Frieda Gosling, David Chadwick, Graham Bowes and Julia Alexander. Parish Clerk; Susie Caney and 13 residents.
2. To record apologies for absence: Ward Councillor David Over.
3. Welcome by the Chair. KL recorded thanks to colleagues and David Over and gave a summary of activities over the past year. For a copy of the report please contact the clerk.
4. To confirm the Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held 9th May 2017. These were approved and signed by the Chair.
5. Annual reports were received from:
 - a. Ufford Parish Council: received from Keith Lievesley.
 - b. Ufford Village Hall Committee: received from Fiona Spires.
 - c. Ufford Park Cricket Club: read out by Keith Lievesley on behalf of Chris Parker.
 - d. Friends of St Andrews Church, Ufford: received from Sally Hudson.
 - e. Ufford Heritage: received from Frieda Gosling.
6. Public forum
 - a. David King led the room in a vote of thanks to the Parish Council for the level of involvement and activity members participate in.
 - b. A query was raised asking whether Ufford is likely to get 'hit like Barnack' with plans for a development. Keith Lievesley explained that Ufford is a 'low growth village' and is in a different category to Barnack and Helpston.
 - c. The Parish Council were asked to look into the foul pumping station at Southorpe as it appears waste is pumped from one area and pumped back into another. The heavy vehicles could damage the grass verges on private property and it may affect drains at the bottom of the village.
 - d. Parking can overwhelm the village when there is an event such as a wake on at The White Hart and creates an issue for access for emergency vehicles, with the potential for an accident at the top of the village on the blind bend. The Parish Council will add it to the June Council Meeting agenda and look into solutions with Sue Olver.

The meeting closed at 19.50.