



**Marbury and District Parish Council**

**Marbury Village Hall**

**Monday 10th July 2023 7.30pm**

**Present:**, Councillor Joe Briggs (Chair), Councillor John David, Councillor T Leese, Councillor J Makin, Councillor P Shakeshaft and Councillor F Wilson (Vice Chair)

**Also present:- Ward Councillor J Pearson**

1. **Apologies were received from** Councillor M Turnbull and Councillor R Perry,
2. **Declarations of interest.** There were no declarations of interest.
3. **Dates of next meetings** - The Councillors agreed and approved the following meeting dates:
  - Monday 11th September 2023
  - Monday 13th November 2023

Councillor Fiona Wilson proposed and Councillor Phil Shakeshaft seconded them.

4. **Public Speaking Time**
  - A resident and Councillors discussed issues regarding the local area not having a 20mph speed limit implemented and discussed methods on how to reduce the speed limit.
  - The Ward Councillor introduced himself and updated Councillors about his first two months in post since being elected as a County Councillor:
    - a) The Councillor has met with the Director of Highways and relevant Officers to discuss highway related issues;

- b) The Council will be setting up future task and finish group to deal with road maintenance.
- c) The Councillor was a Member of the Corporate Policy Committee and updated Councillors regarding IT connectivity.
- d) Residents and Councillors were encouraged to contact the Councillor regarding any relevant issues that affected the local community so that he can put a case forward to the Council with sufficient evidence to resolve them.

**5. Minutes of previous Meeting** - The Minutes for Monday 6th March were APPROVED and AGREED by Councillors.

**6. Matters arising**

- Councillor J David met with Highway Officers on the 24th May regarding matters relating to the safety of the roads and raised issues about Station Road, Gully jetting, the fixing of Potholes and the Councils Fix my street reporting system.
- The Ward Councillor gave guidance regarding methods of speed prevention e.g. the loan of speed guns and stickers on wheelie bins.
- Councillors AGREED to purchase a Tommy Statue for £200. Councillor Janet Makin Proposed and Councillor John David Seconded it.

**7. Planning**

Councillors discussed the following Planning Applications:-

**a) New applications (since the previous meeting) as at 17th May 2023 -**

Planning Application Number	Description
23/2175N	<p><b>Proposal:</b> The proposed extension and remodeling of an existing family home.</p> <p><b>Location:</b> Townley Villa, Wrenbury Road, Marbury, SY13 4LU.</p> <p>Link to the Planning Application:  <a href="http://planning.cheshireeast.gov.uk/applicationdetails.aspx?pr=23/2175N">planning.cheshireeast.gov.uk/applicationdetails.aspx?pr=23/2175N</a></p>

	<b>Councillors discussed the Planning Application and AGREED that there was no comment.</b>
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**b) Planning Decisions made:-** Councillors discussed the Planning Application that were awaiting decisions.

**c) Planning decisions since the last meeting -** Councillors discussed the Planning Applications that had been decided since the last meeting.

**8. Correspondence and Clerk's Report -** Correspondence was circulated to Councillors prior to the Committee Meeting.

**9. Financial Affairs**

a) Review and approve financial transactions  
The Councillors APPROVED the transactions below.

**2023/24 transactions**

Invoice Date	Cheque Number	Payee	Details	VAT	Total
18/05/2023	174	Bank	Service Charge		375.93
01/05/2023	N/A	Bank	Service Charge		5.00
1/5/2023	175	HMRC	HMRC		49.20
01/05/2023	176	D Foulkes	Clerks wages May		207.11
17/05/2023	177	Community Heart Beat	Community Heart Beat	87	435.00
10/05/2023	178	L Tiplady/Chester Solutions	Zoho Subscriptions		150.00
01/06/2023	179	Cllr J Briggs	Plants - thank you		32.98

01/06/2023	N/A	Bank	Service Charge		5.00
01/06/2023	301	Avow	Payroll Services		19.50
01/06/2023	302	D Foulkes	Clerks Wages June		218.91
01/06/2023	303	HMRC	HMRC		49.40
2/6/2023	304	Marbury Village Hall	Room hire		230.00
	305	cancelled			
31/03/2023	306	L Tiplady/Chester Solutions	hosting fee 23/24 re written cheque		90.00

**10. Councillors APPROVED and AGREED the following:**

- Annual Governance Statement
- AGR 2022/23

**11. Any other Business**

Councillors discussed the following:

- The age range for use of play equipment on the new PlayGround.
- Issues regarding the trees overhanging the play area.

Meeting finished at : **9.03pm**