

UNADOPTED**MONYASH PARISH COUNCIL**

Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday 10th May 2010 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall

Present: Chairman Cllr Mrs Jean Frost; Cllrs: Bob Woolley; Mark Leach;
Mrs Joanna Scoggins.
Parish Clerk Mrs Alison Wales

13	ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN 2010/11: Cllr Leach proposed and Cllr Woolley seconded the election of Cllr Mrs Jean Frost. This was unanimously approved.
14	DECLARATION OF ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE OF CHAIRMAN: Cllr Mrs Frost duly signed the Acceptance of Office.
15	ELECTION OF VICE-CHAIRMAN 2010/11: Cllr Mrs Frost proposed and Cllr Mrs Scoggins seconded the election of Cllr Mark Leach. This was unanimously approved.
16	DECLARATION OF ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE OF VICE-CHAIRMAN: Cllr Leach duly signed the Acceptance of Office.
17	APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE: County Cllr. Simon Spencer; Dist. Cllr Andrew McCloy; Cllr Colin Macdonald.
18	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST: None
19	MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING: The Minutes of the meeting held on 1 April 2010 were approved as a correct record.
20 20.1 20.2 20.3 20.4	<p>MATTERS ARISING:</p> <p><i>Signs for village lanes:</i> Cllr Mrs Frost will liaise Mr Jack Wake with regard to making these signs.</p> <p><i>Overhanging trees:</i> Cllr Mrs Scoggins has this matter in hand.</p> <p><i>Filing cabinet:</i> Cllr Macdonald is arranging with a locksmith for a key to be made.</p> <p><i>Dog waste problem:</i> Members approved a new sign to be displayed on the village notice board asking dog-owners to clean up after their dog. The Clerk was asked to supply a further sign to be displayed on the car park. Cllr Mrs Frost is to arrange for an article regarding the dog waste problem to be put in the local Contact magazine. The Clerk will contact the District Council to see if further signs can be supplied notifying dog owners of the risk of a fine for allowing their dog to foul. The Council will continue to monitor this situation.</p>
21 21.1	<p>PLANNING MATTERS:</p> <p><i>Applications for consideration:</i></p> <p><u>21.1.1 Ivy Cottage, Rakes Road:</u> Erection of replacement garage/workshop, for Mr A Birch.</p> <p>The Parish Council feels that the principle and use of this proposal is acceptable. However, the council reserves judgement as to the height and scale of the proposed building.</p>

21.2	<p><i>Planning Authority decisions for notification:</i></p> <p><u>21.2.1 Land at Tagg Lane:</u> Extension to existing general agricultural building, for Mr David Sidebottom. Refused Noted</p> <p><u>21.2.2: Tagg Lane Grange, Tagg Lane:</u> Extension to general purpose building, for Mr L Boam. Granted Noted</p> <p><u>21.2.3 Tagg Lane Grange, Tagg Lane:</u> Livestock building, for Mr L Boam. Granted Noted</p> <p><u>21.2.4 Rowson House Farm, Church Street:</u> Barn conversion and extension: Change of use to domestic living accommodation for holiday lets and/or ancillary use, for Mr G Mycock. Granted Noted</p> <p><u>21.2.5 Rowson House Barn, Church Street:</u> Removal of condition 6 of planning permission NP/DDD/1108/0969 to allow for retention of existing Grey's Artstone tiles, For Mr and Mrs Wilgose Refused Noted</p>
21.3	<p><i>Appeal decision notification:</i></p> <p><u>21.3.1 South Croft, Church Lane:</u> Demolish existing conservatory and erection of single storey timber framed glazed conservatory: Rejected Noted</p>
22	<p>FINANCE:</p> <p><i>Payment Approvals:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mrs A Wales Clerk's remuneration and expenses for April. - CC Ltd - Insurance renewal - £297.40 - DALC – Annual subscription – £92.89 <p><i>Payments received:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - £85.12 collected from car park honesty box <p><i>Annual Audit:</i> Approval was given for the Clerk to ask Mrs J Jackson to carry out the Internal Audit.</p>
23	<p>REVIEW OF COUNCIL INVOLVEMENT WITH VILLAGE ORGANISATIONS: The Council has received the financial report from The Palfreyman Trust. The Clerk was instructed to write to Jean Jackson, Clerk of the Trust to express their gratitude for this. Members to look into Council's legal obligations in village events.</p>
24	<p>RENOVATION OF SCHOOL PLAYING FIELD: Mr Mike Harris, School Governor has sent all grant applications and will attend the next Parish Council Meeting to discuss these further. He gave his apologies for this meeting.</p>
25	<p>VILLAGE MARKET DAY: The Clerk has booked Ashbourne Band to play in the village on Market Day. The Chairman will enquire with Mrs Heather Read, Church Warden if the band can play in church if the weather is poor on the day. The Clerk will meet and welcome the band prior to their performance.</p>

26	LAND ADJACENT TO CHANDLERS: Safety concerns had been raised at a previous Council meeting with regard to work recently commenced on this property. The Council is satisfied that these matters causing concern have been rectified and are no longer an issue. However, Members raised the issue of three oak trees which had been removed from this property during building work, which need to be replaced according to PDNPA conditions.
27	PEAK PARK PARISHES FORUM: Circular received. To be held Monday 12 July at the National Park Offices at Aldern House, Bakewell.
28	TOILET CLOSURE: Cllr Mrs Scoggins circulated a recent article from the Matlock Mercury stating the toilet facility in Monyash may be closed or its opening be restricted to assist in funding the new toilet block builds in the District's towns. The Clerk was instructed to write a letter to the District Council expressing the Parish Council's opposition to this and reasons why.
29	SIGNS ON HORSE LANE: It has been brought to the Parish Council's attention that A4 laminated signs with a PDNPA logo have been posted at intervals along Horse Lane warning motorists not to wait or park in passing places. Concerned with the appropriateness of these Members instructed the Clerk to contact the PDNPA to look into the matter further.
30	LITTER: Cllr Scoggins raised concerns with regard to the amount of litter found around land and footpaths surrounding the village following weekend groups of visitors to the area. It would appear that one such group is participants of The Duke of Edinburgh scheme. The Clerk was instructed to explore this further.
31	PAVEMENT OBSTRUCTION: It has been brought to the Parish Council's attention that part of the pavement on Church Street has become obstructed by shrubbery that has overgrown from a residents property. The Clerk was instructed to write to the occupier of this property to ask if it could possibly be pruned back.
32	BUSHES IN SCHOOL GARDEN: Concerns have been raised that the bushes in the school garden have grown and are obstructing visibility at the village crossroads. Cllr Mrs Frost will liaise with the school governors on this matter.

The meeting closed at 9.30 pm.