

**Minutes of the meeting of Great Bealings Parish Council held on
Monday 14th October 2024 at the Angela Cobbold Hall**

Present: Sue Prentice (Chairman) (SP), Colin Hedgley (CH), Caroline Saunders (CS), Rachel Lamb (RL)

In attendance: Mrs Dee Knights (DPK) - Clerk to the Council

1. Apologies for Absence

Apologies were received from Trevor Harris, Regan Scott and John Carter-Jonas

2. Declarations of Interest

NRI District Cllr – CH.

3. Declarations of Lobbying and Responses to Lobbying

None

4. Public Participation Session – none present

5. Planning Applications:

(a) DC/24/3105/FUL – Aberfeldy, Grundisburgh Road – Proposed side extension

Cllrs noted that there were party wall issues with the neighbouring property which must be addressed, but subject to this it was **RESOLVED** to support this application.

(b) Any other applications – None. CH advised that application no. DC/24/0191/FUL re Cherry Tree Cottage has now been withdrawn.

6. SCC Consultation on A12 Road Improvements

SP will submit the PC's comments as follows:

- Stress the need to retain trees
- Reject the suggestion that the shared path from Grundisburgh roundabout should go west to the garden centre entrance
- Reject the additional south bound entrance at the Woods Lane roundabout
- Suggest that all the additional traffic lights at the roundabouts should only be used at busy times

7. Claimed Footpath – SCC Report

Cllrs agreed to accept the proposal that the formal application for the claimed footpath (linking FPs 8 and 11) be rejected.

8. Payment authorisation for Water Testing

Authorisation was given for payment of £18.35 in respect of Nitrate/Nitrite test strips (Proposed by SP, seconded by CS)

9. Grit Bins

SCC have advised that the grit bins will shortly be replenished. A map incorporating reference numbers for the grit bins in the parish has been obtained from SCC. It was agreed to purchase an addition bin to be sited at the bottom of Lower Street near the junction with Lodge Road. This will replace the previous grit heap which SCC no longer replenish.

The meeting closed at 7.15pm

Signed.....
Chairman