

HALSTEAD PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE AMENITIES & HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 19 AUGUST 2009 AT 18.30 IN THE PARISH ROOM, CHURCH ROAD.

PRESENT: Cllr. Jeff Baldwin -Chairman
Cllr. Tony Bent
Cllr. Karen Grosvenor

IN ATTENDANCE: Clerk

The meeting convened at 18.30

- 1 **APOLOGIES** were received and accepted from Cllr. David Taylor who was on holiday. Cllr. Brooker was absent. Committee members signed the attendance register .
- 2 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST** - Nil
- 3 **TO AGREE THE AGENDA FOR A MEETING WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF KENT HIGHWAYS SERVICES**
 - a. Speed Indication Device;
 - b. Traffic calming in relation to pinch points and 20mph areas; laying of speed and traffic recording cables;
 - c. Gulley clearance and flooding in Halstead Lane;
 - d. Obstruction and degeneration of footways;
 - e. Erosion of highway in relation to entrance to Pavilion car park; sight lines in relation to hedges etc (purchase of land);
 - f. Grass cutting.
- 4 **TO AGREE DATES FOR A MEETING WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF KENT HIGHWAYS SERVICES**

Due to forthcoming holidays it was agreed that the Clerk would present the following: weeks commencing 21 September and 28 September 2009 to KHS.

It was agreed not to attend the My Kent Highways On-Line workshop on 2 September in Maidstone or 3 September in Ashford but to request a private visit as had been previously offered to Council.
- 5 **INFORMATION**
 - 5.1 Meeting with Andy Bracey, Highways Engineer SDC

This will take place on Wednesday 26 August at 14.00 in the Parish Room.
 - 5.2 Visit to Kings Hill.

This will take place on Friday 28 August at 10.30am. Cllrs. Bent, Baldwin and Grosvenor will attend. Cllrs. Taylor, Halliday and Brooker are still to be approached. Cllr. Blundell is usually unavailable during the day.

The meeting closed at 19.15