

Sproston Parish Council

Minutes of meeting held 12th February 2018

Present : Cllr.J. McKechnie, Cllr. J Norbury, Cllr.C Sherwin Cllr. A. Ramshall

Apologies : Cllr J. Sheldon, Alan Hartopp (Clerk) CClr.Mark Stocks

Minutes of previous meeting held on the 4th December 2017 were agreed and signed.

Precept : Council agreed to keep the precept at the same level as last year £3900.

Owing to the fact Mark Stocks had to attend a very important meeting in Yeovil at very short notice, the pre arrange discussion on the possible construction of 300 houses and a proposed incinerator in Lostock could not take place. Council would like A.H. to contact Mark Stocks and try and arrange an appointment at his earliest. Action A.H.

New Councillor : We have one volunteer to join the council, A.H. To invite Stephen Walker to our next meeting on 12th March when we can discuss “Code of Conduct” and other issues regulating councillors.

New website : It was agreed to put this on the agenda for our next meeting and appoint various tasks to councillors to ensure the smooth transition of information to this new website. Also it would give the public contact to a councillor specific to their problem.

Broad Band : A new cabinet is located outside Daisy Bank Farm, we need to know what Open Reach plans are for our village Action A.H.

It was agreed to send our usual donation of £100 to the North West Air Ambulance and to make a contribution of £25 to The Christie Cancer Hospital Manchester.

Councillors Reports : No reply has been received from our letter of the 11th January to Gerald Mehan Chief Executive Cheshire West.

Surface of the A54 breaking up near the Fox and Hounds A.H to inform Highways Department.

Poolford Lane is still flooded further contact to Cheshire East, action A.H.

Water main leaking on the A54 150mts West of Poolford Lane on the West bound carriageway

Dates for future meetings :

12th March A.G.M. 14th May 9th July 15th Oct 3rd Dec 11th Feb 2019

Meeting closed 20.00 hrs.

Signed _____

Date _____

Seconded _____