

Shenington with Alkerton Parish Council
Minutes of meeting held in the Village Hall on Wednesday 16th March 2022 at
7.30pm

The meeting commenced at 7.30pm

Present – Cllrs Robin Oliver, Peter Barrett, Jayne Miller, Shaughn O'Brien, District Cllr Douglas Webb, County Cllr G Reynolds and David Best, Parish Clerk. 17 members of the public attended the meeting.

22/030	Apologies for absence: Cllr Simon Porter
22/031	Declarations of Interest: None
22/032	Acceptance of minutes: The minutes of the meeting held on 16 th February had not been circulated so will be agreed at the April meeting
22/033 22/033/1 22/033/2 22/033/3	Open Forum: White Lines on bend at bottom of hill between Shenington and Alkerton – These are rather faded and so will be reported to OCC Highways on Fix my Street. Traffic Calming – A resident requested that flashing speed signs are installed. Emergency Plan – A resident asked if this had been updated. The clerk advised that a previous Councillor had advised that he would update them but had resigned before completing the update. A new Councillor will update the Emergency Plan.
22/034	District and County Councillor Reports: None
22/035 22/035/1 22/035/2 22/035/3 22/035/4 22/035/5	Councillor Reports: Village Maintenance and Improvement – None Transport, Traffic and Roads – None. Planning, Legal & Finance – None. Emergency Plan, Crime Prevention & Environment – None. Internet & Social Media – None.
22/036 22/036/1 22/036/2 22/036/3 22/036/4 22/036/5	Parish Matters: Village Survey Responses – Only two responses have been received. New Parish Councillors – Another resident has indicated that they would like to become a Councillor but wants to wait until their planning application has been determined. Queen's Platinum Jubilee – The Village Social Committee has agreed that it will hold a BBQ and is holding a public meeting to plan further activity and invite volunteers. It has not been possible to hire a gas beacon for The Green so a Beacon might be organised for Shenlow Hill. Parish Council Elections on 5th May – A Notice of Elections will be put in the noticeboards on 28 th March. Residents wanting to become a Councillor and current Councillors wishing to be reelected need to take Nomination Papers to Cherwell District Council by 4pm on 5 th April. CDC will issue a Statement of Persons Nominated on 6 th April. Councillors take office on 9 th May. CDC supported Spring Clean – There are no plans for it this year.

<p>22/037 22/037/1 22/037/2 22/037/3</p>	<p>Planning Applications: 22/00486/F – School House – replace greenhouse with garden studio – PC supports 22/00653/LB – The Old Almshouse – repositioning walls, doors & windows – PC supports 2200489/F – Elan Homes – 49 Houses – Various views were expressed at the meeting including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shenington is a Category C village • Appendix 1 gives a summary of the pre application advice from CDC • There is inaccurate information in the application including incorrect road widths • A lot of people that Elan Homes say they consulted did not receive letters • The Bus Service that Elan Homes advise is in existence is vulnerable as it is funded by Warwickshire CC • The materials are inappropriate for a conservation area <p>The Chairman advised that the PC response will reflect the overall views of the village and would not support the application.</p>
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<p>22/038</p>	<p>Planning Decisions: None since last meeting</p>
<p>22/039 22/010/1</p>	<p>Financial/Administration: Bank Balances – Bank Balances – On 28th February were the total balances were £19,119.55 (£11,862.36 Current & £7,257.19 Deposit).</p>
<p>22/040</p>	<p>Second Open Forum: No discussion</p>
<p>22/041</p>	<p>Passing of accounts for payment: The following were approved for payment: £192.00 – Rural Works – Tree Pruning £150.00 – OALC subscription £40.00 – HMRC – PAYE for November £160.80 – D Best – Pay November</p>
<p>22/042</p>	<p>Any Other Business: None</p>
<p>21/043</p>	<p>Closure of the meeting: The meeting ended at 8.50pm</p>

The date of the next Parish Council Meeting is Tuesday 20th April 2022 at 7.30pm at the Village Hall.

Signed by Chairman.....

Date.....

