

BOTESDALE PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting held Thursday, 17 January 2019
Small Meeting Room, Botesdale Village Hall

Present: Cllr John Abraham Cllr Victoria Curry
Cllr David Green Cllr Chris Lambert
Cllr William Sargeant (Chairman) Cllr Caroline Stratford

Parish Clerk – Leeann Jackson-Eve
1 Member of the public

7.30pm The Chairman welcomed those present and opened the meeting.

1. **Apologies for absence:** Cllrs Ernie Baxter, Des Bavington-Lowe and Greg Russell.
2. **Members Declarations of Interest and Dispensations:** None.
3. **Public Forum:** A member of the public expressed concern that the Neighbourhood Plan would not address ongoing infrastructure issues and would not be effective in deterring further development. It was explained that these concerns had been raised by several residents during the public consultation and had been responded to fully in the consultation statement.

The upcoming Litter Pick was discussed and it was agreed to put it forward for 13 April on the February agenda.

4. **Planning:**
- 4.1 **Ivy House, Back Hills.** Ref DC/19/00032. Householder Application - Erection of single and two storey rear extensions. The PC RESOLVED, with all agreed, to have no objection.
5. **Neighbourhood Plan:** The PC RESOLVED, with all agreed, to approve the submission of the Neighbourhood Plan, as amended following consultation, to Mid Suffolk District Council, subject to the correction of any minor factual, grammatical and spelling errors to the Plan or supporting documents ahead of submission. The PC thanked the Steering Group for all its hard work.
6. **Next Meeting:** 4 February 2019

The Chairman closed the meeting at 8.00pm.