

BLYFORD AND SOTHERTON PARISH COUNCIL

MEETING – 1ST JULY 2019

MINUTES [approved by councillors on 30-09-19].

1. The chairman, Gerard Walker, welcomed councillors Lou Sharman, Barry Martin and Rosemary Parry. The clerk, Caroline Cardwell, was in attendance. Apologies were accepted from Myles Jackson. Tony Goldson [Suffolk County councillor] sent apologies.
2. Vacancies – no candidates forward
3. Election of vice-chairman – suspended,
4. Declarations of interest and any dispensations allowed – none
5. Minutes of previous meeting [20-05-19] were approved and signed as a true record.
6. Matters arising on minutes not on agenda – none
7. Finances –
 - **Balances** at HSBC 12 June 2019
 - Community acct: 8,429.23
 - Latitude account – 7,941.27
 - Total – £16,370.50
 - **Cheque** approved - 473 – C. Cardwell – 270.90 [net sal jun/july]
8. Latitude Festival – Rosemary Parry gave an update on ticket sales and the traffic and footpath restrictions in place for the festival. Councillors discussed various ways of spending the Latitude monies including grants to schools, village party, grants to churches etc.
9. Planning –
 - DC/19/2168: Crossbow Cottages, Sotherton – extension plans – councillors supported this application
 - DC/19/2031/LBC: Sotherton Hall – barn conversion plans supported by councillors
10. Correspondence – none
11. Any other business – the September meeting was put back to Monday 30th, to be in Holton Village Hall.

The meeting ended at 8.05pm

[District councillor – Alison Cackett – arrived at 8.10pm and gave a brief report.]