

## Bulmer Parish Council

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# Minutes of an extraordinary meeting of Bulmer Parish Council held on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> August 2021 via Zoom Video Conferencing

Present: Cllrs Crawshay, Crome, Kershaw, Nichols, Ponty, Raymond, Street

In the Chair: Cllr Raymond Clerk: Claire Waters

Also Present: This meeting was held in the absence of the public due to being the early stages of financial

negotiations and legal proceedings

#### 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

There were no apologies for absence.

#### 2. "IN CAMERA" MEETING

**RESOLVED**: On the grounds of being the early stages of financial negotiations and legal proceedings, to

exclude the public from this extraordinary meeting

Proposed: Cllr Raymond Seconded: Cllr Crome Agreed unanimously

#### 3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None

### 4. COES MEADOW ADJOINING LAND

To decide on the following next steps in the potential purchase of land adjoining Coes Meadow:

**4.1** To agree amount to offered to landowner for land and legal expenses

**RESOLVED:** To offer £23,000 which will include the vendors' costs, to reflect the landowners' request for an offer in excess of £20,000 plus vendor costs.

Proposed: Cllr Raymond Seconded: Cllr Crome Agreed unanimously

**Action**: The clerk will write to the landowners' representative to make the formal offer, subsequent to approval of a draft letter by Councillors

4.2 To select solicitor to act on behalf of the Parish Council

RESOLVED: To appoint Atkins Dellow of Sudbury to act on behalf of the Parish Council

Proposed: Cllr Kershaw Seconded: Cllr Crome Agreed unanimously

**4.3** To decide on content of leaflet to be delivered to residents of Bulmer

**Action:** This matter to be deferred until a response to the formal offer letter has been received, and will be on the agenda for the ordinary Parish Council meeting of Monday 20<sup>th</sup> September

### 5. MEETING DATES 2021

| 20th September 2021 | Ordinary Parish Council | Bulmer Village Hall |
|---------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| 15th November 2021  | Ordinary Parish Council | Bulmer Village Hall |

Councillors: Cllr Antonia Crawshay Cllr Mike Crome Cllr Sarah Kershaw Cllr Laurence Nichols Cllr Cathey Ponty Cllr Rose Raymond

**Cllr Christine Street** 

Signed

**CIIr Rosemary Raymond**