

Draft minutes of the Meeting of Wyeside Group Parish Council held in Moccas Village Hall on Wednesday 5th October 2011 at 8pm

In attendance

Councillor M.Prosser in the chair.

Councillors L.Whittall, R.Dudman, S.Whittall, K.Dale, D.Price,D.Roper,A.Rawstorne

Golden Valley North Ward Councillor P.Price

Gill Whittall, Owen Whittall.

4 Visitors

Public Participation.

Reference was made to planning application (Byecross Farm, Moccas – DMS/111866/F. Mr Fenn advised that a retrospective planning application has been made to erect a new steel framed building to incorporate a toilet and shower block. Work is already in progress to meet the deadline of a successful grant awarded from the Wye and Usk Foundation.

At this stage, the inclusion in the original application, for use of field for siting of yurts type tents and stoning an area for car parking has been withdrawn. A new application to cover these proposals will be made at a later date.

Policing- CSO Kevin Powell reported an increase in scrap metal theft. With winter approaching there will probably be a rise in domestic oil theft. The police are receiving positive feedback from members of the public.

1. Apologies

J.Williams, O.Pugh

2. Co-option of new Councillors

Gill Whittall and Owen Whittall were co-opted to serve as Parish Councillors to represent Moccas and their Acceptance of Office was received by the Parish Council.

3. Declarations of Interest - Nil

4. Previous Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were signed as a true record.

5. Report of North Ward County Councillor

There will be no increase in Council Tax next year.

A bid to create an Enterprise Zone at Hereford's Rotherwas business park will mean thousands of new jobs for the area. As many as seventy businesses are interested.

Local Development Framework (to cover 2011- 2031) – a meeting has been arranged for Monday 24th October at Ewyas Harold Hall at 7pm. As many councillors as possible in the North/South Ward are advised to attend. Six will attend from Wyeside PC.

Constituency boundary zone is to be reviewed which could lead to a change in Ward boundaries.

6. Planning

Nil this month.

