

AWRE PARISH COUNCIL
&
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Report for the Press of Meeting held on 8.6. 2015

Mr K Whalley spoke on behalf of other residents in Awre, saying that they believed that the community benefits package offered by Smith-Gore in relation to the planning application of Awre Peninsular Farmers Solar Scheme was a bribe and that accepting such a package would be tantamount to agreement to the scheme. The public presentation had been misleading. M Leefield felt that they had been betrayed by the local farmers.

The Chairman stated that the finance offered would not affect the Parish Council's comments on the plans. The Council has yet to consider the plans in detail.

Cllr Fellows stated that the Council's Solicitors had confirmed that the Land Registry had acknowledged receipt of the registry application in relation to the Village Green at Awre, which could take six weeks to process.

There were no objections or observations with regard to a Planning Application for the removal of a cherry tree in the Conservation Area, at 6, Moorfield Avenue, Blakeney.

The following Planning Applications have been granted: Railway Bridge, Blakeney. Proposed work to infill a single span metallic bridge; Martins Field, Awre. Discharge of condition (04) vehicular access, (05) hard and soft landscaping relating to Planning Application P1096/14/FUL; Ludlow House, Church Square, Blakeney. Removal of two stems and deadwood from an Ash Tree.

County Councillor Leppington stated that in future any problems relating to potholes or footpaths should be addressed to him as both would come under the remit of the new 'lengthsman' scheme which is to be pioneered in the Parish.

He wanted to make it known that a drive was taking place to recruit people to foster teenagers.

Newly elected District Councillor Gareth Hughes introduced himself to the meeting.

It is hoped that the proposed repairs to the Lychgate at Blakeney Cemetery will commence soon. Access to the cemetery may have to be restricted temporarily to facilitate the work.

The next meeting of the Awre Parish Council will be held on 20.7.2015 at Blakeney Recreation Centre @ 7.00pm. Members of the public are invited to attend and are able to address the meeting at the beginning.