

Summary of Burtle Parish Council Meeting - November 2020

A virtual meeting was held on 4th November 2020.

Highways – Hole in bow bridge in Halter Path Drove still requires repair although Highways Dept say repairs have been carried out. Clerk to contact them to clarify as there would appear to be some confusion with another bridge. Potholes by Mark Road / Robins Lane junction have been repaired. New pothole by Sunset Bay Farm to be reported.

Noticeboards Thanks were extended to Cllr N Ponsillo for renovating the noticeboard by the post box in Burtle Road. Plans in hand to renovate the noticeboard at the Village Hall.

Planning

55/20/00005 Removal of Condition 8 of Planning Permission 90564/1 (Erection of an agricultural dwelling) to remove the agricultural tie at Sunset Bay Farm, Burtle Road

Councillors unanimously agreed that they were unable to support the application for the following reasons:

- *Cllrs feel that a property on working farm should have an agricultural tie*
- *There is permission for a new build property on an adjacent plot with no agricultural tie*
- *Cllrs understand that under the conditions of an agricultural tie it is permissible for a retired worker to live in the property 'the occupation of the dwelling shall be limited to a person solely or mainly working, or last working, in the locality in agriculture or in forestry, or a widow or widower of such a person, and to any resident dependants'.*

55/20/00006 Erection of an agricultural building at Whites Farm, Burtle Road

Councillors unanimously agreed to support the application providing that the building is used solely for the purposes outlined in the application. 'a purpose built- livestock building to provide the required animal welfare for his cattle and meet the Farm Assurance Scheme standards'

Traffic through the Village Chairman and vice chairman recently attended a long-awaited site meeting with the County Traffic Engineer to try to identify cost effective ways to reduce speeding and improve road safety through the village. Traffic Engineer's report with a plan of action based on the observations and discussions is awaited.

Fly tipping there have been several instances of fly tipping around the village recently including some garden waste. Residents are reminded that anyone tipping garden waste on verges or in ditches could be liable to prosecution for fly tipping.

Break ins Cllrs were disturbed to learn of recent attempts to break in property in the parish and urge everyone to be vigilant.

Next meeting Wednesday 2nd December 2020 at 7. 30pm. This will be a virtual meeting with everyone welcome to attend.