

FSPC OPENS SPACES AND BEST KEPT VILLAGE COMMITTEE MINUTES

Meeting held on 18th November 2014 at the Fradley Village Hall

PRESENT: Cllrs H Warburton Chairman, S Lee (Vice Chairman), S Roberts, Mrs V Evans (Clerk)

APOLOGIES: Mrs Beaumont, A Ford

Action

1 Apologies

1.1 As above

2 Declarations of interest on Agenda items

2.1 None

3 Arrangements for Working Parties

3.1 Cllr Roberts reported that it had been a very wet day but a good turnout and the majority of the whips had been planted, although it would be sensible to protect them with rabbit guards

3.2 The Chairman suggested that some of the left over whips could go on the greens at Streethay.

3.3 The creation of a copse of silver birch at Watersmeet was discussed and also some planting at Hay End Lane and Worthington Road to protect the play area from the road

3.4 There would be another working party on November 22 and the working party would take on the epicormic growth at Worthington Road

3.5 It was intended to advertise upcoming events on the website and have regular meetings on set days each month

3.6 Cllr Roberts also reported that the fences were falling apart on Bovis Land and should, perhaps, be replaced with hedges which the BKV Committee would be willing to maintain

3.7 Hi vis waistcoats had been purchased and donated by Cllr Roberts for volunteers' use

3.8 Cllrs were advised by Cllr Roberts that he had received a complaint about the amount of litter around the Faurecia site

3.9 The Chairman agreed to contact Alan Sayers to see if he could help

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3.10 The Clerk was also requested to write to the factories around there to see if there was any action they could take

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3.11 Members felt this might matter could be co-ordinated by the BKV group and the Neighbourhood Plan group to maximise any potential outcome

4 Items for the Next Agenda

4.1 Progressing the BKV application for 2015

Chairman, 16 December 2014