

## MINUTES

of the Meeting of Occold Parish Council held at 8pm on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2007 at The Beeches

Present: Mr K Chittock, Mr B Dyla, Mr J Hewitson

The meeting had been called to discuss a planning application. Mr Andrews did not attend the meeting having declared a prejudicial interest due to his son reporting to one of the applicants in his work

**1. Apologies** had been received from Mrs J Careford, Mr S Hubner, Mr B Hull, and Mr R Owen

**2. Planning application 2110/07: Erection of a summerhouse, 10 Ash Tree Close, Occold**

The application related to the erection of a summerhouse in the rear garden of 10 Ash Tree Close. The houses along this side of the close had acquired a strip of land from the landowner of the field behind some time ago in order to extend their gardens. Many of them already had sheds, play equipment, etc in place and the proposed summerhouse would not be out of keeping with the others. Neither did it seem excessively large. Councillors were surprised that planning permission was needed. Mr Hewitson proposed and Mr Dyla seconded that the application be supported. All in Favour

**3. Change of cheque signatory**

The Clerk had obtained the necessary form from the Nationwide Building Society to change one of the cheque signatories on the Parish Council account from Mr Underwood, who is no longer a Councillor, to Mr Hewitson. Mr Underwood had now signed the form, as had Mrs Careford and Mr Chittock, the existing signatories. Mr Hewitson took the form to complete and to present himself at the building society with the required identification to effect the change

Meeting closed 8.10pm