

SOUTHERY PARISH COUNCIL
Extraordinary Meeting of the Parish Council
Monday 21 September 2020 at 7.30 pm
Virtual Meeting Held via 'Zoom'

Present:

Cllr Alison Youngs (Chair)
Cllr Crispin Copsey
Cllr Javey Osler Cllr Roger Whitehead
Helen Richardson, Parish Clerk & Financial Responsible Person

In attendance:

Members of the Public: 0

91/20 To consider apologies for absence

Apologies were received and accepted for Cllr Annette Osler, (due to not being involved in interviews with the Handyman contractors); Cllr Christine Feltwell, (work commitments) and Cllr Chris Edwards (personal reasons).

92/20 To receive Declarations of Interest on Agenda Items

There were none.

93/20 To Approve Southery Village Handyman Contract or Contracts

The Council had advertised the contract and since met with the two of the three interested contractors. One contractor had pulled out of their application due to other time commitments now in place. Both self-employed contractors who had shown interest had different areas of expertise and the Council wished to benefit from what they could both offer, one more adhoc project work and the other general Handyman maintenance. Jobs could be allocated at a Council meeting depending on skill set and availability of each when required. One contractor could be used as a 'Regular Handyman' at their quoted rate of £10 per hour and the other contractor for 'Adhoc Project Handyman' work at their quoted rate of £15 per hour (half day and full day costs were also available).

RESOLVED: That contractor Andrew Stannard be used as a General Handyman at £10 per hour and contractor Steve Hawkins be used as an 'Adhoc Project Handyman' at £15 per hour. (Cllr Alison Young proposed; Cllr Crispin Copsey seconded, all were in favour).

The Clerk agreed to circulate a draft Contract for approval for contractor A) and B). All Councillors agreed to bring any lists of jobs to the October meeting.

94/20 Date of next meeting – Monday 5 October at 7.30 pm, virtually via Zoom

The date was noted.

Meeting Closed 7.50 pm