

Adam Osman

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to Paula, me

apologies for the delayed response, work has been crazy this week.

What does adjudicating involve? Will i need to go to someone's house? Or perform a second count of the votes so it tallies up?

Also, I understand from a brief conversation with Helen that committee members were paid for their time in the installation of the path.

Have there been other occasions when committee members have been paid for activities undertaken?

Good afternoon, Adam

I've had chance this morning to go through my printed copies of Committee Meeting Minutes, as well as checking my shorthand notes, as far back as when I joined the Committee (late 2018).

Further to your conversation with Helen Savidge and your subsequent email to me, I can confirm that Committee members have been paid for unrelated Committee work.

You will be able to check yourself with all the Minutes, now redacted and posted on the DR web page, as well as my specific findings and David's full and open breakdown of fees incurred with regard to the pinch point..

I can only find two mentions in our Minutes in this connection:

Committee Meeting 26.08.20

"DM/JH would invoice the DRF for their time and materials used".

Committee Meeting 06.03.19

"It was agreed DM should be paid for the work he had put in towards the pinch point, including preparing plans for the Council and three days' work @ £150.00 per day".

In the light of transparency, this email will be added as Agenda item 4 to the Website. It will be addressed by the new Committee in the AGM Minutes following the pinch point vote. We now have four residents willing to form a new Committee and they are being invited to attend the vote opening/counting as, of course, it will be their remit to action residents' comments.

However, if you are unhappy with these findings and wish to propose a further Agenda item, perhaps "I wish to propose a Vote of No Confidence" in the remaining Committee members due to financial impropriety, could you please let me know asap so I can add it on.

Regards.

Paula