

The Chairman, Cllr. A. Thomas, asked the parishioner and owner of Stone House, Jeremy Thickett, if he would like to say anything.

He said that it was a new building with new containers which are indoors thus gaining higher scores with the Food Standards Agency. He said that he was building it up as it took nine months to fit out and had written to the council regarding what he was doing. Jeremy Thickett said that he did not know that part of his land was in a Conservation Area and thought the boundary was on the other side of the road.

Cllr. A. Thomas said that the regulations should have been adhered to and as the property was partly in a conservation area, the Parish Council wanted things to be restored to their original state. They also believed that there needed to be noise and lights comparison. Cllr. W. Shoote said that everything seems to have been done in the wrong order. District Cllr. M. Gower said that the planning application had got into a legal loop which he hoped could be disentangled by the newly appointed planning professional.

Jeremy Thickett said that he had perhaps been too busy with his large business employing many people and should have given more time to his planning applications. He said that he wanted to comply with the rules and wanted to work with the Parish Council.

The Parish Council were pleased that a planning advisor had been appointed and that the meeting had opened a conversation over the issue. They said that Jeremy's large business was valued in the area and did not want to see it damaged. Therefore the Parish Council would be very pleased to work with Jeremy and his business to make sure that the planning regulations are adhered to in the future.

5) **Traffic Report on A144:**

It was noted that Suffolk Highways were holding a consultation on their proposal have been requested to consider a 40mph speed limit on the A144, The Hill and Halesworth Road, Bramfield situated to the north of the village from the existing 30mph terminal signs heading towards Halesworth for 400 metres.

Cllr. D. Hughes said that the proposed 'buffer zone' did not go far enough and she thought that there would be a head-on crash as it stands and under the proposals. She said that the 'buffer zone' should go to the straight length of road and her thirteen neighbours agreed. She also said that the 'buffer zone' to the south of Bramfield should happen as well as the Village crossroads was very close to where it is currently national speed limit.

It was agreed for the council to reply to the consultation and for Cllr. A. Niven to write the letter to be sent to Mr. Mitson.

6) **Telephone Box:**

The Clerk said that he had ordered the glass below and Cllr. D. Hughes confirmed that it had been delivered to her house.

K6 Glazing Kit A	£195.00 excl VAT
K6 Glazing Kit B	£490.00 excl VAT
Defibrillator Sign	£20.30 excl VAT

