

THE MINUTES OF THE ‘ZOOM’ MEETING OF SCAWBY PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON WEDNESDAY 4th NOVEMBER 2020.

In the Chair : Cllr J Frost

Also present: Cllr Mrs T Powell, Cllr Mrs G Siddall, Cllr Mrs M Keyworth, Cllr M Russell, Cllr R Holmes, Cllr J Chamberlain, Cllr N Askew, Cllr D Gibson, Cllr T Barker, Cllr R T Matthews

In attendance : Cllr N Poole, Cllr T Foster, Mrs K Pickering – Clerk.

1. **APOLOGIES:**, Cllr S Kemp, Cllr R Johnson, Cllr P Johnson, Cllr J England.

2. **DECLARATION OF INTEREST** – Cllr M Keyworth – Item 5(c) – Prejudicial – resides next door to property.

3. ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES OF THE ‘ZOOM’ PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 21st OCTOBER 2020

IT WAS RESOLVED to adopt the minutes of the monthly parish council meeting held on 21st October 2020 and authorise the Chairman to sign the minutes.

4. CLERKS UPDATES OR REPORTS

i) Dead trees – St Martins Crescent and Nelthorpes main gate – No further update available.

5. **PLANNING** - Opportunity for one person from each side to state, within 3 minutes, objections/support of contested applications.

a) Application PA/2020/1665 – Planning permission to erect single storey side and rear extension – 20 Sandhurst, Kirton Road, Greetwell.

IT WAS RESOLVED to report **NO OBJECTIONS OR COMMENTS.**

b) Application PA/2020/1494 – Planning permission for change of use of public house to a dwelling with associated works and outline planning permission for the erection of three dwellings with appearance, landscaping, layout and scale reserved for subsequent consideration – King William IV, 177 Scawby Road, Scawby Brook.

The Parish Council, in principal, has no objections to this application as it is a relatively small development but **IT WAS RESOLVED** with 10 votes in favour and 1 abstention to **OBJECT** to this planning application as it is situated outside the development boundary.

c) Application 2020/21 – 1705 – Notice of intention to fell four Laburnum and one Conifer tree, all situated within Scawby’s Conservation area.

IT WAS RESOLVED with 10 votes in favour and 1 abstention to **OBJECT** to this planning application but advise the planning officer that the parish council has no objections to the 2 diseased laburnum trees being felled and the conifer tree but the 2 healthy laburnum trees should remain.

6. REPORTS FROM COUNCILLORS/CLERK : No reports to receive.

a) Cllr Mrs Keyworth – ERNLLCA town and parish liaison meeting – Cllr Mrs Keyworth advised the meeting that the present officers at ERNLLCA will hold their positions until summer 2021. The AGM is scheduled for 26 November 2020(remote meeting) – Cllr’s Keyworth and Holmes will have voting rights at this meeting.

The meeting discussed the problem of the older generation – who may not have the technology - to be able to put forward their views at contentious meetings held remotely. It was noted that residents in these situations should organise one speaker who will put all the arguments forward and Cllr Poole advised that it was important to be proportional – allowing the same amount of time to people speaking from both sides of the argument.

7. CORRESPONDENCE

- ERNLLCA newsletter
- ERNLLCA/NALC – various information emails
- N.L.C – Forthcoming meetings.
- CPRE – newsletter
- CPRE – Highly Commended plaque.
- Letter of thanks from the village hall for the new brick planter.

8. FINANCE

i) Accounts to pay and income received.

PAYEE	CHEQUE NO'	AMOUNT
Clerk - Salary - October	BACS	699.43
Clerk - Expenses :		
Mileage – 19.50		
Stationery//photocopying – 18.60		
Stamps - 21.47		
TOTAL EXPENSES	BACS	59.57
HMRC	3544	26.40
J Frost:	BACS	634.58
Earnshaws – wood – 585.94		
Neighbourhood Watch – 48.64		
Sissons Gardening Services (October monthly payment)	BACS	554.20
WASP – High Viz Vests	BACS	63.00
Kyanite consulting – Website	BACS	147.16
Hetts, Johnson, Whiting (Rent – allotments)	3545	900.00
Sissons Gardening Services	BACS	2,373.48
N Powell – Notice Board	BACS	231.90
Xero	DD	28.80

The accounts for payment were proposed by Cllr Barker and seconded by Cllr D Gibson and agreed with 10 votes in favour and 1 abstention.

INCOME RECEIVED : Football teams - Allbones – rent - £900.00

ii) The financial statement – The financial statement was circulated prior to the meeting and it was noted that the grass verge mowing is over budget but this is complemented by a higher income grant from N.L.C than anticipated so the actual year end spend will be acceptable to income received for this task.

9. POLICE MATTERS

i) Community Speed Watch Initiative – 2/3 community speed watch sessions have been undertaken quite successfully but are now suspended due to the imminent lock down. Clerk to ask W Goodwin for further community speed watch lamp post signs for the village when available.

ii) New Police matters: Disappointingly Halloween pumpkins and treats, left in gardens of residents, were vandalised and destroyed. A car crash at Broughton crossroads has also been reported.

10. NORTH LINCOLNSHIRE COUNCIL HIGHWAYS MATTERS

i) To receive reports from Ridge Ward Councillors: Cllr Foster advised that it is hoped to get the NATS meeting scheduled remotely as soon as possible.

Cllr Poole advised that playing fields and play equipment can remain open (no directive to close as yet) but suitable Covid notices must be in place advising of social distancing etc.

Cllr Poole has received complaints of mud left on roads and he advised that it was the farmers responsibility to engage a sweeper/clean the roads.

Cllr Poole advised the meeting that when the consultation process is to commence on The Grove property he will advise the parish council.

The Ward Councillors advised the meeting that they would support any vulnerable people within their ward during this next lock down period.

ii) Action List: The pot hole at 30 Messingham lane has been repaired. The signs at the Alms Houses are in place. The path at 55 West Street has been repaired and the overgrown hedge at the school has been cut back.

Cllr Mrs Powell agreed to arrange repair to the finger post at Manor Drive and these repairs can be undertaken to within a budget of £100.

iii) New Highways matters: The wet leaves on the pavement near the school and Coach House Gardens have been cleared and the lay by near Lidgetts close has been fully resurfaced with new tarmac laid.

11. PLAYING FIELD AND VILLAGE MATTERS

i. Health and Safety incidents at the playing fields and pavilion – No matters to report.

ii. MUGA Update – Clerk to contact the planning department to ask when a decision on this application is to be made. Clerk to copy Cllr Foster in to this correspondence.

iii. Refurbishment of village signs – Cllr Mrs Powell will contact MD signs at Barton to try and obtain quotations for the new signs required.

iv. Planters beneath village signs – The planters beneath the village signs have been completed and Cllr Holmes suggested that consideration should be given to staining the new planters and the bus shelter in the spring.

v. Area of Land at the co-op – Cllr Frost agreed to call into the co-op to discuss the area of land which needs cultivating and tidying up.

- vi. BNLL – Out of hours straw deliveries – Cllr Holmes advised the meeting that there were a number of lorries which were exploiting the planning conditions for this site and travelling to the site out of the regulated hours and parking up in the vicinity until the site opens. He also advised the meeting that human waste is being deposited within these areas where the lorries are parking and waiting for the site to open. It was agreed that the clerk would contact the enforcement officer at N.L.C to make an official complaint and request a formal warning, regarding the lorries attending the site out of the regulated hours and also contact the environment team regarding the depositing of human waste in this area. Cllr Holmes to provide the clerk with as much detail as possible to make this complaint.

Cllr Holmes requested that N.L.C planning team should be reminded that deliveries are not acceptable on bank holidays and to request that no exceptions are made regarding deliveries over the Christmas period. It was noted that there is storage on the site to cover the 4 day holiday period.

- vii. New village matters:
- Remembrance Sunday – Church will be open 10.30 – 11.30am for private prayer. Cllr Frost will lay a wreath at the war memorial on the village green at 11.00am on Wednesday 11th November.
 - Fly tipping apparent in the vicinity of Sturton lane/Gainsborough Lane crossroads(after Butterfly bungalow towards West Street).
 - The dog bin is overflowing at the entrance to Scawby Park – clerk to report.
 - Cllr Gibson will contact Techcrete with regard to the fitting of the 2nd nameplate at the war memorial.
 - Cllr Mrs Powell offered to help Cllr Barker weatherproof the bus shelter.
 - Cllr Mrs Powell has delivered the Brigg matters magazine in Scawby Brook and will deliver the remaining magazines in Scawby – Cllr Holmes offered to help with Scawby Brook and Cllr Mrs Keyworth suggested placing some of the magazines in the Post Office and Co-op store.
 - Clerk was asked to write to Mr Tom Nelthorpe to enquire if The Estate would kindly donate a Christmas tree to the village again this year.

12. ITEMS FOR PARISH NEWSLETTER /WEBSITE

13. AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MONTHS MEETING

14. DATE OF NEXT MEETING : Wednesday 2nd December 2020– 7.00pm

There being no further business The Chairman closed the meeting at 8.50 pm