

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF WOLD NEWTON PARISH COUNCIL
HELD IN THE COMMUNITY CENTRE ON MONDAY 26th NOVEMBER 2018

PRESENT:

Councillor Lockwood (The Chairman), Councillor Dr Meeson, Councillor West, Councillor Cullen and Councillor Robinson. In addition, parishioners Colin Goodman, Ian & Janice also attended.

ITEM 1 – Apologies and Declarations of Interest.

Councillor Barnes and Councillor Botterill made their apologies for non-attendance and Councillor Robinson declared a non-pecuniary interest through his membership of the Wold Newton Parochial Church.

ITEM 2 – Minutes from the meeting held on Monday 15th October 2018.

The minutes of the meeting held on 15th October 2018 had been circulated to councillors prior to the meeting.

ITEM 3 – Matters arising from the meeting held on Monday 15th October 2018.

It was discussed how Clickham corner has been patched in but nothing long term.

Richard Shipley has kept his unruly sheep in order so there has been less incidents of wondering sheep.

The information leaflets have been distributed and have received some positive feedback.

ITEM 4 – Correspondence.

The Humberside Police Parish/Town updates.

The bus timetables for our bus services have been updated and will be shown in the shelter and the Anvil Arm's window.

An email has been received from Burton Fleming Parish Council regarding the hay bales on the bend between our villages. As they have been out all winter they have become unsightly and the sign fallen off. They thought that Northern Powergrid had placed the bales there to protect the poles been knocked down by traffic, however they have confirmed it wasn't them. Councillor West will try to find out so we will update them when we know more.

ITEM 5 – Defibrillator update.

Jason Stokes has fit the defibrillator so it needs registering with the ambulance service. We can now be paid from Lissett Wind Farm so the clerk will organise the photographic proof of it in the box. We also need to organise the training, Councillor Robinson will ask the school if we can use the hall and their overhead projector.

ITEM 6 – Village green railings

Highways have not got back to us regarding our request to extend the railings, however it was discussed that extending the fence would not prevent the green being misused anyway so they will be left as is. They still need replacing though, we will re-address in the spring and on the walkabout which is due next year.

ITEM 7 – Speeding

Following on from our previous meeting and discussions with Jane Evison, she kindly contacted Katie Stork with all our concerns. The option of the speed radar looks like it has too many hurdles. Jane found out that our re-surfacing is due to be started next Summer, though will be phased over 2-3 years. We will contact Andrew Addison to ask if the road can be painted with the 30mph warning at the same time as the lines are being painted. Jane also informed us of the contact to speak to regarding the speed watch scheme. The Clerk spoke with David Hudson who has added us to the list, the scheme has had a trial which has worked so once the logistics and training is in place we will find out the next step, around March 2019.

ITEM 8 – Benches/bulb planting/footbridge.

The benches have been collected up for winter. The rotten one will be replaced, Councillor West will find out the prices.

The local rotary club have donated some crocus bulbs so Councillor Cullen will ask Tiff if he has some machinery to help her plant them.

The footbridge across the pond needs repairing, Councillor West will find someone who can repair it and the costs involved.

ITEM 9 – Accounts to pay.

A cheque was raised for our annual insurance policy to Zurich Insurance, before sending we need to check the prices for 3 & 5 year policies.

A £300 cheque was raised to Will Gray for the grass cutting invoice.

A cheque for the street lighting was raised for £3424.97.

ITEM 10 – Any other business.

The pipe at Sunnyside cottage was discussed again as when there was heavy rain Councillor West noticed there was definitely a blockage. More investigation is needed.

Janice asked about the trees around the village green and asked who is responsible for the upkeep and if there is money set aside in the precept. There is no separate money set aside as the

Chairman and Councillors are able to keep the trees trimmed. The ones on the village green don't have a tree protection order.

ITEM 10 - Date of the next meeting.

The next meeting will be held on Monday 14th January 2018 at 7.30 pm in the Community Centre.

The meeting closed at 8:45 p.m.

Nicola Stephenson,
Parish Clerk,
26th November 2018

Chairman.....

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