

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF WOLD NEWTON PARISH COUNCIL  
HELD IN THE COMMUNITY CENTRE ON MONDAY 16<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2019**

**PRESENT:**

Councillor Lockwood (The Chairman), Councillor Dr Meeson, Councillor Botterill, Councillor West and Councillor Robinson. Parishioners Ian Robinson, Colin Goodman, Mark and Hazel Grange were also present, along with Wayne Goodwin (Community Speed Watch Coordinator).

**ITEM 1 – Apologies and Declarations of Interest.**

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

Mark & Hazel Grange attended to share their concerns over the Butt Lane corner where a farm vehicle shed it's load of large hay bales. This is in addition to previous accidents involving vehicles and motorbikes. We all agreed the 30mph sign is too close to the village, when it was erected the first row of houses didn't exist so this is a legitimate reason it needs moving. It is almost impossible to get around the bend at 30mph. The Clerk will contact Katie Stork from Highways to request that the 30 signpost be moved, the chevron sign be replaced as the current one is faded and that we require new reflective roadside posts as the old ones have been knocked down. We need to stress that we would like a representative from Highways to see the location to help explain why it requires urgent attention.

Wayne Goodwin attended to give us information about the Community Speed Watch. He explained that we need a speed survey carrying out first to qualify for the kit. We discovered we had a survey done in November 2015 which qualifies us for the speed watch. The speed watch counts and checks the speeds of vehicles, the offenders details are sent to Humberside Police and they are sent a warning letter, if they receive a 3<sup>rd</sup> warning the driver gets a visit from the Police. We need at least 6 volunteers and as we had 6 volunteers in the meeting we advised Wayne we would like to go ahead asap. We just need to arrange a date with him for the presentation and training of the equipment. The Clerk will put details on the website asking for additional volunteers. This is a massive step in our quest to slow down the traffic in our village and we hope to attract many residents to join us carrying out as many checks as we can.

**ITEM 2 – Minutes and matters arising from the meeting held on 1<sup>st</sup> July 2019.**

The minutes of the previous meeting had been circulated to Councillors prior to the meeting.

The Treasurer confirmed the funds from Lissett Wind Farm have reached the account.

Councillor Dr Meeson brought figures for if we decide to turn off the streetlamps between midnight and 5am. Weighing up the cost to replace every lamp with LED photocell style lamps against the savings, it would take 5 years to recoup the cost. We will contact Jane Evison, Jonathan Owen & Paul Lisseter to ask if we can request help in funding this initiative.

**ITEM 3 – Correspondence.**

- The Humberside Police Parish/Town updates are now going to be emailed to Councillors.
- An email update received from Lissett Wind Farm Fund.
- An email from Jonathan Owen & Jane Evison asking if our Councillors give permission to give their email addresses for quarterly newsletters. The Councillors present were happy.
- A letter received from ERYC advising the service level for our street lights will increase from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2020.
- Register of Electors – Notice of Alteration.

**ITEM 4 – Speeding update inc incident on Butt Lane corner.**

Refer to discussions at the start of the meeting.

**ITEM 5 – Footbridge repair update.**

The footbridge has been repaired and the invoice settled.

**ITEM 6 – New land saplings planting plan.**

The Chairman requested help from Mark Grange to plant the saplings and Ian Robinson also volunteered. We will discuss further in November’s meeting.

**ITEM 7 – Planning Application Ref: 19/02640/PLF**

Due to time constraints this application had to be discussed prior to the meeting via telephone conversations and emails between the Clerk, Chairman & Councillors. The agreement was to recommend refusal of the application and comments were added to the planning website within the deadline.

**ITEM 8 – Planning Application Ref: 19/02531/PLF**

Again, due to time constraints this application had to be discussed prior to the meeting via telephone conversations and emails between the Clerk, Chairman & Councillors. The application has no observations from the Parish Council.

**ITEM 9 - Railings around green.**

We have been advised by Carl Skelton of ERYC, on 10<sup>th</sup> July 2019, that as the green has been registered to the Parish Council since 1979, we are responsible for everything on it including the perimeter fencing therefore a like for like replacement is allowed. Councillor West has kindly donated the wood and metal fasteners so it will be erected in the next 2-3 weeks and therefore most likely painted next Spring.

**ITEM 10 - Accounts to pay.**

No accounts to pay.

**ITEM 11 – Any Other Business.**

The Chairman commented that the road between us and Burton Fleming is still horrendous. The Clerk will contact Highways AGAIN.

**ITEM 12 - Date of the next meeting.**

The next meeting will be held on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November 2019 at 7.30 pm in the Community Centre.

The meeting closed at 9:05 p.m.

Chairman.....

Nicola Stephenson, Parish Clerk,  
16<sup>th</sup> September 2019

Date.....