

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Thursday, 21 February 2013 at 7.30 pm

In the Village Hall, Barmby Moor

Present: Councillors Spencer, Vass, Inglis, Haynes, Van Dam and West. Julia Gregory (Pocklington Post) and two members of the public (Mrs Botterill & her daughter).

Apologies: Received from Cllrs. Laverack, Pocklington, Woods, Shepherd. Cllr. Van Dam will be late.

Minutes: Agreed to be a true record, prop. Cllr. Inglis, seconded by Cllr. Vass and motion carried. Minutes signed by the Chairman.

Matters Arising:

Streetscene, Manor Garth cul-de-sac/snicket to Coach House Garth – waiting for update from Jim McGivern on road surfacing at Manor Garth cul-de-sac.

Snicket into Coach House Garth, - Mrs Botterill was invited to talk on her concerns about the snicket, which smells, has problems with litter and dog dirt plus the adjoining fence needs attention. Cllr. Spencer prop. PC accepts ownership and looks into funding, i.e. closing off the snicket if possible. Ask ERNLLCA for advice. Cllr. Vass seconded and motion carried.

Upgrading Street Lighting, Back Lane – Two quotations received from Peter Jacobson. £2636.85 and £4590.48 the latter includes removing 3 wooden poles with 6m columns. Members agreed to go ahead with the lower quote. (Cllr. Spencer prop., seconded by Cllr. Haynes and motion carried).

Windows in bus shelters – Perspex with Sharp's World who will install.

Yorkshire Water – email from Mr & Mrs Cooper of Sutton Lane who have had problems over 18 months with flooding. Chairman & Clerk having a meeting with Michelle Reynolds of YW on 22 February. Members agreed if no satisfaction after the meeting to go higher i.e. Director of YW, MP and Pocklington Provincial Councillors.

Parking outside the school – concerns that staff are still parking on the highway verges. Update to come from Cllr. Laverack.

Gliding Club/Public Footpath – email from Lesley Whitehead (Countryside Access officer), confirming there is a permissive agreement in place between Gliding Club & H. Thirsk for the route the PC suggested. This will avoid walkers crossing the glider path. Forward to Cllr. Shepherd.

Prop. development at Jesfield/St. Catherine's Cottage – no contact received.

Parish Magazine – cheque to be approved under 'Finance'. Preparation of parish news in April.

Pot Hole repairs outside the Post Office – Three stages of pot-hole repairs quoted individually, but totals £3876.75 + VAT. Prop. Cllr Haynes, seconded Cllr. Inglis we go ahead with tarmac plainings, motion carried. PC cannot afford this amount which is nearly one quarter of the precept.

Keldspring Lane – preparation for resurfacing being carried out at the moment.

East Riding Local Draft Plan – being circulated.

Sutton Lane – various issues with ERYC.

Bus Shelters – offer to paint in bright colours by a group of students, prop. by Cllr. Vass. Members thought best to leave however, if a shelter already painted could be viewed. Cllr. Vass will investigate.

Plans:

1. Walker Grain Store – erection of Grain Store on Industrial Estate – (D) Refuse – (i) there will be an increase in traffic on the one existing access road onto A1079 which

is already having problems. (ii) need future connection onto access road to Hodsaw Lane and new roundabout recently installed.

2. Mr. Bartram, Barmby Field House, Keldspring Lane – (C) passing places on Keldspring lane should be imposed.

Planning approval – Mr. D. Robinson, garage extension at The Squirrels.

Planning refusal – Mr. Mitchell, Spring House Farm – glazed canopy and photovoltaic panels.

Tree Works – approval for BM PC to prune willow trees at the Village Green, Beckside.

Finance:

Mr. A Ross £40.00 – cleaning bus shelters x 4 weeks.

Barmby Moor PCC - £246 – church magazine.

Barmby Moor VH - £20.25 – hire of rooms.

Creative Landscapes - £165.00 – spreading and de-icing footpaths.

Correspondence:

Chairman's Awards – nomination submitted for David Nixon.

Isabel Malin – complaint about horses using the pedestrian/cycle path. Prop. to discuss at the APM.

Creating a Neighbourhood Development Plan of Industrial Estate – Pocklington TC is preparing a plan and wishes to include the Industrial Estate (not in their parish). Members agreed they can go ahead as long as a member of BMPC is included on the committee.

Mr. W. Evans, Sutton Lane – complaint about the state of road in the Sutton Lane cul-de-sac – Clerk forward to Highways.

Cheaper Energy Together – households and businesses can take part in bids for cheaper energy. Registration closes on 9 April, press invited to help advertise.

Community Funds linked to Energy related developments – information from ERYC giving the criteria from Developers on voluntary donations given as a result of wind farms etc., and other related developments.

Holme Road roundabout – Cllr. Vass gave information on the prop. new roundabout and asked members if they have any objections. Members agreed to give their support.

Charity Talent Evening – on 18 April in aid of PTC's Mayor's Charities 2013.

Briarsfield – letter from Revd. Canon Hewitson expressing concerns about state of the road at Briarsfield and damaged grass verge. Clerk forward to Highways.

Councillors Requests on Items for future Agenda:

Youth Grants – Cllr. West stated 20 had been issued and waiting for further notifications in April.

Dog Fouling and Prohibiting Dogs on the VG – someone is allowing their dog to foul the footpaths in the village. Clerk also to check the bye-laws with ERNLLCA regarding prohibiting dogs on the VG using a lead.

Grass Cutting and state of verges near Nottingham Farm - Clerk to contact ERYC on their responsibilities maintaining the grass verges at this end of the village and near the Pumping Station. Also state of verges near the PS after YW maintenance repairs were carried out.

B1246 – state of dyke – blocked after hedge cutting by the farmer.

Annual Parish Meeting – on 11 April. ERYC will not attend to speak on YORSwitch as registration closes two days before the meeting.

There being no further business, the Chairman closed the meeting at 9.22 pm.