

Bonby Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting

Minutes of the meeting of Bonby Parish Council held at 7pm on Monday 12th October 2015 at the Village Hall, Bonby.

Present: Cllr Harriman (Chair), Cllr Nik Smith, Cllr Norman Smith, Cllr Higson.

One member of the public.

Public Comment

Concern about garden waste dumping at the bottom of Carr Lane.

1. Apologies

None

2. Declaration of Interest

Cllr Nik Smith – Item 11.

3. Minutes of Previous meeting

The minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on Monday 7th September 2015 with the agreed matters of accuracy were approved and signed as a true and correct record.

4. Clerk's Report

Nothing to report.

5. Police Matters / Neighbourhood watch / NATs

Poaching remains a problem.

6. Report from Local Councillors

No ward councillors present.

7. Highways / Neighbourhood Services & NLC issues

No issues of note.

8. Planning

To receive any decisions made by North Lincolnshire Council and to consider any other planning applications received where comments have to be submitted before the next meeting.

The Council discussed the following applications:

PA/2015/1087- Proposal for 58 metre high wind turbine at Horkstow – Applicant Mr Bruce Rowles. The Parish Council unanimously agreed to object to this and to register a complaint about the lack of consultation from NLC regarding this. This is the second turbine the applicant wishes to build in the vicinity of the original Saxby Wold Wind Farm and as that was rejected at the highest level, the PC feels this is an attempt at a wind farm by stealth. The original objections to the Saxby Wold Wind Farm are still relevant with regard to this.

PA/2015/0991- Application from Mrs P Coyle to for change of use of the Post Office and shop from commercial to residential. The Parish Council agreed that despite amendments the original PC objections remained.

9. Resignation of Cllr Christine Brewer

Cllr Christine Brewer has resigned from the Parish Council due to other commitments. The Parish Council would like to thank her for her work on behalf of the village and wish her all the best.

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10. Correspondence for discussion/decisions

a) PFK Littlejohn – Confirmation of completion of the external audit with all matters in order and no issues raised.

11. Accounts

- a) It was agreed to pay the Clerk's salary and expenses.
- b) It was agreed to pay the Low Villages Forum membership donation of £60.
- c) It was agreed to pay PFK Littlejohn £120 for the external audit fee.
- d) It was agreed to reimburse Mr Richard Smith £679.76 for Bonby Day.
- e) It was agreed to reimburse Mr R Smith £68.81 for the cost of materials for siting of the bench to the north of the village on Main Street.
- f) It was agreed to reimburse Mr R Smith £89.30 for the cost of materials for installing the new playing field benches.

12. Minor Items

None

13. Agenda items for next meeting

Gilman Trail.

14. The date of the next meeting will be 2nd November 2015 at 7pm

It was resolved to close the meeting to the public and press. To discuss employment issues.
