

CAWTHORNE PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF CAWTHORNE PARISH COUNCIL HELD IN THE MOXON ROOM, CAWTHORNE VILLAGE HALL ON THURSDAY 5th JULY 2018

Present

Councillors: Cllr D Asquith, Cllr R Barr, Cllr M Broadhead, Cllr P Kilner, Cllr J Walker
Chairman: Cllr D C Hindley.

Clerk: Mrs S M Bashforth

Internal Auditor: Mr K Arundel

Ward Councillors: none

Members of the public: Two

Member of the press: one

Absent: Cllr E Ellis.

[Note: Prior to the meeting the Parish Council had a closed meeting with Mr Rob Winters, DPO for BMBC and appointed DPO for Cawthorne Parish Council]

Prior to the meeting the members of the public informed the Parish Council that the loud music from the Spencer Arms was causing nuisance, as was clients of the pub parking in Orchard Terrace. The noise was going on past 9pm when the resident was trying to get children to sleep. They were also concerned about the behaviour of some clients, in particular a recent fight and litter and glasses being left in the Orchard play area.

One member of the public pointed out that the road adjacent 1 Orchard Terrace is a private road for use by residents of Orchard Terrace, BMBC and British Gas only and not a public footpath or right of way.

It was agreed that the Parish Council would write to BMBC to ascertain the terms of the entertainment licence held by the Spencer Arms.

The members of the public then left.

Prior to the commencement of the meeting the Parish Council stood for a minute silence in remembrance of Ian Claxton, past member of this council.

Cllr Asquith gave a eulogy.

Minute No 74 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

None

Minute No 75 DECLARATION OF PECUNIARY OR NON-PECUNIARY INTERESTS

None

Minute No 76 ACCEPTANCE OF THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

The minutes of the Meeting of the Council held on Thursday 7th June 2018 were accepted as a true record and signed by the Chairman.

Resolved

Minute No 77 ARRANGEMENTS FOR CO-OPTION ON NEW COUNCILLOR

It was agreed that notices be placed in the Council's notice board, Parish Notes, Church Parish Magazine, and the Barnsley Chronicle would run a piece. Interested persons to write to the Parish Council c/o the Clerk saying why they are interested and what they could bring to the council and the village. Closing date to be 21st August. The Chair, vice-chair and one other councillor (to be decided) to sit on an interviewing panel.

Resolved

Minute No 78 APPOINT VICE-CHAIR

Cllr Kilner was duly appointed as vice-chair for the remainder of the council year

Resolved

Minute No 79 CLERK'S REPORT

The Clerk reported that

1. The insurance has been renewed
2. Overhanging vegetation on Tivy Dale has been reported to BMBC
3. The 3 dead cherry trees in cemetery have been felled
4. Letters have been sent to Spencer Arms and Cawthorne Club regarding the complaints about noise.
5. The Annual Return and notice of the public exercise of rights are displayed in accordance with legislation.
6. Letter of thanks sent to Sharon Pitt for her work as a councillor.
7. Forwarded pertinent parts of letter received regarding derelict state of 2 Hill Top to BMBC.
8. TPO application submitted for the oak tree on Cliffe Hill.
9. Note that in Nov 2016 email from tree officer at BMBC to say that TPO on copper beech tree in 1 Tivy Dale Close is waiting for objection period to expire before confirmed permanent. (*therefore we can assume it is now in place.*)

Minute No 80 CORRESPONDENCE

All routing correspondence has been dealt with

1. BMBC, in reply to 2. above, has sent letters to 1 and 3 Tivy Dale Drive
2. Notification of NALC Annual Conference, 30th/31st October 2018
3. Complaint from resident of Darton Road about noise from Spencer Arms
4. Silkstone Parish Council Newsletter, summer 2018
5. Reply from Cawthorne Club ref complaint about noise.
6. Reply from Spencer Arms ref complaint about noise.
7. Notification of Joint Annual Meeting of YLCA, 14th July, Wetherby

Minute No 81 MEMBERS' REPORTS

Cllr Kilner reported that (i) the bench at the top of the cemetery needs repairing (DA to speak to Roy Shaw to get quote) (ii) the sign on the Green advertising the Post Office needs removing (iii) some parishioners have asked if the felled trees in the cemetery are to be replaced.

Cllr Walker reported that he has heard on the news that all defibrillators are to be the responsibility of the village and not the air ambulance, therefore this will most likely fall parish council. (Andrew Barker to be contacted to confirm this.)

Cllr Broadhead reported that (i) 2 Hill Top is still in a very poor state of maintenance and that there is vegetation growing on the public footpath (ii) asks that a letter of thanks be sent to a parishioner for her help with the objections to the Local Plan.

Cllr Asquith reported that (i) she still considers a business sign to be inappropriate for the village setting (ii) there was another road traffic accident on Monday 2nd July involving a motor bike and a car at the junction of A635 and Barnsley Road (iii) she had received a letter from SYPTE explaining the removal of the bus stop sign by the Fountain.

Minute No 82 REPORT FROM NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN STEERING GROUP

The following report was received- The second version of the plan is now being finalised with a view to getting it to BMBC before the end of July to enable a meeting with them in August/September. Once we have had the meeting with BMBC and made any revisions necessary the plan will be put to the Parish for their comments.

Minute No 83 LIST OF HERITAGE ASSETS

The Neighbourhood Steering Group asked for a list of Local Heritage Assets, being buildings which are not listed but are of importance to the village. A list was compiled.

Minute No 84 LOCAL PLAN

Mr Butterworth asked BMBC to confirm that if objections are raised to the inspector's findings we will have the opportunity to refute these. Mr Jenkinson from BMBC replied that the forthcoming consultation will relate specifically to the modifications to the plan but the Inspector has said there will be an opportunity to comment on the sites referred to in her

letter. It will not therefore be the case of refuting whatever is said but rather reiterating your previous comments. By way of reassurance, the Council (BMBC) will not be pushing the case for any of the sites referred to in her letter and the prospects of the inspector making a u-turn are therefore very slim.

Minute No 85 CONSERVATION AREA BOUNDARY CHANGES UPDATE

Cllr Asquith gave a recap. Cllr Hindley has spoken to the chair of the Neighbourhood Plan steering group. The application for a grant etc. is in hand with them.

Minute No 86 LITTER BIN BY THE FOUNTAIN

Letter sent acknowledging that seat and litter bin by the Fountain is on private land. No further communication received.

Cllr Asquith has spoken to the previous owner of Red House. Permission had not been sought when the original bin was erected but when it was replaced with the millennium bin the owner asked that the position of it be moved.

The Clerk had done some research of past minutes etc. but had not found much reference to the bin. There was a hand written note on a land registry index map search of 9 February 2006 - "Peter Kilner spoken to Mr J Marsden. No problem. Can keep seat etc. on land".

Minute No 87 REVISED STANDING ORDERS

The Clerk gave out copies of the revised Standing Orders to those councillors who had not received a copy electronically, and gave a brief report. Revised Standing Orders to be adopted at the next meeting.

Minute No 88 APPROVE EXPENDITURE FOR FELLING TREES

£520 was approved for the felling of the three dead flowering cherry trees in the cemetery.

Resolved

Minute No 89 FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS

The following transactions were approved

Receipts

Cemetery £135

Payments

Cheques issued and SO and DD between last meeting and this meeting

R S Carpentry	Repairs to play equipment	£25.00
D Asquith	Plants for Peace Garden pots	£78.50
Plusnet	Internet	£7.99
Pro-Logic	Backup and anti-virus	£7.50
Yorkshire Water	Water bill, cemetery	£6.70
S M Bashforth	Salary June	£700.0

Invoices to be approved for payment

Tree-Canopy-Climb	Felling three trees	£520.00
S M Bashforth	Expenses	£154.52

Resolved

Minute No 90 PLANNING APPLICATIONS

The following planning application was considered

Appeal: Application No 2017/1587

Low Mill Farm, Fall Head Lane, Silkstone, S75 4LB

Change of use from agricultural building to dwelling house (prior Notification-Change of Use)
The parish council had no further comment to make to this application

Resolved

Minute No 91 ANY URGENT BUSINESS

None

Minute No 92 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

It was resolved that the next meeting be on Thursday 2nd August 2018

Resolved

There being no further business the Chairman thanked all for attending and closed the meeting.