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## THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF SCAWBY PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON WEDNESDAY 7<sup>th</sup> MARCH 2012 at 7.00pm IN THE VILLAGE HALL.

In the Chair: Cllr R T Matthews

Also present: Cllr Mrs Jarratt, G Platts, T Barker, Mrs Keyworth,

J Frost, B Overal, P Johnson, D Hulse, A Hobson.

In attendance: Mrs K Pickering – Clerk.

Cllr's Foster and Poole.

**PUBLIC FORUM** - No members of the public present.

1.**APOLOGIES :** Cllr J Kitwood, Cllr M Burkinshaw, Cllr K Brown, Cllr Mrs Powell, Cllr J England.

2. **DECLARATION OF INTEREST –** Cllr's Mrs Jarratt, Cllr Johnson and Cllr Barker – Item

7(v).

## 3. ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON

1<sup>st</sup> FEBRUARY 2012.

**IT WAS RESOLVED** unanimously to adopt the minutes of the meeting held on 1st February 2012 and authorise the Chairman to sign the minutes.

# 4. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 1<sup>st</sup> FEBUARY 2012.

- i) St Hybalds Grove nameplate sign this matter has been reported to N.L.C and a request made for the nameplate to be repaired.
- ii) The Grove Cllr's Hobson and Mrs Jarratt attended a liaison meeting at The Grove recently. There have been some problems recently at The Grove. Cllr Barker suggested writing to N.L.C as Children's services are being rationalised by N.L.C and a new build is being planned and therefore N.L.C should be asked what their intention is for the Grove in Scawby.
- iii) Sign replacement and renewal of road markings at T junction at the bottom of Church lane this work has been completed.
- 5. **PLANNING -** Opportunity for one person from each side to state, within 3 minutes, objections/support of contested applications.
  - i) Application 2012/0128 Planning Permission to erect a detached garden room 61
    Scawby Road, Scawby Brook, Scawby IT WAS RESOLVED to report NO
    OBJECTIONS OR COMMENTS.
  - ii) Application 2012/0228 Planning permission to create a new vehicular access 35 West Street, Scawby IT WAS RESOLVED to report NO OBJECTIONS OR COMMENTS.
  - iii) Application 2012/0264 Planning permission to erect a single storey rear extension The malting, Scawby Road, Scawby Brook, Scawby IT WAS RESOLVED to report NO OBJECTIONS OR COMMENTS.

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6. CORRESPONDENCE.

Brigg Squadron ATC – Donation request – clerk to ask for accounts and how many participants are from Scawby.

Lincoln & Lindsey Blind Society – Donation request.

HUNBRELLA – Voluntary car service – Donation request – clerk to ask for accounts and how

many users of this service live in Scawby.

N.L.C – Localism Act 2011 – Standards.

### 7. FINANCE.

- i) Financial Statement circulated for consideration.
- ii) Accounts for payment:

Payee	Cheque no	Amount
Clerk - Salary - February	2746	535.27
Clerks - Expenses :		
Mileage – 30 @ 65p – 19.50		
Stationery//photocopying – 18.90		
Stamps – 15.24		
Quarterly allowance – 85.00		
TOTAL EXPENSES	2747	138.64
CPRE membership	2748	29.00
R T Matthews – Quarterly allowance	2749	140.00
Scawby Village Hall – rent	2750	129.00

IT WAS RESOLVED to accept the above accounts for payment – proposed by Cllr J Frost and seconded by Cllr P Johnson and unanimously agreed.

- iii) To consider the quotation from Barton Mowing Services to prune back lower branches from trees at the playing field and play area to enable mowing £250 + vat IT WAS RESOLVED unanimously to accept this quotations.
- iv) To consider the quotation from Barton Mowing Services to prune back the hedge from the entrance to the play area one side only £150 + vat IT WAS **RESOLVED** unanimously to accept this quotation.
- v) To give consideration and to set a budget to finance activities/events to celebrate the Queens Diamond Jubilee.

Cllr Jarratt advised the meeting that a table top sale – organised by Cllr Hulse and Mrs Hulse will be held in April to try and raise funds. The village hall committee will purchase bunting and any decoration requirements for the hall.

Cllr Frost proposed a budget of £1000, seconded by Cllr Platts. 6 votes were recorded in favour of this proposal and 1 abstention recorded.

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#### 8. POLICE MATTERS.

i) Ridge ward crime report – to be circulated by email and post when received.

#### 9. NORTH LINCOLNSHIRE COUNCIL HIGHWAYS MATTERS

i) New highways matters to report.

The grass verges on Scawby Road have deteriorated – clerk to ask an officer from Highways to inspect the verges with Cllr Overal.

There has been no response for the request for work on the road surface on Church Street - clerk to write to the Chief Executive requesting a response. The glass panel has still not been replaced at the bus shelter on Mill lane – the panel is propped up behind the shelter.

The grass verges have been damaged by Open Reach on the corner of Messingham lane and need attention.

#### 10. PLAYING FIELD AND VILLAGE MATTERS.

i) To receive and give consideration to the email correspondence received from Scawby PCC – It was noted that the parish council had given an historical agreement to fund the electrical lighting costs to the flood lighting – however the clerk will advise the PCC that although the current parish council acknowledge

this

agreement unfortunately it is not legal to 'promise' money on a year on year

basis

and that their request must be considered annually. The clerk will also advise the PCC that as their request has already been considered – a resolution proposed

and

voted upon – it cannot be an agenda item and discussed again for 6 months.

Clerk

will advise the PCC that it will be placed on the agenda again in July 2012.

ii) New Village Matters:

Business trading as 'Charmed Beauty' – clerk to enquire if relevant permissions have been granted.

The playing field fence has been broken – it was agreed to leave it as it is. Union Jack Flag for the Diamond Jubilee – Sue Rhodes has agreed to have a

look

for the flag - Cllr Platts will look into the cost of purchasing another flag and

report

to the next meeting.

It was reported that the Skate Park in Scawby Brook is littered with rubbish -

clerk

to ask Halyna to provide litter bins in this park.

Cllr Keyworth reported that the finger sign directing to the telephone box on Church Street is still in place – clerk has asked N.L.C to remove this sign on numerous occasions but to date they have not removed it.

It was reported that Scawby is still experiencing problems with BT and

broadband.

Cllr Poole advised the meeting that there is a bid to improve the service in rural areas and work will commence in April 2013. An email will be circulated to all councillors asking for support in improving the broadband system in rural areas. It was noted that all the glass panels in the telephone kiosk on the village green

have

now been broken.

## 11. ITEMS FOR PARISH NEWSLETTER

No items to report.

## 12. AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MONTHS MEETING.

No items requested.

## 13. **DATE OF NEXT MEETING:**

The next meeting of the Parish Council will take place on Wednesday April 4th 2012 at 7pm in the Garden Room.

There being no further business The Chairman closed the meeting at 8.05pm.