SCAWBY PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Annual Meeting of Scawby Parish Council held on Wednesday 7th May 2014 at 7.00pm in Scawby Village Hall.

Present: Cllr(s) J Frost, B Overal, T Barker, R T Matthews,

D Hulse,, Mrs Keyworth, Mrs Powell,

M Burkinshaw, M Russell ,P Johnson, Mrs Nelthorpe.

In attendance: Cllr's Poole, Foster and England.

Mrs K Pickering - clerk.

1. ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

Cllr J Frost - proposed by Cllr P Johnson, seconded by Cllr B Overal. **Elected unopposed.**

2. ELECTION OF VICE CHAIRMAN

Cllr T Barker - proposed by Cllr Mrs Powell, seconded by Cllr P Johnson. **Elected unopposed**.

3. **APOLOGIES**: Cllr Mrs Revitt, Cllr J Kitwood, Cllr G Platts, Cllr N Poole, Cllr J Kitwood, Cllr T Foster.

3a. DECLARATION OF INTEREST ON ANY AGENDA ITEM.

Cllr J Frost – Item 5(a)

K Pickering – clerk – Item 5(b)

4. ELECTION OF COMMITTEES:

a) Planning Committee

Cllr(s) Frost, Matthews, Platts, Overal, Johnson, Barker and Powell.

Elected unopposed

b) Playing Field Committee

Cllr(s) Frost, Platts, Hulse, Barker ,Russell and Mrs Nelthorpe.

Elected unopposed.

c) Personnel Committee

Cllr(s) Matthews, Hulse, Burkinshaw and Russell.

Elected unopposed.

d) Finance Committee

Cllr(s) Frost, Hulse, Burkinshaw, Mrs Keyworth and Mrs Revitt.

Elected unopposed.

e) Disciplinary/Grievance Panel

Cllr(s) Kitwood, Frost, Mrs Keyworth and Mrs Powell.

Elected unopposed.

4. ELECTION OF REPRESENTATIVES

- a) Village hall representative Cllr Mrs Powell Agreed unanimously.
- b) ERNLLCA representative Cllr J Kitwood Agreed unanimously.
- c) Police Liaison representative Cllr's Johnson, Hulse and Matthews agreed unanimously.

5. REVIEW OF SALARIES, WAGES AND ALLOWANCES:

a) Chairman's Allowance.

The Chairman declared a prejudicial interest in this agenda item and left the room.

Proposal: Allowance to remain at £560 – proposed by Cllr Johnson, seconded by Cllr Matthews.

IT WAS RESOLVED unanimously that the chairman's allowance remains at £560 per annum with a review after 6 months.

- b) Clerks salary national increase for 2014/15 has not yet been agreed.

 The clerk will advise the meeting when an agreement has been reached and IT WAS RESOLVED that the increase would be automatically implemented.
- c) Clerks quarterly allowances.

The allowance to remain at £80/quarter.

Agreed unanimously.

6. REVIEW OF HIRE CHARGES FOR PLAYING FIELD AND SPORTS PAVILION.

Motion 1 – To keep the existing charges in place for 2014/14

Proposed by Cllr Barker, seconded by Cllr Matthews

Motion 2 – To increase the senior match charge to £25 per match

Proposed by Cllr Johnson, seconded by Cllr Hulse.

Motion 2 was defeated by 6 votes : 5 votes

Motion 1 was carried by 7 votes: 4 votes.

The charges at the playing fields for 2014/15 will remain as follows:

Match - seniors- £24.00Match - juniors- £17.00Training- £10.00Outside users surcharge- £10.00Use of pavilion- £20.00

All charges are inclusive of VAT

The meeting noted that Neil Johnson and his son Ryan work tirelessly to organise and promote the football matches at the playing fields. They do a really good job and the parish councils' gratitude for their work is recognised.

7. ATTENDANCE SHEET FOR 2013/14

The councillors attendance at meeting document was circulated prior to the meeting and approved.

8. TO RECEIVE/CONFIRM AND ADOPT THE FOLLOWING POLICIES

- a) Risk Assessment
- b) Standing Orders and Financial Regulations
- c) Insurance Policy to be reviewed when new play equipment purchased.
- d) Asset Register to be reviewed over the forthcoming year to ensure all assets are recorded and are insured as necessary.

 Clerk to send all councillors the template asset register which they can update and provide details of any additions to the clerk.
- e) Equal Opportunities Policy
- f) Play, strategy and health and safety policy play area, West Street, Scawby.

IT WAS RESOLVED unanimously to accept and approve the policies as listed above.