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**THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF SCAWBY PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON  
WEDNESDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> AUGUST 2016 at 7.00pm IN THE VILLAGE HALL.**

In the Chair : Cllr J Frost

Also present: Cllr Mrs Keyworth, Cllr P Johnson, Cllr Mrs Powell, Cllr Mrs J Chamberlain,  
Cllr T Barker Cllr R T Matthews, Cllr J Kitwood, Cllr D Gibson, Cllr B Overall,  
Cllr M Russell, Cllr M Pendleton, Cllr Burkinshaw.

In attendance : Mrs K Pickering – Clerk.  
Cllr Poole.  
24 members of the public.

**Welcome to representatives from Sibelco to advise the meeting of their intention regarding  
the proposed extension to Messingham Sand Quarry – North of Brigg Road – directly  
opposite the current quarry.**

Matthew Shorland from Sibelco addressed the meeting about a proposed planning application for the Messingham Sand Quarry. Mr Shorland advised the council that work would be in 10 week blocks – 2 or 3 times a year. He envisaged no increase in HGV traffic through the village of Scawby. The planning application is expected in September of this year.

**PUBLIC FORUM**

Member of the public addressed the parish council on the following issues:

- a) Straw litter – Scawby Road, Scawby Brook. The member of the public felt that the parish council has become 'content' in their negotiations with BNLL regarding the problem of straw litter and that BNLL should be challenged more forcefully to do something about the straw litter on grass verges and driveways. He also felt that the grant money should be used to help residents on Scawby Road, Scawby Brook.
- b) Overgrown grass close to and around the village sign on Kirton Road, Greetwell is causing visibility problems for residents exiting their property. This is an agenda item to be discussed later in the meeting.
- c) The Co-operative Store planning application: Points made regarding this planning application were as follows:
  - i) There will be an Increase in traffic to the area – delivery lorries and customers – which is in very close proximity to the school and will cause and increase in danger to road users and pedestrians. The twelve additional car parking spaces will not counteract the danger and hazards created by the shop being located in this vicinity. School children will be put at risk. The road is particularly narrow at this location, with more traffic and footfall created – thereby more manoeuvres, an increase in danger to drivers and pedestrians will be created.
  - ii) It was claimed that The Post Office would close if the Co-operative store were to be granted planning permission.
  - iii) Residents living in close proximity to the proposed site expressed concern that their property values would fall
  - iv) Locating a Co-operative store opposite the school will be detrimental to the existing centre of the village – the hub of the village will be diluted and would eventually cease to exist.
  - v) The representative from the Co-operative store advised the meeting that the parish council had been consulted on this proposed planning application in December 2015. He also advised the meeting that Highways at N.L.C are generally happy with the proposed planning application.

1. **APOLOGIES** – Cllr J England, Cllr T Foster.

2. **DECLARATION OF INTEREST** – Cllr M Keyworth – Item 8(iii).

3. **ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 6<sup>th</sup> JULY 2016.**

**IT WAS RESOLVED** to adopt the minutes of the parish council meeting held on 6<sup>th</sup> July and authorise the Chairman to sign the minutes.

4. **PLANNING** - Opportunity for one person from each side to state, within 3 minutes, objections/support of contested applications.

a) Application PA/2016/888 – Planning permission for the erection of a single storey neighbourhood foodstore (Class A1 use), the creation of a new vehicular and pedestrian access, car parking, external plant equipment landscaping and associated works – Land off west Street, Scawby.

A request was made for a recorded vote on this matter – however the decision of the council was unanimous.

**IT WAS RESOLVED UNANIMOUSLY** to **OBJECT** to this planning application providing the following reasons for the objection:

- i) Traffic Generation and Highway Safety – The location of the proposed application will force school children, when walking to school, to cross the entrance to the proposed co-operative store, before they reach the pelican crossing to cross over to the school side of the road. Crossing the co-operative entrance is a huge concern, risk and danger to school children. The road at this location is only 12ft wide which is quite narrow in light of the volume of HGV's passing through the village on a regular basis which will increase the danger to all road users in this vicinity.
- ii) The provision of 12 community car parking spaces will be ineffective – it will be impossible to 'police' the users of these spaces to ensure their availability at crucial times of the day.
- iii) The proposed development is in open countryside which is inside the development line.

b) Application PA/2016/963 – Advertisement consent to retain signage - The Old Parsonage, Vicarage lane, Scawby.

**IT WAS RESOLVED** to report **NO OBJECTION OR COMMENTS** – 10 votes received in favour of this proposal and 3 abstentions.

5. **MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 6<sup>th</sup> JULY 2016.**

i. Straw litter – Scawby Brook – The tree branches on the corner have been cut back.

At the present moment in time there is not sufficient evidence of the straw litter being at such a level that a case against BNLL can be made. There are no powers to force the lorries to be sheeted.

N.L.C have arranged for a team of N.L.C workers to 'hand litter pick' the straw debris in the area on 14<sup>th</sup> August 2016. This will take the straw debris from the dyke bottoms, grass verges and drives – all areas where the machine is ineffective. A costing for this operation will then become

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apparent which can be used to negotiate with BNLL to have this 'hand clean up' operation become a regular occurrence. Cllr Gibson assured the residents of Scawby Brook that the parish council has not become 'content' on this issue and is pushing for the best possible way to make the situation more acceptable to residents in this area.

## 6. REPORTS FROM COUNCILLORS/CLERK

Cllr John Frost attended the Mayor Of North Lincolnshire Council Civic Service

Cllr John Kitwood attended the Humberside Airport Consultative Committee meeting.

## 7. CORRESPONDENCE

VANL – training course diary

Rural Services Network – information

N.L.C – weekly road works list.

Community Champions Awards 2016 – 24<sup>th</sup> November 2016 – nominations request.

NatWest Bank – Customer Review Team.

Letter resident regarding resurfacing of Old Manor Drive – **North Lincolnshire Council have been asked to consider this request and are looking into the feasibility of undertaking this task.**

SAHS – letter of thanks for donation to show and show schedule.

Brigg Town Council – Civic service – Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2016

Northern Power Grid – contract for lighting at war memorial.

## 8. FINANCE.

### i)Accounts for payment:

PAYEE	CHEQUE NUMBER	AMOUNT
K E Pickering – salary July	3155	555.06
K E Pickering – Expenses Mileage – 19.50, stamps – 22.71, Stationery – 10.04	3153	52.25
Total Gas & Power	DD	26.10
Barton Mowing Services	3154	540.00

**INCOME RECEIVED :** Community Grant - £10,000, Donation SET - £1102.45

The accounts for payment were proposed by Cllr R T Matthews and seconded by Cllr T Barker and unanimously agreed.

ii) The financial statement – no variances to note.

iii) To give consideration to suggestions for an application to the BNLL(Grantscape) fund and agree how this application is to be progressed.

Play Equipment – **IT WAS RESOLVED** to ask the playing field committee to progress the quotations/specifications for further playground equipment which will be passed to the clerk to submit a grant application by 31/8/16.

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iv) To give consideration and approve the sponsorship of the best kept front garden competition (In conjunction with The Sutton Arms ) - £75.00

**IT WAS RESOLVED** unanimously to sponsor the best front garden competition to £75.00.

v) To give consideration to and approving a donation to the Police Concert band for the Christmas Carol/Lights switch on evening.

Proposal 1 – Cllr P Johnson - £75.00, seconded by Cllr M Burkinshaw.

Proposal 2 – **Cllr R T Matthews - £100, seconded by Cllr T Barker.**

**Proposal 2 received 12 votes in favour and 1 abstention.**

Proposal 1 received 12 votes against and 1 abstention.

**PROPOSAL 2 CARRIED.**

vi) To receive and approve the quotation for the extra work required at the pavilion by P J Wray - £468.76.

**IT WAS RESOLVED** unanimously to accept the quotation from P J Wray for the extra work required at the pavilion.

vii) Village signs – to consider the quotations from P J Wray:

a) Refurbish the village signs as required

b) Install all signs.

Quotation not available – this matter will be carried forward to the next meeting.

## 9. POLICE MATTERS

i) New Police matters – No new police matters to report.

## 10. NORTH LINCOLNSHIRE COUNCIL HIGHWAYS MATTERS

i) To receive reports from Ridge Ward Councillors: Cllr Neil Poole explained about the 'hand straw debris pick' at Scawby Brook and gaining a 'costing' from this work to try and ensure this becomes regular. N.L.C are pressing to have the lorries sheeted but have no powers to insist on this at present. Cllr Poole has called the co-operative planning application in – so that it is considered by the planning committee not just one planning officer. Negotiations are taking place regarding The Grove. Grass cutting standards have improved and N.L.C will continue to strive to maintain standards in this area. A meeting with BNLL will be arranged after the hand straw pick and costings collated. The possibility of a roundabout or traffic lights at Mortal Ash Hill is still being considered.

ii) Old Manor Dive – to consider request from resident for parish council, in conjunction with N.L.C , to extend the resurfacing of Old Manor Drive up to the snicket. N.L.C have agreed to look into the feasibility of undertaking this.

iii) Tree planting scheme – to give consideration and approve the tree planting scheme plan – distributed last meeting for consideration. The trees planned for Church Street and Brigg Road need reconsidering as the farmer has indicated that he will not be able to cut his hedge if trees are planted in this vicinity.

**IT WAS RESOLVED** with 12 votes in favour and 1 abstention to proceed with the tree planting scheme subject to land owners permissions where required.

iv) Review of Action List – urgent matters only. No matters raised.

v) New highways matters : Mill Lane towards The Rookery – overhanging branches from tall pine trees are preventing the grass beneath being cut.

**11. PLAYING FIELD AND VILLAGE MATTERS.**

- i. Health and Safety incidents at the playing fields and pavilion: No matters to report.
- ii. Pavilion – Improvements -
- iii. Permanent power supply to village green – Acceptance from Northern Power Grid received – power to be supplied by Npower. Awaiting quotation to connect.
- iv. War memorial – Planning permission received – condition to provide the material detail of the colour and finish of the war memorial plaque prior to commencement and receive approval in writing from N.L.C. The plaque is stainless steel with a brushed finish with a red poppy on the stainless steel plaque.
- v. Best front Garden Competition – The competition has been completed. Clerk to inform prize winners of the presentation time and date and arrange for the certificates to be printed.
- vi. Village sign on Kirton Road, Greetwell (left hand side towards Greetwell, North side , near 40mph sign) – request from resident to reposition the sign either closer to the hedge or to the other side of the road – as visibility is impaired exiting their property due to grass growth. Cllr R T Matthews will investigate and take photographs for discussion next month.
- vii. Civic Service – to agree suitable date to hold a Civic Service – dates offered Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September or Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2016 at 11.00am.

It was agreed to hold the Civic Service on 20<sup>th</sup> November 2016 at 11.00am.

- viii. Any new village matters: Cllr Gibson suggested that electrical sockets be installed at the pavilion to make matters better for the gala day. He will look into this and get some costings for consideration at the next PC meeting.

The hedge from the playing fields to the Crossroads needs cutting back.

A high fence has been erected on Messingham Lane.

Clerk to ask Ian Jickells for an update on the ornamental verges parking restrictions pilot scheme.

The telephone box on West Street/Gainsborough Lane junction is in the process of being transferred from community heartbeat to Scawby PC.

**12. ITEMS FOR PARISH NEWSLETTER /WEBSITE.**

**13. AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MONTHS MEETING.**

No matters requested.

**14. DATE OF NEXT MEETING : Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> September 2016**

**There being no further business The Chairman closed the meeting at 9.35pm**