## **HUNDLEBY PARISH COUNCIL**

## MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON THE 13<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2016

Councillors present: Mrs P Badley (In the chair) Mr M Badley, Mr M Dales, Mr A Foster Ms J Slaymaker, Dr D Cartwright and Mrs D Jacklin.

- 1 Apologies were received from Mr M Booth who had other commitments. This was accepted.
- 2 Appointment of Chairman.

Mrs P Badley was proposed as Chairman by A Foster and seconded by M Dales. All were in favour and Mrs Badley accepted the position of Chairman.

- 3 Appointment of Vice Chairman.
- Ms J Slaymaker was proposed as vice chairman by Mrs D Jacklin and seconded by M Dales. Ms Slaymaker was duly elected unopposed.
- 4 The Chairman welcomed Dr David Cartwright as a member of the Parish Council. Declarations of acceptance were signed and Register of Interests were completed as required.
- 5 Sub Committees and appointment of members.
  - a) <u>Planning</u> A Foster will chair this committee. Mrs P Badley, Ms J Slaymaker and M Badley were appointed, with the addition of any member of the Parish Council as required.
  - b) Allotments M Dales was appointed chairman of the allotment committee assisted by Mrs D Jacklin.
  - c) <u>Christmas Tree</u> Chairman M Dales, committee Ms J Slaymaker, Mrs D Jacklin and D.Cartwright
  - d) Community Speed Watch committee was re adopted.
- 6 Standing Orders and Financial Regulations were re adopted. Proposed by Mrs. D Jacklin and seconded by M Badley. All were in favour.
- 7 The minutes of the previous meeting had already been circulated to members and were approved, they were proposed by M Dales and seconded by M Badley. They were signed by the Chairman.
- 8 Matters arising:

Mrs J Williams had had a key cut for the noticeboard and the clerk will get another

### 9 Parish Rooms:

Cllr had contacted the electrician who carried out the PAT test last year. He said he would do this year's test by the end of July. The cost will be £30.00

Cllrs reported that the heaters in the Parish Rooms had come on following an electrical storm. This has been reported to the electrician who said that a connector had stuck. He was asked to replace the faulty connector. Cllr will check that this has been done. The Chairman thanked the Councillors for dealing with this.

Cllr asked if wine glasses were required for the Parish Rooms. Sainsbury's were closing their glass hire business and wished to dispose of their glasses. Cllr will try to obtain 100 wine glasses for the Parish rooms.

The painter has reported that he would paint the Parish Rooms during the next 2 weeks, weather permitting.

10 Village Green and Village

The Chairman had again contacted the highways department at ELDC regarding the flooding and potholes in the village as previously reported. The Chairman also reported problems with the green at the top of North Beck Lane, where posts are needed to stop vehicles driving over the grass.

The following replies were received via a phone call to the Chairman:

Regarding the green at North Beck Lane. No bollards or posts would be supplied because of the cost to the District Council.

The pot holes in Church Lane were on the councils list of jobs to be done but no dates could be given as to when it would be done.

The issue with flooding will only be dealt with if properties are flooded. No complaints had been received by residents in Hundleby.

Regarding the flooding in Church Walk. ELDC are waiting for an estimate from their contractors for the cost of putting a camera down to check the drains.

This was deemed an unsatisfactory response so the Chairman will contact Cllr W Aaron again and mention again the safety issue of the flooding on the main road and the risk of falls from the pot holes. If there is still no result the Chairman will contact the local MP. A complaint had been received from a parishioner about the height of grass along the footpaths, especially the path between the Church and Bowmans Ridge. The clerk will contact the highways department and ask them to cut the paths.

The bench at Raithby Hill had been painted unsatisfactorily without permission by an unknown person. Mr M Holmes has been asked to repaint the bench properly together with all of the benches in the village using land rover green Hammerite paint.

# 11 Allotments

It was reported at the last meeting that 2 of the allotments which had been sublet had not been kept in a satisfactory condition. Cllr had contacted the original hirer who said he would make sure they were kept correctly or he would take them back and ensure they were properly maintained.

#### 12 Finance.

The following bills were presented for payment:

R M Holmes £56.00 grass cutting 03.06.16 to 07.07.16

Anglian Water £36.73 paid by direct debit for water for 3 months to 1st July £50.65 paid by direct debit for electricity for 3 months to 4th June

There was a balance of £3462.97 in the Current account and £2736.05 in the Capital Account.

13 Planning Application for a sun room at a property in Park Avenue ref N/088/01347/16 was approved by the Parish Council.

An outline planning application had been received at the site of the old Gables Hospital. Ref N/088/01408/16 for the building of 18 bungalows. The Parish Council supported the application but sent the comment that bungalow no 1 should be in red brick and not yellow.

## 14 Correspondence

Several leaflets had been received from Age UK. The clerk will put them on the notice boards.

East Lindsey District Council sent a letter reporting the consultation on the Draft Local Plan and asking that a poster be displayed. The clerk will request a poster. The Town and Parish e-news had been sent to the clerk.

## 15 Any other business

There was nothing to report.

16 Date and time of the next meeting

The next meeting will be held on September  $7^{th}$  2016 in the Parish Rooms The meeting closed at 9.05 pm