

NEATISHEAD PARISH COUNCIL

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MINUTES OF PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Thursday 8th June 2017 at 7.30pm
Held at Neatishead Primary School

Present: Cllrs Church (Chair) Fowle, Pickering. Clerk: Mrs S Hunt
6 members of the public were present.

1. APOLOGIES

Apologies were received and accepted from Cllr C How – away; Cllr P Ryall - band.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Cllr Fowle reminded the meeting of his trusteeship of the Poor's Charity.

3. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

The minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 11th May 2017 were agreed as a true and correct record, and signed by the Chairman.

4. PUBLIC SPEAKING

County Councillor Richard Price introduced himself to the meeting. Cllr Price sits on three committees at Norfolk County Council – Childrens' Services, Norfolk Health Overview and Waveney and Great Yarmouth Health Overview. In addition Cllr Price is a Cllr at North Norfolk District Council representing Waxham Ward, and has been a member of North Norfolk for 10 years – he is a member of the cabinet and sits on Housing and Licensing.

County Council has applied to the Secretary of State to move from the current Committee system to a Cabinet system. This should be in operation by September 2019.

Cllr Price will be meeting shortly with the Highways engineer with responsibility for the Neatishead area to discuss verge and hedge cutting.

Cllr Price also sits on the Broads Internal Drainage Board.

A parishioner raised maintenance questions with regard to several footpaths within the Parish. Cllr Fowle to address concerns.

5. MATTERS ARISING – TO RECEIVE UPDATES

Village Sign. Remains ongoing. The Clerk reported issues in obtaining quotations.

Lloyds Bank Account. Clerk reported that forms had been submitted.

Dressing/markings The Street/Irstead Rd junction. The Chairman reported that these had been completed.

6. CORRESPONDENCE.

Anglian Business – Notification of new account number. Noted.

7. PARISH STAITHE.

7.1 Registration of ownership/Lease. Clerk to provide maps to Solicitors. CLERK

7.2 It was RESOLVED to remove the bench on right hand side of the staithe, refurbish it and relocate to the Playingfield. Cllr Fowle

7.3 Water pipe hook replaced, repair to flag paving by bins done. Cllr Fowle

8. PLAYINGFIELD.

8.1 Replacement Bin. To consider a larger bin at the Playground. Size of current bin to be checked. NNDC to be chased re: costs. CLERK

8.2 Lease. Letter to be sent requesting a lease over a longer period. CLERK

8.3 Playground – update. Cllr Pickering reported on a very positive meeting with the school. Additional funding streams have been identified. Phase 1 is the moving of the spinner and the installation of

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swings. The feedback from users is overwhelmingly in favour of the installation of a zipwire. Trustees to be asked. CLERK

8.4 Weekly Playground Checks. Cllr Church is undertaking these.

8.5 Funding. Cllr Pickering and the Clerk continue to work on this.

Goal Posts. Football nets and fencing to be costed and application for funding to be processed. CLERK

Temporary fencing to be made available to Cllr Fowle who has obtained fence posts. CLERK

9. FINANCIAL MATTERS.

9.1 Receipts

MAY 2017 – next meeting.

9.2 Payments:

Came and Company – insurance ALREADY PAID. Chq 362405 £286.96

Mrs Sarah Hunt – June. Chq 362406 £217.74

Anglia Business – to note credit of £73.68.

Inland Revenue – June £54.40

ALL AGREED.

12. PLANNING.

12.1 To consider applications received from NNDC:

PO/17/0674 – Former sewerage treatment works, land to rear of 4, 5 and 6 King Street, Neatishead. Erection of two camping cabins and timber storage/bicycle shed. It was RESOLVED to send a letter of objection as drafted.

PF/17/0759 – The Croft, Street Hill, Neatishead.

Proposed rear extension. No comment to be made

PF/17/0694 – Cangate Cottage, Cangate, Neatishead.

Erection of attached car port/boat store and replacement of flat roof to pitched roof on existing detached garage and external alterations. No comment to be made

To consider applications received from Broads Authority:

BA/2017/0161/HOUSEH – The Moorings, Irstead Rd, Neatishead.

Single Store Extension. Wall and roof cladding to boatshed. No comment to be made

13 ADMINISTRATION.

13.1 Councillor Vacancy. To note that Council has permission to co-opt.

13.2 It was agreed to appoint Mrs Catherine Moore as Internal Auditor for 2017/18.

13.3 Risk Assessments had been received by the Clerk and any issues addressed.

14 ROADSIDE ADVERTISING SIGNS.

Cllr Fowle expressed concerns over the amount of signs on highways verges throughout the area. Cllr Price to investigate legal position.

15. ITEMS FOR NEXT AGENDA.

NONE

The Parish Council Meeting

Will be held in the New Victory Hall on:-

Thursday 13th July 2017 at 7.30pm