**MINUTES OF KELLINGTON PARISH COUNCIL MEETING**

**2 MARCH 2016**

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| **Present:** |  | John McCartney (chair) Kath Newton (vice-chair)  Mary McCartney, Jennifer Mitchell, Alison Hardie |
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| **In Attendance:** |  | Janet Smith (Clerk)  7 members of the public |
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| **Apologies:** |  | None |
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| **16.3.1** | DECLARATION OF INTEREST No declarations of interest were received |  |  |
| **16.3.1.1** | PUBLIC MATTERS An issue was raised about the changes to the bus service which had been reported in the press. JBM clarified the position.  The damaged stile on the footpath over the river bank was raised. JS has spoken to the Environment Agency. They are prioritising work to damage caused by the floods. Further contact to be made informing them of their duties. |  | **JS** |
| **16.3.2** | **MINUTES OF PARISH COUNCIL MEETING**  **3 FEBRUARY 2016**  The minutes of the last meeting were accepted as a true record Mary McCartney proposed and Jenny Mitchell seconded acceptance. |  |  |
| **16.3.2.1** | **MATTERS ARISING FROM MEETING**  **3 FEBRUARY 2016**  None |  |  |
| **16.3.2.2**  **16.3.3** | **ACTION LIST UPDATE**  January action list update:  The living Christmas tree has been purchased and is now in situ  The wheelie bin cleaner is unable to clean the bus shelters. Another provider is to be approached.  Update for February is attached Appendix 1  **CORRESPONDENCE**   * Marie Curie – Daffodil Appeal 2016 * CEF – Flood Mitigation Event * Autela Payroll Services – Pension Responsibility as an Employer * SDC – Invitation to Prevent Strategy event * Kellington Primary School – Litter collection. Event to be confirmed with school |  | **KN**  **JS** |
| **16.3.4**  **16.3.4.1**  **16.3.4.2** | **PLANNING**  An outline planning application has been received for a residential development of up to 34 dwellings at  Weeland Road, Eggborough.  This site falls within the Kellington Parish and any money from CIL and the parish precept would come to Kellington.  The PC are to submit objections relating to the sustainability and the reduction of the ‘gap’ between the two villages.  Planning update:  Broach Lane – outline permission granted awaiting reserved matters  Hideaway – still on hold |  |  |
| **16.3.5**  **16.3.5.1**  **16.3.5.2**  **16.3.5.3**  **16.3.5.4** | FINANCE UPDATE JS gave an update of the cheque account, savings account and payments made  As at 29 February 2016 as per the bank statement there is £12,498.80 in the current account, and £4,015.16 in the savings account.  Payments made for March total £992.27  301071 NYCC (grit bin) £ 60.00  301072 Amey LG (streetlights) £ 651.85  301073 CR Wright & Son (Christmas tree) £115.20  301074 N Clayton (tree lights & bins) £165.22  **Transparency Code Compliance** – **Agreed –** grant application was approved and it is to besubmitted.  **Street lighting**  JS gave an update on the street lighting contact.  An issue was raised about the light on Pickhaven Garth which is turned off as part of NYCC energy reduction programme. NYCC to be contacted  **Grant applications**  None |  | **JS**  **JS** |
| **16.3.6**  **16.3.6.1**  **16.3.6.2**  **16.3.6.3**  **16.3.6.4**  **16.3.6.5**  **16.3.7**  **16.3.8** | **FACILITIES UPDATE**  **Playground sustainability** – JS gave an update on the s continuing work with Groundwork and the recent meeting which was held to consider options for the surface.  **Allotments –** one half of an allotment is available  JBM raised the issue of the overgrown area to the rear of Manor Garth. He suggested looking at improving the area once land ownership has been identified.  It was reported that some buses are no longer running and people are finding it difficult to get to work. A discussion took place about a way forward.  **Agreed -**  Other parish councils affected by these changes to be contacted to see if they would be interested in working with the PC on this issue  **Footpaths –** The footpaths to Beal and the A645 have been cleared. The positioning of the litter bins now needs to be looked at. JBM asked everyone to think about this and will be an agenda item for the next meeting  **NEWSLETTER**  Deadline for the next newsletter is 11 April 2016  **REPORTS FROM EXTERNAL BODIES**  None |  | **JS**  **JS**  **JS** |
| **16.3.9** | AOB A discussion took place about the possibility of marking the Queens 90th birthday. The guides are looking at doing something for this event. |  |  |
| **16.3.10** | DATE OF NEXT MEETING The next ordinary meeting of the Parish Council will be held on Wednesday 6 April 2016 at 7.15 p.m. |  |  |