

# WESTON PARISH COUNCIL

**Minutes of the Meeting of the Parish Council held at the Village Hall, Main Street, Weston on Wednesday 5th October 2022 at 7.30pm**

**Present:** Cllr. C Laughton (Chair), Cllr. P Laughton, Cllr. D Chase, Cllr. D Henderson

Andrea Wilson, Clerk 2 Members of the public present.

## **221001 To receive Apologies for Absence and Declarations of Interest**

Apologies received from Cllr. H Saddington, Cllr. G Francis and District Cllr. S Michael

Cllrs. P and C Laughton declared an interest in item 221008

## **Open Forum – ten minutes to receive questions and comments from members of the public**

Members of the public discussed the need to display more signs asking the public to clear up after their dogs.

It was agreed that a leaf sweep would be needed to clear the gullies in the village.

## **221002 To accept the minutes of the meeting held on September 7th 2022**

Approved: Cllr. P Laughton

Seconded: Cllr. D Chase

## **221003 To note and report matters arising from the minutes not covered elsewhere on the agenda**

Update from Morris signs - the sign will be reinstated on 7<sup>th</sup> or 8<sup>th</sup> of October.

A letter to Church is still to be sent explaining why the Parish Council cannot make a grant to the church for grass cutting.

## **221004 To receive reports from County Council and District Council Representatives**

No reports submitted.

## **221005 To receive and consider any highways issues**

No issues raised.

It was noted that the hedge next to the bus shelter on Colley Lane is blocking the footway.

**Action: Clerk to report to N.C.C highways.**

Sign at Egmonton road still has not been replaced

**Action: Cllr P. L. to report to N&SDC Council.**

## **221006 To consider financial matters**

- i) To report receipts £2274.00 from Newark and Sherwood District Council
- ii) To report payments
  - £1152 salary payment to the Clerk
  - Balance outstanding to Morris Cast Signs Limited for Village Gateway sign reinstallation.
  - £93.60 payment to N&SDC (dog bins)

NatWest account to be closed asap. **Action: Cllr. P.L to write a letter.**

## **221007 To consider the Lengthman's scheme**

The Chair informed Councillors that the post is still to be advertised.

**221008 To consider planning matters and receive updates on ongoing applications**

It was noted that **22/01285 /FUL Low Croft** has been given full planning permission.

Councillors considered planning application **22/01784/HOUSE 4 Meadow Lane**

It was noted that the Parish Council have an extension until 7.10.22 to submit comments.

**Action: Clerk to submit an objection from the Parish council to this application stating:**

- Too big overdevelopment for site
- Potential Significant impact to adjacent property

**221009 To discuss any issues raised by residents**

No issues raised.

**221010 Consider correspondence circulated to Councillors since last meeting.**

- Cllr. C Laughton noted that the Planning training will be held during the day and therefore excludes those people who are working.

Action: Cllr. C Laughton to contact N&SDC to ask if further sessions can be arranged at a more convenient time, or to provide a recording of the training.

- RBLTommy lamppost signs

Cllr. C Laughton informed Councillors that the Parish Council only have 8 lamppost poppies left and suggested that it would be nice to have some of the Tommy signs.

**Action: Cllr. C Laughton to order 25 Tommy signs at a cost of £111.99 + £3.60 postage**

**221011 To receive and accept the resignation of the current Clerk.**

The Clerk's resignation was noted and agreed.

Cllr. C.L. thanked the clerk for her work as clerk for Weston Parish Council.

It was further noted that interest in the vacancy had been made by a resident of Weston.

**Action: This will be followed up by Cllr. C.L.**

**Open Forum – ten minutes to receive questions and comments from members of the public**

**221012 To consider and discuss any non-agenda items and business for the meeting on Wednesday 2nd November 2022**

It was noted that there would be an update from the next Beat surgery.

Cllr. D.C. has had further issues on his land being used for access to A1. **Action :Cllr. P.L. to raise at Beat surgery and Safer Neighbourhood Group meeting.**

The meeting closed at 8.12 pm

Signed:

Dated: 2nd November 2022

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