

KIRMINGTON & CROXTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting of Kirmington & Croxton Parish Council, held on Tuesday 7th April, 2015, following the Annual Parish Meeting, at Kirmington Bowls Club.

Present - Cllr Marsden, Cllr Page, Cllr Walton, Cllr Bridges and Cllr Peter Clark

01.04.15- To note Apologies for Absence

Cllr Wells, Cllr D'Souza, Cllr Gallimore, Cllr Hannigan

02.04.15 - Declarations of Interest need to be remade and recorded in the minutes even if an interest has been declared in the register

Cllr Marsden declared a personal interest in any Airport or Aviation issues, as he works in the Aviation Industry; he also declared an interest in Bristow Helicopters as he is undertaking some consultancy work. Cllr Marsden declared an interest on item 06.04.15, as he works in the Airport Industry and is a Member of the Airport Consultative Committee. Cllr Marsden declared an interest on item 09.04.15, regarding highway issues on the C137, as he owns a property accessed by this road.

03.04.15- To confirm the minutes of the meetings held on 3rd March 2015

These were confirmed as a true and accurate record. Proposed by Cllr Bridges and seconded by Cllr Walton.

04.04.15 - Public Participation

None

05.04.15 - To receive the Chairmans Report - an update on decisions taken at previous meetings

All items are on the agenda

06.04.15 - To receive an update from the Airport Consultative Committee meeting and Noise Monitoring

The next ACC meeting is due on 11th June, 2015.

The Coastguard is fully operational from 01.04.15; 24 hours a day with 2 aircraft.

The roundabout is being built.

BAC College - steelworks are up.

Noise monitoring - Latest figures obtained are within Government

guidelines.

Noise complaint received by Cllr. Hannigan of the Coastguard S92 Helicopter flying low over the village late at night.

Cllr Walton expressed concerns that the Coastguard Helicopters fly very low over the C137 causing a lot of down draft to passing vehicles.

(b) - To discuss the reply from North Lincolnshire Council regarding signage request

Cllr Marsden declared an interest in this item.

Clerk read out reply from North Lincolnshire Council which stated they do not think warning signage is necessary, as they are trying to reduce signs on the County's roads.

Cllr Clark asked Cllr Marsden to email him the details of signage which other Airports have and he will take this matter up with Cllr. Nigel Sherwood.

07.04.15 (a) - To receive any updates from NATS and discuss any items to be raised at the next NATS meeting and any further Police Matters and any updates on Country & Wildlife Crime

The next NATS meeting will be held on 16th April, 2015 in Goxhill. There is no Parish Council Representative able to attend.

Cllr Marsden stated the Parish Council needs to appoint a Representative at the next meeting to try and attend more regularly.

08.04.15 - To receive a report from Local Councillors updating the Parish Council on activities within North Lincolnshire Council and determine further action

Cllr Clark advised that North Lincolnshire Council has had a good 4 years.

09.04.15 - (a) To consider any further Highways matters within the Parish for the Clerk to take up with North Lincolnshire Council

Lincolnshire County Council has put sign up near Grasby Bottom Crossroads advising of weight restriction ahead.

(b) - Any updates on Melton Ross Bridge repairs

The Councillors expressed their concerns that a tremendous amount of lorries are not using the diversion and travelling over the bridge or routing through Croxton & Kirmington causing damage to its roads and verges. Cllr Clark will bring up this subject at the next NATS meeting and request a day of enforcement. Clerk to email Cllr Peter Clark letter sent to Cllr Nigel Sherwood with the diversion requests, which to date the

Parish Council has had no reply. Cllr Clark to chase up and provide update.

(c) - To consider a reply to North Lincolnshire Council regarding the C137 widening

The Parish Council was not consulted on this.

It was resolved - Clerk to reply to North Lincolnshire Council and ask why they are widening the C137 just from the Kirmington Cross Roads to the SAR Hangar, who is funding this and what costs are involved. Also to ask can this money be spent better on improving the crossroads instead?

(d) - To discuss issues with roadside verge litter and fly tipping

Cllr Marsden read out letter from Brocklesby Estate regarding this issue.

It was resolved - Clerk to write to North Lincolnshire Council advising the verges at Limber Road and on the C137 are being used as a rubbish tip and ask for them to be cleared.

Clerk to also request the bin in Brocklesby Park and on the A18 to be emptied regularly as they are being missed.

10.04.15 - To receive planning decisions made by North Lincolnshire Council and consider any planning applications received where comments have to be submitted before the next meeting

None

11.04.15 - Any Updates on Singleton Birch AD Plant

None

12.04.15 - Any Updates on Pimlico Farm

None

13.04.15 -(a) - To discuss progress on the Playing Field and work to date

The Football Club is regularly using the area; their last game of the season is on 25th April, 2015.

The new mower is working well.

(b) - To consider any quotes received to make good the football pitch area of the playing field

Cllr Walton advised of the 3 quotes Clerk obtained and went into detail of procedure to make area good.

Cllr Walton suggested the Parish Council accept the middle quote, from Ground Boss Ltd. This was proposed by Cllr Bridges and seconded by Cllr Walton.

Clerk to contact Ground Boss Ltd to advise to contact Cllr Walton to make arrangements to begin after 25th April.

(c) - Any updates on the activity board play equipment

This has been repaired free of charge by the Manufacturer.

(d) - To consider the proposal of a pavilion on the Playing Field

Keep on agenda.

14.04.15 - To discuss any further ideas for the layout of the Parish

Council Website

Spring Clean has been done.

Plenty of hits and usage.

Clerk advised more pages may be necessary in the future, at a cost of £8 plus vat per page.

15.04.15 - Any updates regarding Broadband Speeds in the Parishes

Cabinet 1 is live. Cabinet 2 due to go live on 15th April, 2015.

16.04.15 - Any updates on Manna Food Drops and twinning a village/town

Cllr Marsden informed this has all come together.

They have had several donations and the event is very well supported.

23 Kirmington residents going, 31 in total.

17.04.15 - Correspondence

Clerk advised of North Lincs Council Lakes Review - Read out and noted

Clerk advised the 2014-2015 Audit has been received. All Councillors present agreed to continue with existing Internal Audit arrangements.

Clerk to complete audit in normal manner - Once completed for approval on next month's agenda - Noted

LIVES - Thank you letter for donation - Read out and noted

(b) - To approve the Asset Register

This was confirmed as a true and accurate record. Proposed by Cllr Walton, seconded by Cllr Page. Clerk to display on website.

18.04.15- Accounts

(a) To approve the March accounts - These were confirmed as a true and accurate record. Proposed by Cllr Page and seconded by Cllr Walton.

(b) To consider the Ernlca renewal increase

This was accepted by all Councillors present. Proposed by Cllr Walton and

seconded by Cllr Bridges.

(c) To consider a donation towards the petrol costs of maintaining Kirmington Village Graveyard

This was considered and all present voted in favour for £200 to be donated as previous year. Proposed by Cllr Page and seconded by Cllr Bridges.

(d) To consider a donation towards the production costs of the Brocklesby Park PCC Newsletter

This was considered and Clerk showed accounts provided. All present voted in favour for £150 to be donated as previous year. Proposed by Cllr Bridges and seconded by Cllr Page.

19.04.15- Minor Items

Cllr Marsden has been approached by the Church for funding. Clerk advised they need to submit a formal request to the Clerk in order for this to go on next month's agenda for consideration. Clerk to email Julie Welman to advise.

Cllr Page asked if Clerk can ask North Lincolnshire Council to arrange an inspection so he can point out issues in the village - Problems with large potholes on Eastend and Post Office Lane; Footpaths in Croxton. Upon attending he will ask whether the old Kirmington sign on the A18 can be moved to the other side of the road.

Agreed to invite Captain Liz Forsyth Chief Pilot Coastguard (SAR Flight) to the June meeting.

20.04.15- Agenda Items for the next meeting

- To consider the quote for the 'Twinning' sign to be erected on the village signs
- To approve the 2014-2015 audit
- To consider the Church request for funding

21.04.15 - To confirm the date and time of the next meeting as Tuesday 12th May, 2015 at 7.30pm to include the Annual General Meeting

This was confirmed.