

Minutes of the Parish Meeting of Kirmington & Croxton Parish Council, held on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> April, 2016, following the Annual Parish Meeting, at Kirmington Bowls Club.

Present - Cllr D'Souza, Cllr Walton, Cllr Bridges, and Cllr Page attended at 7.25pm, Cllr Marsden attended at 7.25pm, Cllr Wells attended at 7.25pm (Cllr Gallimore attended at 8.20pm)

Cllr Richard Hannigan, Cllr Peter Clark, 1 member of the public and Clerk

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Cllr Marsden (Chairperson) arrived late, so it was proposed that Cllr D'Souza act as Chairperson until his arrival. Proposed by Cllr Briggs and seconded by Cllr Walton.

01.04.16- To note Apologies for Absence

Cllr Gallimore advised she will be attending late to the meeting

02.04.16 - 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 06.04.16, as he works in the Airport Industry and is a Member of the Airport Consultative Committee. Cllr Marsden declared an interest on item 09.04.16, regarding highway issues on the C137, as he owns a property accessed by this road.

Cllr Wells declared a personal interest in any item on the agenda in connection with North Lincolnshire Council, as he is a Representative.

03.04.16- To confirm the minutes of the Meeting held on 1<sup>st</sup> March, 2016

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

04.04.16 - Public Participation

None

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

All items are covered on the agenda

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

Noise Monitoring - Latest figures available are within the Government guidelines.

07.04.16 (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

Cllr Marsden distributed the latest Wildlife Crime report, which is in a new format.

NATS - No crimes reported in the area. The next meeting is due on 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 2016, at North Killingholme.

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

Cllr Hannigan advised he is pursuing the Croxton Road maintenance required.

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

Cllr Marsden expressed concerns the C137 is partially like a motorway.

HGV's are ignoring weight restrictions where the road narrows.

**It was resolved** - Clerk to request 2 wires to see how many HGV's are using the road southbound. To request they are located on the corner before the Hangar.

Cllr Wells agreed to bring this issue up at the next NATS meeting.

Cllr Marsden advised he wrote to MP Martin Vickers as a resident regarding the costs of the recent work on the C137. Cllr Hannigan advised he had already explained to the Parish Council why this work had been carried out.

Cllr Page informed 3 residents have approached him to request Eastend Lane and Post Office Lane in Kirmington to be made into a one way traffic system.

**It was resolved** - Cllr Page to advise the residents they need to put this request in writing, preferably accompanied by a petition direct to North Lincolnshire Council in order for them to carry out a full consultation process.

Cllr Page remarked the last petition regarding the footpath to the Airport was not considered.

**It was resolved** - Clerk to write to North Lincolnshire Council and ask for reconsideration of this footpath and ask for it to be re-scored; especially now the BAE College and 2 Hotels are at the airport, as residents walk into the village on the road. (Clerk to cc request to the 3 Ward Councillors and Cllr Neil Poole).

(b) - Discuss any further information received from Tim Allen regarding the Parish Paths Partnership

Cllr D'Souza advised the Rights of Way Officers will be surveying the local footpaths shortly to resolve any issues.

10.04.16 - 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

PA/2016/231 - Agrimin Ltd - No comments or objections

PA/2016/366 - Singleton Birch - No comments or objections

11.04.16 - Any Updates on Singleton Birch AD Plant

Cllr Gallimore advised the original planning application had been revised slightly. She also advised that Singleton-Birch is concerned with the roadworks at Barnetby Top the loss of revenue this is causing them.

12.04.16 - Any Updates on Pimlico Farm

No updates

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

Cllr Walton advised he has given the area the first cut and has 1 mole that he will be dealing with.

Cllr Marsden advised the students from the BAE College at the Airport may ask to use the Football pitches in the future and have been advised to contact Cllr Walton.

(b) - Any update on the event to celebrate the Queen's 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday

Clerk & Resident informed of the event due to be held on Saturday, 18<sup>th</sup> June at East End. There will be a street party; the theme will be red/white/blue.

(c) - Any update on the signs in the playing field for - disclaimer sign, contact details sign

The signs have been delivered and Cllr Page will put them up in agreed location, near the small gates.

(d)- Any update on quote obtained post/stake to hold the car playing field gate back when open

Cllr Page is arranging.

(e) - To discuss North Lincolnshire Council playground safety report and determine any further action

Cllr Wells advised of the 3 concerns on the report. He and Cllr Walton have already dealt with 2 of the issues. The other concern is the junior swings.

**It was resolved** - All in favour of replacing the junior swings as recommended by the report.

(f) - To consider quotations obtained for replacing the junior swings

Clerk advised of quotations obtained. **It was resolved** - Clerk to order the swing seats from Sutcliffe Play and Cllr Wells will fit.

14.04.16 - To discuss any further ideas for the layout of the Parish Council Website

Clerk advised the link from the school photo has been put on.

The website is receiving many hits each month.

15.04.16 - Any updates regarding Broadband Speeds in the Parishes

Cllr Marsden advised his speed has doubled recently.

16.04.16 - Any updates on the plaque marking the Disbandment of the 166

Cllr D'Souza will put the plaque up in the near future.

17.04.16 - Any update on the work for making good the War Memorial Stone in Kirmington Churchyard

Cllr Marsden has been to see the person in Caistor to arrange this. However, the stone needs cleaning prior to the work taking place.

Cllr Hannigan and Mick Green have offered to do this.

18.04.16 - Any update on instillation of the defibrillator

The box and defibrillator have been installed on the pub wall. It is currently waiting for activation by EMAS.

19.04.16 - To consider any applications received for the Casual Vacancy

The resident who applied left the room, whilst his application was considered. An application from Mick Green was read out.

**It was resolved** - This application was successful and Mick Green was co-opted onto the Parish Council. Proposed by Cllr Page and seconded by Cllr Wells.

20.04.16 - To elect a Vice-Chairperson

Cllr Page advised he did not wish to be considered for this position.

It was proposed Cllr D'Souza put forward. This was proposed by Cllr Bridges and seconded by Cllr Page. Cllr D'Souza accepted this position.

21.04.16 - Correspondence

Best Kept Village Competition - Clerk queried which categories the Parish Council wished to enter - It was resolved they would enter all 4 categories. Clerk to arrange meeting with Kit Read and the Councillors to discuss issues needing work.

NLC - Invite to Workers Memorial - Read out and Noted.

(a) - To consider a contribution towards Kirmington Churchyard fuel for mower to maintain the churchyard

Cllr Page proposed an amount of £300 donation. Cllr D'Souza proposed an amount of £250. After much discussion and a vote, **it was resolved** - To donate £250. This was seconded by Cllr Walton.

(b) - To consider a contribution towards the cost of publishing Parish Newsletter

**It was resolved** - To donate £150 towards the costs and continue to publish on the Parish Council website.

22.04.16- Accounts

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

Clerk advised the audit has been received. She will carry this out during April. **It was resolved** - to keep the internal audit arrangements the same.

23.04.16 - To decide future meeting dates for publication and discuss

whether the meeting date should change

It was agreed to keep the meeting date as the first Tuesday of the month. To continue to not hold a meeting in January and August. Clerk asked due to holiday commitments if the September meeting could be held the second Tuesday of the month. **It was resolved** - All to accept these dates. Clerk to publish dates on website for the next financial year.

24.04.16 - Minor Items

Cllr Marsden asked if local celebrity Guy Martin could perhaps get involved in village future events. Mick advised the committee who organise village events do usually approach him and he did attend last year's Gala. Cllr Page suggested not to stand on the toes of the committee who arrange the village events.

Cllr Marsden asked if any updates were known on the source of pollution at the beck. **It was resolved** - Clerk to enquire if Anglian Water can advise of the source.

Cllr Wells advised he had requested the speed gun to attend the road from Melton Ross to Bigby.

Cllr Gallimore expressed concern of the Croxton manure issues. She will try to attend the village meeting with Kit Read so she can question him.

Cllr Gallimore expressed concerns with the car parking at the Beeches, on grass verges. **It was resolved** - Cllr Hannigan will look at to see if he can assist.

Cllr Walton advised he has a lawnmower surplus to requirements. **It was resolved** - Cllr Walton will see if the company he purchased this from will sell it on behalf of the Parish Council.

Cllr Bridges expressed concerns with the Car Parking issues and traffic lights in Brigg. Clerk advised of the North Lincolnshire Councils previous reply. Cllr Wells informed the lights sequence will be altered shortly.

25.04.16- Agenda Items for the next meeting

No further items

26.04.16 - To confirm the date and time of the next meeting as Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May, 2016 at 7.00pm. This will also include the Annual General Meeting.  
This was confirmed.