

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF WOLD NEWTON PARISH COUNCIL HELD IN THE
COMMUNITY CENTRE ON MONDAY 11th MARCH 2024 at 7.30PM

PRESENT: Councillor Walker (Chairman), Councillor Robinson (Vice Chairman), Councillor Lockett, Councillor Bridges, Councillor Skelton and Councillor Ellis. Parishioner Goodman.

ITEM 1 – Apologies and Declarations of Interest.

Councillor Watson.

ITEM 2 – Minutes and matters arising from the meeting held on Monday 29th January 2024.

None received. Minutes signed and dated as a true and correct record of events.

ITEM 3 – Correspondence Communications received since our previous meeting.

- Driffield School Twilight Bus Donation Request
- Wold Newton School Stopping Area – Revised Plan
- Crime Prevention and Community Safety Event
- HWRA Newsletter – March
- East Riding Bus Partnership Proposal and Details
- Joint Access Forum – 13th March 2024
- East Wolds Community Newsletter – Request for articles
- Withdrawal of Planning 0 23/02680/PLF

ITEM 4 –Public Forum – Residents Views and Comments

Parishioner Goodman attended the meeting and had two items to discuss:

- 1) Following on from discussions with regard to the defibrillator in our January meeting Parishioner Goodman reported that he had attended a 15-minute online course by REVIVR which he had found beneficial and informative and may be useful for others to watch and do. This was duly noted by the Committee whom felt it might be an idea to draw it to the attention of other villagers.

Action – Bullet point poster/information sheet be done highlighting the actions required to be placed in East Wolds Newsletter/Parish Council noticeboard and Facebook.

- 2) As previously discussed, Parishioner Goodman was asked by the Parish Council to voice his concerns via a letter to Powergen regarding the trees, powerlines and recent power cuts. He kindly had written to Powergen and furthermore had a site meeting. Unfortunately, this meeting was not favourable and the Contract Manager stated that they had met their contract needs for the area and trees and therefore no further works would be done to the trees to prevent further power cuts. There is some controversy surrounding what caused the power cut but the Parish Council are pleased that it has been logged that these trees are a potential cause. The Parish Council would like to thank Parishioner Goodman for his time and effort with regard to this.

ITEM 5 – GRANTS

Nothing to report at present.

ITEM 6 – SPEEDING

Nothing further to report from the ERYC. Speeding remains an ongoing problem within the village especially with farm traffic. Concern was also voiced regarding people using their mobiles whilst driving.

Action – Clerk to look into cost of solar operated ‘reduce speed’ signage or other options.

ITEM 7 – ACCOUNTS TO PAY

No accounts to pay at present.

ITEM 8 – ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Pinfold – Councillor Ellis asked if it would be possible for a ‘delayed’ cut on the grass in this area to allow the wild flowers to immerge.

Action – Clerk to speak with Will Gray and ask him to delay 1st cut till around May/June of this year.

Dog Fouling – Several Committee members commented that this was becoming an unpleasant issue within the village.

Action – Clerk to put notice on Facebook/Website and Noticeboard asking people to kindly pick up after their dogs. Dog warden to be potentially spoken to if problem continues/worsens.

Litter – Councillor Ellis requested use of a litter grabber.

Action – Councillor Robinson to locate and provide one for Councillor Ellis.

Fordon Road – Councillor Lockett commented that the roads around the Fordan area particularly on the road from the crossroads to Flixton and back to Burton Flemming where eroding badly to the edges and would cause considerable damage especially as the pot holes are not always easily visible as they can be full of water in wet periods.

Action – Photos to be taken and ERYC council informed.

Item 10 – Date of the Next Meeting

The next meeting will be Monday 29th April 2024.

The meeting closed at 8.22pm

Chairman..... Zoe Wartars, Parish Clerk, 13th March 2024

Date.....