

# *Hibaldstow Parish Council*

## *Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting*

Minutes of the meeting of Hibaldstow Parish Council held at 7.15pm on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2010 at the Village Hall, Hibaldstow.

**Present:** Cllr Brooks                      Cllr Stothard                      Cllr Talliss (Chair)      Cllr Charlton  
                 Cllr White                              Cllr Broomhall

**Also present:** Cllr Poole, Amy Pullen (Evening Telegraph) & 3 Residents.

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**64. Public participation**

No comments.

**65. Apologies for absence**

No apologies for absence received.

**66. Declaration of Interest**

Cllr Brooks declared a personal interest in agenda items 73, 75, 78 & 80.

**67. Minutes of Previous minutes**

The minutes of the meeting held on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2010 were approved and signed as a true and correct record.

**68. Clerk's Report**

- a) Clerk has requested the latest copy of the lease completed by the VHC and received a blank copy.
- b) Clerk requested additional dog bins in the village. These will be in situ in the next few weeks.
- c) Clerk reported the various state of repair to some walls in the village. The Dunn Lane's wall will be monitored; NLC informed the Clerk that a letter would be sent regarding Dents Farm wall as these was indeed dangerous. Clerk to chase as no work has yet been carried out. The wall on Barnside has been demolished and a fence erected. The contractors have damaged the footpath and kerb and Clerk to report to NLC.
- d) Clerk has contacted the Hibaldstow Gardening Club re: CPRE Best Kept Village Competition. See agenda item.

**69. Chairman's Report**

Nothing further to report.

**70. Police Matters / NATs Report**

Crime Stats issued to all Cllrs prior to the meeting. The next NATs meeting is scheduled for 15<sup>th</sup> April.

**71. Report from Local Councillors**

Cllr Poole informed the Parish Council that the meeting to which the Clerk had also attended on the Code of Conduct was successful and further meetings would be held to expand on this subject. The application for the Biomass plant at Scawby Brook had been objected but an appeal from Eco2 is expected.

NLC are working on a scheme at present regarding waste disposal options as by 2012 the government set recycle targets have to be met. The possible use of incinerators will be decided in September. Humberside Police, Parish Councils and various Service Providers. Parish Councils can place items on the agenda for discussion.

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### **72. Village Voice**

Nothing to report.

### **73. Village Hall / Playing Fields**

- a) A meeting was held on 7<sup>th</sup> April were the joint Parish Council / Village Hall Committee meeting was discussed and a meeting date of 28<sup>th</sup> April provisionally booked. The VHC have decided only to send 3 representatives to the meeting who will then have to report back to the VHC prior to any decisions being made. Clerk to ensure that a HWRCC representative can attend before clarification is given to the VHC.

Concerns had been raised at the first meeting with the new members of the VHC as no acceptance forms were presented or signed for, not adhering to the constitution.

Cllr Broomhall has contact the Charity Commission and requested the latest copy of the Constitution and will issue out when received.

- b) On 24<sup>th</sup> March a further break-in was encountered. The VH has been made secure and both Mr Duff and Sheppard are obtaining quotes to provide to the Clerk for an insurance claim. The Parish Council need to know what the VHC are proposing to increase the security of the Hall. The VHC are in the process of getting quotes to put grills on all windows and secure the windows with dead locks. CCTV is to be considered.

### **74. Parish Council Awareness**

Jas Bahia is currently registering the website hibaldstowparishcouncil.co.uk and registering with a web host. The Clerk will be informed when all in place and Clerk will then put in the Village Voice.

### **75. Nellie Harpham Award**

Cllr Talliss would like to nominate Cllr Brooks for his work and organisation of the refurbishment of the Parish Cemetery. Cllr Brooks thanked Cllr Talliss but asked that any nominations to him be directed to the nomination received for the Village Voice Editorial Team. There was also a nomination received for Mr B Sheppard.

Brian Brooks – 1 vote

Brian Sheppard – 1 vote

Village Voice Editorial Team – 4 votes

It was also noted that the Editorial team which consisted of Mr David Carrick and Mr Mike Barton along with the assistance of the delivery and support staff had done a superb job in pulling together to keep the Village Voice running after some major issues.

Clerk to contact the team to inform them of their success and invite them to the next meeting to accept their award.

Cllr Poole left the meeting at 8pm.

### **76. CPRE Best Kept Village Competition**

The Clerk read out the letter received from the Gardening Club which set out the criteria to carry out the flower bed maintenance. In the previous letter sent by the Clerk to the Gardening Club it had been stated that residents already maintained 2 beds, Clerk to specify again and agree with the majority of the criteria. The Parish Council have on several occasions tried to involve residents in maintaining beds around the village with no success but will endeavour to try again in the next edition of the Village Voice. The Parish Council are not in a position to employ a gardener to carry out the planting as requested by the Gardening Club. Clerk to stipulate that the Parish Council was to proceed on behalf of

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the community and that all invoices should be detailed when submitted to the Parish Council for payment.

### **77. Highways**

Cllr White informed the Clerk that the Nookings area where the NLC accommodation had been situated had not yet been cleared up. Clerk to chase.  
Barnside sign is still not erected.

### **78. Cemetery**

- a) Nothing new to report.
- b) The footpaths are due to be started this week.
- c) The Clerk to chase up the Lincoln Diocese regarding the Consecration of the Cemetery. Cllr Brooks updated members of the public by informing them that the previous Council had decided not to get the new Parish Cemetery consecrated. Reverend Chris Lilley had been contacted by a resident with concerns after reading in the Parish Council minutes the current status of the Cemetery. Reverend Lilley had then contacted the Clerk to which an update on what the Parish Council had done to date was given to Rev. Lilley who then chased up the Diocese to find out the status.

### **79. Delegates Report**

Nothing to report.

### **80. Planning**

To receive decisions made by NLC, to discuss planning applications received from NLC and any received after the agenda was posted.

**2010/0054** – Mrs J Coulson, Home Hill Farm, South Carr Lane – Outline planning permission to erect a detached two-storey agricultural dwelling. No objections or comments.

### **81. Correspondence for Discussion / Decision**

No correspondence received.

### **Correspondence for Information**

No correspondence received.

### **82. Accounts**

- a) **It was resolved that** the annual membership received from ERNLLCA by renewed.
- b) The April accounts were approved for payment.

### **83. Minor Items**

- a) To take any points from members.
- b) Matters of correspondence for information which arrived after the agenda was posted.

### **84. Agenda Items for the next meeting –**

- Nellie Harpham award
- Dog Bin – Redbourne Road

### **85. The date and time of the next meeting is at 7.15pm on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2010. This meeting will be preceded by the Annual meeting of the Parish Council.**