

Carlton in Lindrick Parish Council

A Meeting of the Parish Council was held at the Carlton Youth Centre, Lawn Road, Costhorpe, Worksop, on Tuesday 10th October 2017.

Present: Councillor V. Bowles (Chairman) Councillors E. Banks, L. Billau, B. Bowles, K. Broad, C. Connolly, S. Jackson, W. Murdoch, P. Nicholson, S. Scotthorne and A. Williams.

District Councillor D. Pidwell and Peter Goulding (Parish Clerk) were in attendance.

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors S. Ludden, C. Smith and County Councillor A. Rhodes.

Prior to commencement of Council's official business, the Chairman announced that in accordance with the Openness of Local Government Bodies Regulations, audio/visual recording and photography at Council meetings is permitted in accordance with the Council's protocol "Filming of Public Meetings".

48. FORMER COUNCILLOR REVA SMITH

It was with sadness and regret that the Chairman informed members that former Councillor Reva Smith had passed away on the 9th October 2017.

Comment was made on Reva's community service on the Parish Council and her excellent voluntary contribution to the Youth Centre in its early years when she fulfilled the duties of Treasurer.

Members expressed their condolences to Chris and his family and a period of silence was observed.

49. POLICE AND PUBLIC

The Chairman referred to undesirable slogans being daubed on trees in Carlton Wood. The Clerk agreed to bring the issue to the attention of the Police

50. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None declared

51. MINUTES

RESOLVED that the minutes of the meeting held on the 12th September 2017 be approved.

52. NOTTS COUNTY COUNCIL ISSUES

Reference was made to a correction needed to the new sign at Owday Lane and a request for a Parish Entry Sign on Blyth Road is to be made. Councillor Pidwell referred to a recently submitted list of highway white lining requirements

53. BASSETLAW DISTRICT COUNCIL ISSUES

Councillor Pidwell reiterated information on discussions with the land owner of vacant land in Warwick Avenue and on successful fly tipping prosecutions.

Councillor Nicholson requested action on the damaged concrete cover over the ditch bordering the Costhorpe Playing Field.

54. SUB-COMMITTEE MEETINGS – 27TH SEPTEMBER 2017

i) Finance and Risk Assessment Sub Committee

RESOLVED that the minutes and recommendations of the Sub Committee meeting held on the 27th September 2017 be noted and approved.

ii) Environmental Working Party

RESOLVED that the minutes and recommendations of the Working Party meeting held on the 27th September 2017 be noted and approved.

55. EXTERNAL AUDIT OF 2016/17 ACCOUNTS

(Minute 11 of the Finance and Risk Assessment Sub Committee refers)

The Clerk circulated to members the external auditors certification for the 2016/17 accounts indicating that the audit had been undertaken and there were no issues which needed bringing to the attention of the Council.

RESOLVED that the auditor's report be noted and approved and Peter Goulding (Clerk) and Helen Brown (Administration Assistant) be thanked for their work in securing a favourable report.

56. PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS

RESOLVED that the payments schedule dated 10th October 2017 be approved.

57. PLANNING ISSUES

a) Neighbourhood Plan

The Chairman submitted her apologies for the next consultation event scheduled for the 19th October 2017. The Clerk emphasised the importance of securing a good attendance for the event.

b) Planning Applications

18/01262/CAT – 4 High Road

17/01289/COU – Riddle Arms

RESOLVED that no objections be made to the applications

58. PROVISION OF DEFIBRILLATORS

The Vice Chairman referred to the feasibility of providing this potential "life saving" equipment within the Parish and to the possibility of staging fund raising events. It was agreed the Clerk investigate provision and costing implications for appropriate equipment to be made available.