

Carlton in Lindrick Parish Council

A meeting of the Parish Council was held at the Civic Centre, Long Lane, Carlton in Lindrick, Worksop, on Tuesday 14th February 2017.

Present: Councillor C. Smith (Chairman) Councillors E. Banks, K. Broad, C. Connolly, R. Dyas-Elliott, W. Murdoch and P. Nicholson.

District Councillor R. Carrington-Wilde and Peter Goulding (Parish Clerk) were in attendance.

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors L. Billau, B & V Bowles, S. Jackson, M. Pepper, S. Scotthorne and A. Williams.

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".

80. POLICE/PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Members received statistical information on recent police activity within the Parish.

81. MINUTES

74 Damaged Village Entry Sign

It is anticipated that the cost of replacing the demolished village entry sign on the southern entrance of the A60 could be in the region of £4,800 including installation Details of the driver demolishing the sign were not obtained by A1 Housing Officer's when the accident was originally reported and the Clerk is enquiring on the possibility of Parish Council Insurers meeting all or part of the costs of replacement.

RESOLVED that 1) further enquiries be made as to any information reported to the police

2) the Clerk arrange for a replacement sign to be installed

75 i) Telephone Mast – Long Lane

A number of residents have thanked the Parish Council for its representations on this issue.

RESOLVED that the minutes of the meeting held on the 10th January 2017 be approved.

82. BASSETLAW DISTRICT COUNCIL ISSUES

i) Housing Strategy

RESOLVED that the Clerk's comments on the content of the Strategy be noted and Parish Council support the Bassetlaw District Council Housing Strategy

ii) Bassetlaw Spring Clean 15-28th May 2017

RESOLVED that this annual activity be brought to the attention of the Youth Centre Leader and the District Council be requested to consider the debris deposited in Crossley Hill Lane within the initiative.

iii) Telecommunication Mast – Long Lane

RESOLVED that the comments of the Member of Parliament be noted.

iv) Bassetlaw Forum 27th February 2017

Bassetlaw Rural Conference 27th March 2017

Members are invited to attend the District Council organised events.

v) Other Issues

Councillor R. Carrington-Wilde reported on recent maintenance activities within the Parish and agreed to bring the attention of Councillor Rhodes to problems associated with water flow blockages on A60 Highway gulleys at Costhorpe.

83. NOTTS COUNTY COUNCIL ISSUES

(a) Caravan site entrance – Blyth Road/Hundred Acre Lane

The Clerk has reported damage being caused to highway grass verges to the Highways Manager.

b) The Clerk to make further representation to the Highways Manager on footpath/road maintenance at Chapelgate.

84. THE PLUNKETT FOUNDATION

The Association of Local Councils is bringing the attention of Parish Councils to work undertaken by this organisation on behalf of local communities. The foundation is a registered charity which has expertise in registering assets of Community Value, Neighbourhood Planning, the creation of Community Cooperatives and the creation of voluntary organisations to undertake community projects when diminishing resources are inhibiting local council services. The annual subscription to become a corporate member of the organisation is £75 per annum and the Association of Local Council's is supportive of the work being undertaken.

RESOLVED that the information be noted and the Parish Council subscribe as a member of the Plunkett Foundation.

85. SUB COMMITTEE/WORKING PARTY MEETINGS 25TH JANUARY 2017

RESOLVED that the minutes and recommendations contained therein of the Finance and Risk Assessment Sub Committee and the Environmental Working Party meetings held on the 25th January 2017 be approved.

86. EMERGENCY PLAN

Members were reminded that the Emergency Planning Sub Committee had considered and made recommendations on the formation of a Parish Emergency Plan.

Recommendations made by the Sub Committee following discussions with a representative of the Nottinghamshire County Council Emergency Planning Office have now been incorporated and submitted to the County Officer for his views. It is anticipated that the plan will be finalized for Parish Council approval within weeks.

RESOLVED that the report be noted

87. PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS

RESOLVED that the payments schedule dated 14th February 2017 be approved.

88. PLANNING ISSUES

(a) Neighbourhood Plan

The Clerk reported on the Steering Group recent meeting which had considered a report in support of retaining open space views over land on the eastern side of the A60. The Group had also discussed further consultation needed to support smaller potential housing sites within the Village whilst strongly supporting the Costhorpe Development site as a priority. In addition further representation will be made on the inclusion of Peppers Blyth Road

Development as part of the Parish allocation despite its alleged affinity with the Worksop urban allocation

(b) Planning Applications

16/01702/HSE – Mr Brown – 17 Highfield Grove – Whilst raising no objections to this proposal the Parish Council does wish planning officials to be mindful of the “height” of the development and whether or not it is considered appropriate in this neighbourhood.