

LINTON ON OUSE PARISH COUNCIL
Minutes of a Meeting of the Parish Council
 held on Tuesday 8th August 2017 at 7.15 pm
 in the Village Hall Linton on Ouse

N° Present

Cllrs. Goodridge, Goddard, Keegan & Kirby County Cllr. Patmore, Megan Remmer (Clerk). No members of the public were in attendance.

17-062 Apologies for Absence

Cllr. Bramma (Chairman), Cllr Flatekvil; Cllr Rooke, M Lumsden.

17-063 Councillors' Declaration of Interest

None received.

17-064 Minutes of the Previous Meeting

The Minutes of the Meeting held on Tuesday 8th August 2017, having been previously circulated, were approved and signed by the Vice Chairman.

17-065 Actions from Previous Meeting

17-047: Clerk wrote to Mrs McLoughlin, outgoing head of Linton School.

17-057.2: Dave Pattison has not yet given written notice so this action is carried.

17-059: Reported that letter sent, reply received and work started.

17-066 Public Forum

17-066.1 Stephen Orwell spoke to PC with proposal for allotments located on RAF Linton land. There are plots free for station personnel, but overgrown due to underuse. They would need to be cleared first, possibly ploughed; not sure what cost would be to clear. Access – main gain, path usable by cars, small car park for about 12 cars. Also possibly could access via hedge; also possibly via viewing gate. Could put sheds up. No one on base has been contacted yet, Cllr Bramma suggested writing to liaison officer; SO suggested stage commander in first instance. Still have list of interested people; need to find out about local interest, if enough contact RAF. Query about how land would land leased? Suggested need at least 5 year agreement. Noted that there would be no flying after Nov. 2019; and that quarters have been sold privately, so not sure what results of this will be.

ACTION – CANVAS PEOPLE ON LIST FOR INTEREST; TO BE POSTED ON LINTON FB BY CLLR KIRKBY

17-067 County Councillor's Report

County Council is on recess in August but Cllr. Patmore reported on a meeting she attended with regards to a potential restructuring of the emergency services. The Police Commissioner spoke giving her idea of the way forward - she wants to merge with fire and ambulance services with police leading. The Fire Authority Chairman wanted different approach where there was a more equal balance of authority between the services. This information is open to the public at the moment as the process is under consultation until September. The general purpose for uniting many of coordinating services is a cost saving exercise. Cllr Pattison indicated the proposal made by the Chair of the Fire Authority was a more favoured position.

No other news.

17-068 District Councillors Report

In the absence of District Cllr Rooke no report was received.

17-069 RAF Liaison Officers Report

In the absence of any representative from the RAF no report was received.

17-070 Clerk's Report and Financial Matters

17-070.1 Accounts were reported as healthy.

17-070.2 Audit observations were circulated via dropbox to Cllrs; no queries were raised.

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17-070.3 Payment of the following accounts was approved:

- HMRC for Q1 PAYE: £115.00
- Clerk's Q1 expenses: £39.38 Cheque signed
- Gross Salaries June and July 2017: £958.34
- James Mackman for Audit: £80 Cheque signed
- Data Protection Renewal: £35 Cheque signed

17-071 Planning

117-071.1 17/01233/FUL – Linton Dale, Main St, Linton on Ouse

Cllrs shown printed application; full application to be distributed when online. No objections by an Councillors.

ACTION – WRITE TO HDC PLANNING TO SAY NO OBJECTIONS RAISED TO THIS PROPOSAL

17-073 Highways

17-073.1: Cllr Patmore reported that the A19 no longer trunk road, now under Highways at County level.

17-073 Correspondence

The Clerk reported that the following correspondence had been received:

17-074.1 Request from Stephen Orwell with regards to establishing allotments (dealt with at 17-066.1)

17-074.2 YCLA: Re Reform of Data Protection Act: NEW FINANCE AND TRANSPARENCY GUIDANCE BOOKLET: see <http://www.nalc.gov.uk/library/publications/2468-the-good-councillors-guide-on-finance-and-transparency-2017/file>; Agreed that probably not particularly of relevance to us.

17-074.3 Peter Cole from HDC: Information regarding applying for 'Making a Difference' Fund £25,000 funding available for each County Council, £5k now goes to library; groups can access – Parish Councils were formally exempt but are no longer.

- **17-074.4** Data Protection Registration Renewal required

17-074 New Items

17-075.1 Clerk requested to attend 'New Clerk Training'; approved

17-075.2 A cheque for £600 was received from Linton resident Mr P Lister to be spent on a bench to be placed outside of the Parish Hall.

ACTION: CLERK TO WRITE THANK YOU LETTER TO MR LISTER

17-075 Completed

17-076 Playing Field & Village Hall

17-077.1 Still awaiting written resignation from Dave Pattison

ACTION CARRIED: CLERK TO DRAFT AN NOTICE OF VACANCY FOR THE LOCAL NEWSLETTER.

17-077 Neighbourhood Watch

17-058.1 No update.

17-078 S.106 Funding:

106 Bike racks purchased but not yet installed.

17-079 Minor Matters and Items for Next Agenda.

17-060.1: Reported that the bin on the bandstand often full; emptied by volunteers, not HDC. Also has been crushed as it is not a fixed bin. Suggested new bin needed, possibly paid for with 106 money. There is another bin council bin there that gets emptied in area – can we have Council bin?

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ACTION - CONTACT HDC TO REQUEST ANOTHER BIGGER FIXED BIN MAINTAINED BY THEM

17-060.2: LintonFest will take place on 9/9; help is needed for the event.

Next Agenda:

Bin request

17-080 Chairman's Closing Remarks

The Vice Chairman then thanked everyone for their attendance and closed the meeting at 8.10pm.

Date of Next Meeting: Tuesday 12th September 2017 at 7.15pm.

Signed: _____

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