

STILLINGTON PARISH COUNCIL
MINUTES OF A MEETING HELD
ON WEDNESDAY 7th December 2016

PRESENT Chairman M Rowe
B Smith P Swiers D Goodall M Turvey C Cookman
Clerk R Brown.
Apologies G Hill C Patmore B Denton
In Attendance L Pearse M Law

1 The Minutes of the Last Meeting held on the 2nd November 2016 had been circulated prior to the meeting and were agreed, as a true record.

2 Matters Arising from the Minutes

a) Easingwold Library

There were approximately 80 people who attended the meetings for volunteers to run the Easingwold Library. A good discussion took place and the next step is to collating the information and setting up training events in January 2017

b) St Nicholas Church Yard Stillington

The Faculty has arrived from the Deanery Office and the Parish Clerk has given a works order to the agreed contractors.

MR/BB

c) White Fencing Posts and Railings

North Yorkshire County Council hope to complete the repair of the White Fencing and Posts by 23 December

d) Emergency Co-ordinator for Village

After discussion, B Smith agreed to prepare a document for the next meeting in January 2017.

BB-MR-

e) Harryfield Lane

After a verbal report by P Swiers it was agreed to remove this item from the agenda.

e) Road subsidence Stillington to Sheriff Hutton Road

After discussion it was agreed to remove this item from the Agenda

- f) Road Subsidence at the T-Junction / High Street.

After discussion it was agreed to remove this item from the Agenda

- g) Drainage Problems South Back Lane

No further update from Yorkshire Water/NYCC has been received. It was agreed to hasten Yorkshire Water, with the view of arranging an on-site meeting to discuss the problem

(The problem needs to be resolved before resurfacing of South Back Lane commences. NYCC have been informed about this problem).

NYCC is to investigate the problem again.

- h) Provision of 20mph sign at the entrance to Parkfield

After discussion it was agreed to remove this item from the Agenda

- 3) Planning New

- a) Lees House High Street

Two-storey rear extension to existing dwelling

There was no objection to this application

- 4) Planning Agreed

- a) 1 High Street Stillington

Replacement windows and Back Door

HDC have agreed this application

- 5) Planning New

- a) 4 Mill Lane Stillington

Proposed extension to rear of Property

There was no objection to this application

- b) Weddells Cottage Main Street Stillington

Replacement roof timbers and tiles to existing dwelling house

There was no objection to this application

6) Planning Withdrawn

Chandlers Main Street Stillington

Change of use to domestic outbuilding to form two dwellings

This application has been withdrawn

7) Finance

Authorised Payments

Stillington News- After much discussion it was agreed to pay £50 to the Stillington News.

8) Development South Back Lane

- a) Concern was again expressed at the lack of clarity in who would provide the Public Lighting in South Back Lane when the Development was completed. NYCC are in discussion with HDC Planning, they are hopeful that a solution on the way forward will be agreed in the near future.

A further letter is to be send to Daniel Gath to inform him of a Person falling down in South Backlane due to the lack of Suitable Street lighting.

Negotiations are still ongoing

- b) One- way system South Backlane.

No further information on this item was available.

- c) South Backlane -Low Cost Housing

All the homes have been rented at Stillington, with all residents meeting the local connection criteria. The shared ownership homes are going through the final legal contract signings etc. and have gone to people with a local connection to Stillington.

All Houses are now allocated.

9) Parish Plan (Speeding in the Village 95 Alive
(Community Speed Watch Scheme)

A Village Speed Survey was carried out and a Report accepted by the Parish Council. This will be sent to the Community Speed Watch Scheme

10)

Minerals and Waste Joint Plan
South Hambleton Shale Gas Advisory Group

A question time style meeting was held at the Galtres Center, Easingwold on Saturday 29th October organized by South Hambleton Shale Gas Advisory Group. This group consists mainly of representatives from local parish councils in OS grid square SE57 (the square north of SE56 which contains Stillington). Many Stillington residents wishing to find out more information on the shale gas industry and how it is likely to affect us attended the meeting. The panelists were : Tom Pickering (Ineos); Kevin Hollinrake MP; Dr Joanne Hawkins (Leeds University); Chris France (NYM National Park Authority); Councilor Lindsay Burr; and Dr Robert Arnott (Oxford Institute for Energy Studies) and chaired by Helen Proops (barrister). There was an overall consensus that shale gas extraction would definitely happen in this area even if its impact on our lives were the subject of debate.

In response to the Document NYCC's final Minerals & Waste Joint Plan consultation prepared by the South Hambleton Shale Gas Advisory Group.

A discussion as to what we wished to say about the proposal took place.

M Rowe and R Brown were asked to formulate a reply.

MR-BB

- 11) Village Development Fund (Community Infrastructure Levy. (CIL)
- The CIL access software is still not available.
- 12) Telephone Box Main Street
- Suggestions for use are still requested, This item to put in the Stillington News
Philippa Hope was thanked for her keeping of the Telephone Box clean and Tidy
- 13) Notes from C Patmore. None available
- 14) Stillington Charity It was agreed unanimous to re-appoint Pat Conway as the Parish Council Representative to the Stillington Charity for a further 4 years from May 2017
- 15) Land at Mill Bridge
- Agreed that this item to be removed from the Agenda.

- 16) Neighbourhood Watch.
- a) Unknown person(s) heard approx. 2.30am 29 October around Hill View Bungalows. Notice has gone out to residents near by
 - b) Fires being built /left burning within the woodland strip to the South of the village. Farmers and the Community will be informed in the Stillington News

17) Vehicles parked on Pavements

Parking on the footpaths in Mill Lane/North Back Lane / Main Street. This continues to be a problem throughout the Village. It was agreed to put a note in Stillington News

This item will be highlighted in the Stillington News

18) Correspondence/ Local Plan preferred options

a) Local Plan Preferred Options Public Consultation

HDC are in process of preparing a new Local Plan and are holding drop in Sessions in Galtres Centre on 2 November 5-00pm 7-30pm and Easingwold Market 25 November 10-00am-1-00pm to explain their proposals.

Residents are encouraged to attend to see what is proposed for Stillington Details can be found at available www.hambleton.gov.uk/localplan

After discussion it was agreed to accept the preferred options as per the given Map.

b) Hambleton Parish Liaison Meeting

The next meeting of the Liaison Committee will be held on 17 November at the Civic Centre Northallerton M Rowe agreed to represent the Council at this meeting.

The minutes of the meeting are published on the Hambleton District Council Web Site

c) Old Bus Shelter York Road

P Swiers and B Smith are hoping to install some hooks in the Old Bus Shelter so that bikes can be secured.

Cycle Rack positions installed in old Bus shelter. Cyclists appeared to be already using the amenity.

- a) Insurance for damage to the Bank side (High Street)

The damage to the Bank side has been repaired by a Volunteer.

- 19) Community Payback Scheme
(Formally known as Probation Community Service)

After discussion it was decide that no immediate work was evident. However, any work in the future would be considered for Community Payback work.

- 20) Any other Business.

- a) Dog Fouling. Debra Goodall said she had seen an item on Face Book informing all, and that an individual had made angry comments about Dog Fouling near to her driveway in Stillington. Village. Debra was asked to communicate with the individual and try to establish the location of the Driveway.

It was also agreed that the Dog Warden should be asked to visit the Village.

- 21) Next Meeting

Date of next meeting will be on Wednesday 4th January 2017 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall

Signed as a true record M Rowe

Date 4th January 2017