# **BURN PARISH COUNCIL**

Chairman: Cllr Mr C Phillipson

Clerk & Finance Officer: Mrs FMA Farman Three Greens, The Green, Gateforth, YO8 9LF burnparishcouncil@outlook.com Tel. 01757 228 325

# MINUTES OF BURN PARISH COUNCIL'S MEETING HELD ON 20.09.2018 AT 19:00 IN BURN METHODIST CHAPEL SCHOOLROOM

**Present:** C Phillipson; B Phillipson; E Boldan; D Green; C Pearson. Clerk – M Farman. All councillors and the clerk signed the attendance book

#### 091801. Welcome

i. The chairman welcomed all present to the meeting

#### 091802. Public Forum

- i. Comments on agenda items and matters of community interest/concern from residents present at the meeting. None present
- ii. Written comments sent or emailed to the clerk prior to the meeting. None received

## 091803. Apologies

• Council received apologies and reasons for absence from Cllrs AP and PS and **resolved** to accept the reasons given.

## 091804. Minutes of 23 August meeting

Council resolved to accept the minutes of 23 August as an accurate record of the meeting.

### 091805. Signing of minutes

- The chairman signed the accepted minutes.

#### 091806. Reports:

- i. Chairman
  - Reported that Eggborough Power Station should be de-commissioned by the end of October and the proposed gas power station has received consent from the Secretary of State
- ii. County Councillor
  - Reminded council of the environmental grant available for footways
- iii. District Councillor
  - Reported on launch of 'Operation Eyeball' and its success in catching fly tippers
  - Reported that SDC is developing an 'Air Quality Management' policy to deal with vehicle fumes
  - The first phase of 5 social houses at Riccall is to be handed over on 21 September, Phase 2, at Burn, will follow.
  - SDC has received a grant from 'Homes England' to update and bring empty houses back into use
  - SDC is looking at making Selby a Heritage Access Zone
- iv. Other Officers no reports

- v. Police Community Messaging information re neighbourhood policing; burglaries and missing person emailed to councillors
- vi. Any other representatives the clerk reported on the training day for experienced clerks

## 091807. RFO's report on closing balances, payments to be made and payments received

- a) Current balances
  - i. £36,688.22 Community Account Balance as at 11 September statement no. 48

b) Pay	ments made since last meeting:	Cheque no.
i.	£2,682.00 - Trailer. VAT £447.00; actual cost £2,235.00	100147

c) Payment requests received

i. £358.00 – Initial storage payment; VAT £31.50; actual cost £326.50 100148

d) Payments requests received after agenda preparation

ii.	£ 48.26 – Payroll; VAT £8.04; actual cost £40.22	100149
iii.	£243.30 – HMRC; clerk's PAYE	100150
iv.	£342.34 – Clerk's pay; September	100151

e) Payments received: None received

**091808.** Council **resolved** to accept the report, make the payments as listed above and pay the monthly storage bill by direct debit

#### 091809 Planning

- a) Planning applications received none received
- b) Planning decisions received none received
- c) Planning updates none received

## 091810 Correspondence received since last meeting;

- a) Community Messaging emails forwarded to Cllrs
- b) SDC various emails forwarded to Cllrs
- c) YLCA various emails forwarded to Cllrs
- d) Email message from Canada re 431 Squadron– forwarded to Cllrs
- e) Clerks and Councils Direct for circulation
- f) Funding for smoke free places emailed to Cllrs and Chapel custodians
- g) Email re registering play areas/cricket fields etc as protected public open spaces clerk to re-forward information to the chairman
- h) Scam posters and information printed and emailed to councillors
- i) Closure of Haddlesey bridge form 1 October to 21 December 2018
- j) Southern CEF meeting on 11 October at Thorpe Willoughby posters printed and emailed to councillors

#### 091811 Action taken since last meeting.

- a) SDC contacted re councillor vacancy tipping reported.
- b) Replied re length of Health and Social care questionnaire
- c) Contacted grass cutter re hedge at West Lane/A19 junction
- d) Highways contacted re debris in gutters and overhanging trees
- e) Seat at West Lane junction with A19 Cllr CPh to deal with
- f) Highways Cllr CPh/PS to deal with

#### **091812 Village Fire Hydrants**

- New hydrants have been fitted

#### 091813 Field rent

- Chairman and Vice-chairman are continuing to check.

# **091814 Neighbourhood Watch Signs**

Current sites have been checked council resolved to confirm new sites at the next meeting

#### 091815 a) Councillors Forum: no points raised

- b) Items for the next agenda:
- Neighbourhood Watch signs
- Field rent
- Neighbourhood Plan
- Christmas arrangements

# 091816 Further comments from public present - none present

# 091817 Confirmation of date, time and place of next meeting

• Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> November; 19:00; Burn schoolroom

## 091818 Closure of meeting

• The meeting closed at 20:05

Signed ... *CPhillipson*... Chairman. Date: ...1st November 2018...

## Action points from the meeting.

- ➤ Chairman set up direct debit
- Cllrs continue to deal with neighbour hood watch signs
- Chairman contact consultant re neighbourhood plan
- Chairman deal with damaged seat
- Clerk contact Highways re overhanging trees
- Clerk remind re hedge trimming
- ➤ Clerk send open space protection info to chairman