## Minutes of a meeting of Eye Parish Council held in the Leeds Hall, High Street, Eye on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2017 at 7pm.

*Consultation with the public until 7.10pm* – 3 present.

Concern from the public that 2 transit vans and caravan had arrived and parked inside the Hodney Road allotment area. There is also a vehicle parked in Hodney Road which is untaxed, no MOT, no insurance and the owner appears to be living in it – despite calls to the council and the police. Reported that the police had taken the owners keys away. Resident would like to barriers/bollards at the entrance to the allotment site to prevent caravans entering. The land is Church Commissioners Land and the issue has been reported to them. A new lock to be fitted and short term measures investigated to prevent entry to the site.

There are 4 allotment tenants still there.

Concern at last month's crime report where an animal had been killed and skinned – no further information.

Attendees Mrs P Blades, Mr S Duffy, Mrs S Foster, Mr M Holmes, Mrs D Magnus, Mr A Short and Mr A Smith.

Also present:Councillor R Brown.

#### 93) Declaration of Interests

Mr A Short – Agenda Item 99 Voucher 28

#### 94) Items for City Councillors

Letter from David Sanders advising the Parish Council of his resignation from 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2107. He has enjoyed working with the Parish Council over the years and has an affinity with the villages that will remain and sends his best wishes for the future. The clerk to write and thank him for his service to the community of Eye. Mr T Whittle. Compliance Officer, PCC – Letter received stating that he has undertaken a site inspection at land to the north of Hodney Road re the unauthorised gate and there is no breach of planning control. Members disagreed and ask the clerk to respond to Mr Whittle.

Concern raised to the Ward Councillors that delivery lorries – especially to the Co-op are delivery very early and out of the permitted hours. This is being monitored.

#### 95) Policing

Crime Report -

Dwelling burglaries - Back Lane, Fountains Place, Crowland Road, New Road, Anglesey Way. Crowland Road – handbag stolen from car, puppy and computer equipment stolen from business premises. Thorney Road – two old vehicles stolen. Invitation from Jason Ablewhite, Police Crime Commissioner to the Peterborough Parish Conference on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October from 10.30to 4pm at Cambridgeshire Constabulary Headquarters at Hinchingbrooke Park.

#### 96) Apologies for Absence

Mr S Booth, Mr G Chapman, Mr A Goodsell, Mr A Martin, Mrs A Meadows, Mr P Smart and Coun S Allen.

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## 97) Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting and of the Annual Meeting of 18th May 2017

Both were agreed and signed as a true record

# 98) Matters Arising – Not included in this agenda

None

## 99) Finance

(i) Accounts for Payment

| Creditor                     | Voucher<br>Number | Details   | Nett                          | VAT              | Total    | Chq<br>No |
|------------------------------|-------------------|---|-------------------------------|------------------|----------|-----------|
| Mrs B Stanojevic             | 27                | Wages - May   | £765.07                       |                  | £765.07  | 3186      |
| Mrs S Short                  | 28                | Wages - May   | £758.20                       |                  | £758.20  | 3187      |
| Mrs J Fisher                 | 29                | Wages - May   | £200.00                       |                  | £200.00  | 3188      |
| Eye Community<br>Association | 30                | Annual Eyescan<br>donation                          | £440.00                       |                  | £440.00  | 3190      |
| Marlow Gardner<br>& Cooke    | 31                | Excess Liability<br>Insurance                       | £402.00                       |                  | £402.00  | 3191      |
| The Payroll Site             | 32                | Payroll 4/7 to 3/10                                 | £17.25                        | £3.45            | £20.70   | 3192      |
| Magpas                       | 33                | Donation  | £200.00                       |                  | £200.00  | 3193      |
| The Chairman                 | 34                | Chairman's Expenses 2016/17                         | £210.00                       |                  | £210.00  | 3194      |
| Britim                       | 35                | Ink cartridges                                      | £74.69                        | £14.93           | £89.62   | 3195      |
| Nick Wilson<br>Plumb & Heat  | 36                | Servicing Boilers –<br>Pavilion<br>Leeds Hall       | £260.00<br>£157.00            | £52.00<br>£31.40 | £500.40  | 3196      |
| AmeyCespa East               | 37                | Refuse – Cemetery<br>- L/Hall                       | £36.00<br>£61.76              | £19.55           | £117.31  | 3197      |
| R Harding & Son              | 38                | Grass Cutting –<br>C/Yard<br>Cemetery<br>Rec Ground | £125.00<br>£680.00<br>£320.00 |                  | £1125.00 | 3198      |
| Anglian Water                | 39                | Water – L/Hall                                      | £56.11                        |                  | £56.11   | 3199      |
| SD Electrics                 | 40                | Power<br>sockets/trunking<br>office                 | £225.00                       | £45.00           | £270.00  | 3200      |

The above accounts were approved for payment

(ii) S137 Payments£200 – Magpas Air Ambulance£440.00 To Eyescan

#### **100) Planning Applications/Decisions**

Applications:

REF:17/00837/MMFUL Provision of Miscanthus Beds for treatment of landfill leachate and relocation of mess Room – Retrospective. Biffa Waste Services Ltd, Eyebury Road, Eye. No Comments.

REF:17/01017/WCPP Amendment to existing planning permission at Mick George, Welland Road, Dogsthorpe. Variation of condition – working hours to extend permitted hours of skip vehicles depositing waste. No comment. *Decision:* 

REF:17/0004/HHFUL Single storey side and rear extension at 71 Crowland Road, Eye. Permitted

## 101) Cemetery

Debris from felled branches to be removed.

## 102) Allotments

Check with Church Commissioners as to what measures can be taken to make area secure. New lock to be fitted in the first instance. Clerk to check if bees can be kept on allotments.

## **103) Eye Primary School**

Auditions for 2017 Panto – "The Adventures of Dick Whittington" to be held at the school on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July at 2pm.

## **104)** Transport, Roads and Footpaths

Judi Anderson, PCC – Proposal for parking restrictions in Lindisfarne Road and in Little Close. Parish Council objects. Highway Code clearly states where parking is permitted.

Clerk to report that vegetation is high at exit to Dogsthorpe Tip and impairs drivers vision.

The public footpath from Fountains Place to Eyebury Road is overgrown and the sign has fallen down. Clerk to report. Is there a Highways and Byways Officer?

## 105) Leeds Hall, Recreation Ground and Amenities

Wedding reception to be held in the Leeds Hall this Saturday.

Mr Smith meeting with roofer next week at the Leeds Hall to look at scaffold/ skip etc so he can re-quote as the skip will need to be at the front of the hall or housed closeby. The swing gate onto the pitch at the Recreation Ground needs repairing.

#### **106) Community Centre**

The clerk, Mrs Blades and Mrs Magnus attended the AGM of the Community Association this week. Still awaiting information from PCC on costings so unable to proceed further until theses received.

## 107) Church Clock

Report from Smiths of Derby circulated. The last option is the preferred option at a cost of  $\pounds 4,00 + VAT$ . The church is looking at funding assisted by the Parish Clerk as there is the Larkfleet fund, Former CLF etc.

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#### **108) Nature Reserve**

Vegetation has been cut back this week. Bridges have been vandalised again.

#### **109) Environmental Matters**

Nothing to report

#### **110) Other Correspondence**

Jane Darlington – Larkfleet fund update Only 5 local organisations have applied including Eye Primary School who were awarded £5,000 towards refurbishing the school pool.

#### 111) Outstanding Items – None

# 112) Date of Next Meeting - 20<sup>th</sup> July 2017

The clerk can't attend the meeting on  $21^{st}$  September due to family commitments so it was agreed to hold the September meeting on  $28^{th}$  September instead.

#### Meeting closed at 8.35pm

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