

**Minutes of a meeting of Eye Parish Council in the Leeds Hall,  
High Street, Eye on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> February 2018 at 7.00pm**

*Consultation with the public until 7.10pm*

One present, the issues are - 40MPH speed limit in Peterborough Road.  
Access to the Church roundabout from the High Street side – in very poor condition and needs reinstating  
Condition of the speed bumps along Crowland Road, they are wearing badly especially the last one as you go out of Eye.  
These matters will be reported to Highways.  
Display in Newborough Village Hall on 20<sup>th</sup> February - Anglian Water on works in the area – will affect Crowland Road from Masons Bridge towards Eye.

Attendees: Mr M Holmes, Mrs D Magnus, Mr A Martin, Mrs A Meadows and Mr A Short.

Also present: Councillors R Brown and N Simons. Speedwatch - Mr P Cooper and Mr W Cave (Chair of Newborough Parish Council).

**17) Speed watch -Paul Cooper, Newborough**

Mr Cooper is the Co-ordinator for the scheme in Newborough. They have 14 volunteers – none are Parish Councillors.  
Speeds of 10%+2 are reported to the police. A letter is then sent by the police. Higher speeds and repeat offenders receive a police visit.  
The idea of the scheme is to educate people into slowing down and has been going in Newborough for 12 months.  
3% found speeding in Guntons Road, 7.5% in Thorney Road.  
Volunteers go out in pairs for one hour at a time.  
Newborough currently share equipment with Yaxley and Farcet, each has it for two weeks. Newborough would like to buy equipment and share with Eye so each village has it every fortnight. The cost is £2,800.  
Could CIL/S106 money be used to purchase? How much of this fund is due – clerk to find out.  
Does need volunteers from the community – currently Mrs Magnus is trained and Mrs Blades has registered her interest.  
Posters/Eyescan/Community Centre to advertise and to be on next agenda.  
Thanks to Mr Cooper and Mr Cave for attending

**18) Declaration of Interests**

Mr Short – Item 24 voucher 115

**19) Items for City Councillors**

Organised by the Ward Councillors, Eye Litter pick – with the Annual British Spring Clean. Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> March commencing at 10am at the Community Centre.  
Coun Brown dealing with cars parked outside Edgerley Car Garage and with the streetlights in Wroxham Close.  
Advertising signs removed from side of A47 but just left there. Clerk to inform Coun Allen.

## 20) Policing

Crime Report - for the month of January

High Street – Office burglary. A1139 – vehicle window broken. Crowland Road 2 pedal bikes stolen & 2 motorbikes stolen from rear of van. Items placed on top of vehicle causing damage. Cleve Place – vehicle stolen. Hodney Road – criminal damage (18<sup>th</sup> Jan) 50 trees pulled down. Peterborough Road – House burglary. Fountains Place – 2 vans broken into overnight.

The police have been gathering information on the tree damage – ongoing issue.

## 21) Apologies for Absence

Mrs P Blades, Mr S Booth, Mr G Chapman, Mr S Duffy, Mrs S Foster, Mr A Goodsell, Mr P Smart, Mr A Smith and Coun S Allen.

## 22) Minutes of the Meeting of 18<sup>th</sup> January 2018

Agreed and signed as a true record.

23) Matters Arising – Not included in this agenda – None

## 24) Finance

(i) Accounts for Approval of Payment

The following accounts were approved for payment

<i>Creditor</i>	<i>Voucher Number</i>	<i>Details</i>	<i>Nett</i>	<i>VAT</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Chq No</i>
Mrs Stanojevic	114	Wages - January	£696.50	-	£696.50	3276
Mrs S Short	115	Wages - January	£741.21	-	£741.21	3277
Mrs J Fisher	116	Wages - January	£200.00	-	£200.00	3278
Wave	117	Water – Allotments Green Rd	£156.09		£156.09	3281
Wave	118	Water - Pavilion	£202.70	£40.54	£243.24	3282
Wave	119	Water - Leeds Hall	£7.24	-	£7.24	3283
Wave	120	Water - Cemetery	£79.67	-	£79.67	3284
Amey	121	Refuse – L/Hall - Cem	£64.16 £62.00	£25.23	£151.39	3285
Rigby Taylor	122	White liner	£56.70	£11.34	£68.04	3286
SMC	123	Legionella-Pavilion Leeds Hall	£456.50 £97.50	£110.80	£664.80	3287
BT	124	Telephone	£168.46	£33.69	£202.15	DD
NJ Electricals	125	Patt Testing	£60.00	£12.00	£72.00	3288

(ii) Report of Income & Expenditure April 2017 to January 2018 – circulated

(iii) S137 Payments - None

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## **25) Planning Applications/Decisions**

### *Applications*

REF:18/00038/WCMM Mick George, Welland Road, Dogsthorpe. Variation of condition C6 (working hours for deposit of waste by skip vehicles). No Comment.

REF:18/000080/OUT Land at Red Brick Farm, Edgerley Grange Road, Fengate Outline Planning Application for the demolition of existing buildings and employment development comprising up to 166,440 square metres of B1, B2 and B8 uses with a maximum building height of 21 metres, engineering and site works, car parking, landscaping, drainage, and other associated works. No comment.

REF:18/00173/FUL 24 High Street, Eye. Siting of timber outbuilding to provide additional classroom space at Toddlers Inn Day Nursery  
The Parish Council would like to ensure that the staff park their cars on the site and not in the surrounding lays thus blocking them up. This does prevent local visitors from parking when visiting the shops in the High Street.

REF:17/02465/FUL. Land south of Northam Close, Eye Green.  
36 dwellings including vehicular access, public open space, car parking and associated works. No Comment

REF:18/00164/18 Just for Cats 34 Peterborough Rd, Eye. Construction of two additional cattery blocks. No comment

### *Decisions*

REF:17/02277/HHFUL 65, Chancery Lane, Eye. Demolition of single garage and erection of two storey side extension with integral garage. Permitted.

REF:17/02303/FUL 43 Crowland Road, Eye. Erection of 2no. detached 3 bed houses, associated garages and access. Refused.

## **26) Cemetery – Report**

A gap has appeared in the perimeter fencing/trees. Clerk and Chairman to investigate.

## **27) Allotments- Report**

Flying still appearing at the Hodney site.

Former allotment shed been used as a stable for 2 horses.

## **28) Eye Primary School - Nothing to report**

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

Judi Anderson, PCC – 30MPH speed limit long Thorney Road, Eye will become enforceable on 16<sup>th</sup> April. New signs will be erected.

Lee Moore, PCC – Repairs are scheduled in the new financial year at the McDonalds roundabout, the gullies will be reset but to do this a road closure is required.

All bollards requested have been installed at the co-op foodstore in the High Street, any further requests should be sent to Peter Tebb. The Clerk will check out the planning application and ask the PCSO to monitor the parking.

The manhole in Eyebury Road has not been repaired.

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**30) Leeds Hall, Recreation Ground and Amenities**

Leeds Hall reroofing project

Leeds Hall be closed from 5th March until 4<sup>th</sup> April 2018

Contractor visiting at 10am on 21<sup>st</sup> February to answer any questions from members.

Hall to be cleared on Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> March – pictures/curtains to be taken down and cleaned/fire proofed.

Recreation Ground – PCSO asked to look at parking around the entrance to the Recreation Ground. Some residents unhappy.

**31) Remembrance Day Tribute 2018**

Suggestions for tributes put forward by Mr Goodsell and Mr Smith.

Will be on next month's agenda.

**32) Environmental Matters** – noting to report

**33) Other Correspondence**

PCC – All Party Policy meeting to be held on 22<sup>nd</sup> February at 6pm at the Town Hall. Agenda to follow.

Manor Farm Community Centre – Clerk has had a response from PCC. A new officer is now dealing with the Asset Transfers and he will visit the clerk to discuss further.

The Community Centre Committee agreed at their meeting on 14<sup>th</sup> February to put forward their expression of interest in the Asset Transfer and begin negotiations with the City Council.

**34) Date of Next Meeting** – Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2018

WILL BE HELD IN THE LOUNGE AT THE MANOR FARM COMMUNITY CENTRE

**Meeting Closed at 8.35pm**

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