

**MINUTES OF THE ORDINARY MEETING
OF SUTTON UNDER WHITESTONECLIFFE PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON
MONDAY 12th SEPTEMBER 2016 AT 7.15 PM IN SUTTON VILLAGE HALL.**

Present: Cllr. Artingstoll, Cllr. J. Dickinson, Cllr. A. Pollard and Cllr. C. Worley.
PCSO N. Warlby and County Councillor G. Dadd attended the meeting.

The Chairman, Cllr. Artingstoll welcomed everybody.

There were no members of the public present at the meeting.

- 16.076** Apologies for absence were accepted from Cllr. B. Carney and Cllr. G. Thomas.
- 16.077** NY Police Report. A comprehensive report for 11th July until 12th September was received from PCSO Warlby indicating, amongst other items, 37 incidents of highway disruption on Sutton Bank. It was agreed that NY Police evidence would be given to the PCC when Julia Mulligan, Cllr. Artingstoll and Cllr. Dadd meet in October.
- 16.078** Declaration of interest in items on the agenda. Cllr. Artingstoll and Pollard declared an interest in the site allocation item, owning property adjacent to the proposed sites.
- 16.079** The minutes of the meeting held on July 14th 2016 and the TMG meetings on September 9th 2016 were approved and signed.
- 16.080** HDC Report from District Councillor Bob Baker. No report or apologies for non-attendance.
- 16.081** NYCC Report from County Councillor G. Dadd. County Councillor Dadd reported that there had been no obvious change of heart regarding the Clinical Commissioning Group's re-organisation. Local GPs were looking for funds to research the possibility of using the Lambert Hospital as a Community Health Hub with palliative care provision.
- 16.082** Financial Matters. Balance in Bank as 19 July 2016. £2537.89.
- Income:
- Payments:
- Payment of Clerk's wage for September 2016, £84.91. Chq. 227. Approved.
- Payment to Clerk for Travelling Expenses. 2 x return. £11.70. Chq.228. Approved.
- Payment to C. Artingstoll for 2xHP302 cartridges. £19.00. Chq. 229. Approved.
- Payment to Spanglefish Website £29.95. Gold status. Chq. 230. Approved.
- Payment to IC de Wet for paint for battlements. £165.48. Chq. 231. Approved.
- Payment to C Artingstoll - sand & cement - repair millstone plinths. £9.95 Chq 232. Approved.
- Payment to YLCA Good employer publication, £3.40. Chq 233. Approved.
- Payment to Information Commissioner, £35.00. Chq 234. Approved.
- 16.083** Planning Matters: 16/01112/FUL Graystones. Amended plans granted. The boundary wall would have a maximum height of 1.2m and the entrance gates would be set back from the pavement.
- 16/01583/CAT Rigg House. Felling of dead tree. Agreed by Councillors during August and granted by HDC.
- 16.084** An update from Traffic Management Sub Committee was received, including confirmation of an additional 3 weeks VAS placement because of technical issues. There had been no communication from the PCC. It had been agreed to write to Andrew Jones MP regarding funding because although the County Council were willing to proceed with a layby they were struggling to find funding. A meeting for parishioners would be planned for later in the year to give an overview of what had been achieved in the four years of the project and to find out what the community wished to happen in the future and to recruit new members if the TMG was to continue.

The Chairman requested that a Thank You Gift be sent to M. Ripley for her invaluable help with the TMG. A £25 Garden Gift Voucher was agreed.

- 16.085** The Village Hall Report was given by Cllr. Pollard. Plans were underway to let the old school.
- 16.086** Cllr. Pollard reported that there had been no further developments from the BHF regarding funding for a Defibrillator Scheme.
- 16.087** Cllr. Artingstoll gave an update on the Village Map which was nearing completion and the Clerk would commence work on the Community Emergency Plan.
- 16.088** The preferred site for the HDC TdY plaque was next to the village noticeboard. The Chairman undertook to find out what would happen to the noticeboard when building works were undertaken at Graystones..
- 16.089** Recent works connected with the Sutton Bank Closure, closure signage, the painting of the battlements, repairs to village signs and resurfacing of footways were discussed. Discussions between members confirmed that the traffic amounts through the village had in reality been very high during the Sutton Bank Closure. This had had a knock on detrimental effect on the hedge cutting and battlement painting which had been planned for the week when little traffic was expected. Significant damage had been caused at Kilburn Lane End by vehicles turning around. The question was asked as to why the traffic management had been so lacking at Bagby Lane end, when in years gone by a partial barricade did alert drivers to the fact that there really was a road closure ahead. Cllr. Worley had started to prepare the battlements for painting and had discovered an amount of rot which would be reported. Part of the footpath on the northern side of the road had been resurfaced but little had been done at the western end. It was hoped that the southern side would also be resurfaced in the not too distant future. The County Council's attention would be drawn to these matters and they would be asked to inspect the battlements. Mr Artingstoll and the Chairman had managed to repair the damaged concrete on the millstone village name plinths and had cleaned the white verge markers.
- 16.090** Arrangements for Christmas activities were commenced.
- 16.091** To agree items for the next meeting's agenda, October 12th 2016.
Amanda Madden re possible Affordable Housing proposal.
To discuss Christmas Newsletter and other Christmas arrangements.

16.092 Clerk's Report.

Report of meeting with HDC on 19th July re land allocation. *5 different plots of land at Scots Garth had been offered as potential sites for up to 87 homes. Local feeling was that a few new houses would be acceptable. Site visits by HDC would take place in October.*

Report of NHS Transforming our Communities meeting on 25th August at Thirsk School.

NHS CCA meeting 22 Sept. 10am Tennants, Leyburn.

HDC to charge £35pa for green bin emptying. *Cllr. Baker to be asked to attend the October meeting and find out if there could be a reduction in the rate for householders who cut grass on common land.*

MP Surgeries. 28th Sept. 10 – 11.30 Easingwold; 30th Sept. 10 – 11.30 Malton.

HDC Parish Liaison Meeting. 17th November 2016. 7pm.

Correspondence.

12th September. NYCC. Hambleton Area Committee. 2pm. County Hall.

York Disabled Workers Co-operative. Garden furniture and pet accommodation catalogue.

CAB. Hambleton and Richmondshire. Offer of Annual Report and talk.

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NYMNP. The North York Moors Local Plan.