

MINUTES OF THE FULL COUNCIL MEETING OF THE SNAITH AND COWICK TOWN COUNCIL HELD  
ON THE 9<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2015

PRESENT were Cllr. S. Jones, Cllr. J. Hollas, Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton, Cllr. R. Lyons, Cllr. G. Hulme and Cllr. J. Barrett

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Cllr. D. Bromley and Cllr. C. Fox

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting held on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> October having been circulated were accepted as a true record of the meeting on condition a number of minor mistakes were changed and signed by the Town Mayor. Proposed Cllr. J. Barrett seconded Cllr. G. Hulme and agreed

DECLARATION OF INTEREST BY MEMBERS IN ITEMS ON THIS AGENDA AND THE NATURE OF  
SUCH INTERESTS

Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton Agenda Item 15a and b, Cllr. S. Jones Agenda Item 10

To note dispensation given to any member of the council in respect of the agenda items listed  
below

None

Public Participation

Mrs Ounsely – Read a letter of thanks from a young school boy with regards to the Remembrance Parade and Service at the Memorial Gardens in Pollington. Cllr.J. Staveley – Churton requested the note be included in the next Link.

East Riding Councillors Report

Harron Homes Development - Cllr. J. Barrett advised he had attended a Drainage Board Meeting and the board had now been approached from Harron Homes re the proposed new development and they were currently looking at the proposals.

Sand Pit Farm – Cllr. J. Barrett advised there had been an article in the local press regarding the removal of the waste and information provided to the press had never been disclosed to Cllr. J. Barrett or Mr Andrew Percy MP therefore Mr Andrew Percy was raising the matter with the Environment Agency.

Town Clerks Report

The Town Clerk gave a full report

Vacancy for new Councillor

The Town Clerk advised she had received a letter from ERYC advising a council could now co-op a member. Cllrs. agreed to contact Mr Butterfield who had previously applied for the position.  
Noted by council members

SFJ

### Local Development Plan

#### Response to Correspondence with Simon Berkley

A letter of response was circulated to council members prior to the meeting. Noted by council members.

#### Meeting with Cowick Residents Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November

The Town Clerk and Town Mayor advised councillors of a meeting between two residents of East Cowick the Town mayor and Clerk regarding representation of Residents. The Town Clerk advised the residents had stated they did not believe the views of Cowick residents were been directed to ERYC with regards to the new proposed developments. The Town Mayor advised all documentation dating back to 2013 was produced with dates of consultations and drop in sessions to the residents. The Town Clerk advised she had received a letter from the resident after the meeting stating they were now happy the views of both East and West Cowick residents were been presented to the relevant authorities. Cllr. S. Jones also advised the resident wish to discuss an incident which took place at the Harron Homes open session however he had advised the residents this was an issue to be discussed with ERYC not the Town Council. Noted by council members.

#### Youth Club Vacancy – Level 1 Youth Worker

The Town Clerk advised an advert had been placed in the local press however no applications had yet been received. Cllr. S. Jones advised his son may apply for the position. Noted by Council members

#### Grant Funding

The Town Clerk advised she would be taking a look at funding for the Play Area to have the current equipment updated and the safety matting replaced. Cllr. J. Barrett advised he would bring some Goole Wind Farm applications into the office for distribution if required.

#### Grant Applications 2015

The Town Clerk gave a full list of applications to councillors to read prior to the grants meeting on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> November.

#### Play Area Inspection

A full report was handed to council members for consideration. The Town Clerk advised of reporting and inspection procedures. Cllr. R. Lyons proposed the Town Council Maintenance staff assess the play area weekly and report back to the office staff to record seconded J. Hollas and agreed. Cllr. R. Lyons also proposed gaining a quote for signs advising parents and children to assess the equipment before use and report any damage seconded Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton and agreed

#### Feedback from SLCC Meeting

The Town Clerk advised she had attended the meeting with some interesting information been provided about a number of issues. It was agreed to report back on each point individually at future meetings. Noted by council members

#### Feedback from Drax Liaison Meeting

Cllr. S Jones advised he had attended the meeting on 4<sup>th</sup> November 2015 and had met with the Public Relations Officer and had discussed the possibility of twinning with a Town America. It was agreed to place onto the next agenda for full discussion. Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton requested it be minuted he would not support Twinning of Snaith. Noted by council members



#### Items from Council Members

##### Air Quality – Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton

Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton advised he was concerned with the impact the extra vehicles due to the Newland Bridge Repairs are having on the air quality in Snaith. Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton proposed a letter be sent to ERYC asking for a portable Air Quality Unit be located in Snaith to monitor the situation seconded Cllr. J. Hollas and agreed

##### Dog Fouling – Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton

Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton requested the laws regarding dog fouling be advised in the Local Press. The Town Clerk advised she had received all the posters for the Dog Fouling Poster competition and would be requesting a winner from the councillors at the next meeting and this could be then included with the poster. Noted by council members

Littering – Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton

##### Snaith in Bloom

Cllr. S. Jones proposed the Town Council look at entering Snaith into an 'In Bloom' competition and read information regarding the process. Cllr. J. Barrett proposed placing an article in the local press asking for volunteers to support the project seconded Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton and agreed

##### Christmas Market

A cost for the addition lights required due to damaged lights was presented to the councillors. Cllr. J. Barrett proposed purchasing 5 new sets this year and placing money in next year's budget for additional lights seconded Cllr. G. Hulme and agreed

##### Accounts

There were no accounts to comment on.

S.F. Jones Signature

23/11/15 Date