

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF SNAITH AND COWICK TOWN
COUNCIL HELD ON MONDAY 22nd SEPTEMBER 2014 AT 26 MARKET
PLACE, SNAITH

PRESENT

Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton (Town Mayor) in the chair, Cllr. S. Jones (Deputy Mayor), Cllr. G. Hulme, Cllr. J. Barrett, Cllr. N. Megson, Cllr. J. Hollas, Cllr. G. Laughton and Cllr. R. McArthur

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting held on Monday 15th September 2014 having been circulated were accepted as a true record of the meeting and signed by the Town Mayor. Proposed Cllr. N. Megson seconded Cllr. G. Laughton and agreed

1 Member of the public was present at the meeting

APOLOGIES

Cllr. C. Fox

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

Cllrs. J. Staveley – Churton, G. Hulme, S. Jones, J. Hollas and R. McArthur
Agenda Item 10 Traffic and Transport

TO NOTE DISPENSATIONS GIVEN TO ANY MEMBER OF THE
COUNCIL IN RESPECT OF THE AGENDA ITEMS LISTED BELOW

None

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

None

EAST RIDING COUNCILLORS REPORT

Cllr. J. Barrett advised a Wind Turbine at Gowdall had been passed for Planning.

Cllr. J. Barrett advised a grant was available for Town and Parish for Winter Weather from east Riding of Yorkshire Council.

TOWN CLERKS REPORT

NEW COUNCILLOR

A meeting prior to the full Town Council meeting took place with Mr Richard Lyons where he was advised of the duties of a councillor.

SNAITH YOUTH CLUB

The Town Clerk advised interviews took place for the Youth Workers positions on Wednesday 17th September. The Clerk advised after careful consideration two applicants had been shortlisted for the Level 2 Youth Worker. The Town Mayor asked for a show of hands in favour of employing the Youth Workers at

Level 2 at £10.62 per hour. All councillors present voted in favour of employing 2 members of staff at Level 2.

TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORT

Letter from Mike Featherby – ERYC

A copy of a letter from Mike Featherby was circulated to council members prior to the meeting. Cllr. G. Hulme proposed contacting Mike Featherby and asking for a joint meeting with Snaith and Cowick Together seconded Cllr. N. Megson and agreed.

Letter from Resident – Cowick Road

A letter from a concerned resident was circulated to council members prior to the meeting. Cllr. J. Hollas proposed writing to the resident advising them of the council's actions and future meetings and advise the resident that they could possibly start a petition by the resident's seconded Cllr. N. Megson and agreed

SNAITH RIVER BANK REPAIRS

Councillors were informed of the works been carried out at the River Bank near Ferry Lane. Noted by Council Members

TOWN LOCK UPS

The Town Clerk advised a gentleman from Snaith had taken a look at the Town Lock up and would soon be carrying out a full survey of the damaged floor and drains. Cllr. S. Jones advised the gentleman who had carried out the initial assessment had agreed to carry out a full survey free of charge to the council and would inform the Council of his findings as soon as possible. Noted by Council Members Cllr. S. Jones proposed writing a letter to the volunteer carrying out the work thanking him for his support seconded Cllr. N. Megson and agreed.

PINDERFIELD TRUST

A letter from the Pinderfield Trust was circulated to council members prior to the meeting requested a new committee member. Cllr. G. Laughton proposed Mr G. Thornton take up the role of Committee Member for the Pinderfields Trust as noted in the letter seconded Cllr. J. Barrett and agreed.

ATM MACHINE

New contract

A new contract was circulated to council members prior to the meeting. Small changes to the contract were made. Cllr. J. Hollas proposed accepting the new contract seconded Cllr. G. Hulme. The Town Clerk asked for a show of hands in favour. All councillors voted in favour and agreed

Bin for ATM

A resident requested a bin be placed next to the ATM for rubbish. The Town Clerk advised of possible bins. Cllr. S. Jones proposed asking the new contract holder for the ATM to provide a bin seconded Cllr. N. Megson and agreed

AS-C

PRINCESS DIANA PLAYING FIELD

The Town Clerk advised the play area would not be read by the date originally stated by the play equipment company and that the Clerk was not happy with the security of the park. Cllr. N. Megson stated this was unacceptable and proposed the council asked for full Risk Assessments and Method Statements seconded Cllr. J. Barrett and agreed.

Residents Concern

The Town Clerk advised a resident had contacted her regarding youths in the Princess Diana Playing Fields. Cllr. G. Laughton advised she had spoken to some youths in the park and they had not been helpful in their reply. Cllr. J. Barrett proposed contacting the PCSO asking for regular patrols of the area and to look at possible signage stating 5's and under only seconded Cllr. G. Laughton and agreed.

CUTTING BACK OF HEDGES - COUNCILLORS FEEDBACK

All councillors other than Cllr. J. Hollas reported back on their areas and if they believed any hedges or trees needed to be cut back. Cllr. J. Hollas will report back to the council within the next few weeks. Noted by council members

REPAINTING OF YELLOW BARRIERS AT EADON PLACE FOOTPATH

Cllr. J. Barrett proposed contacting ERYC asking them to repaint the barriers seconded Cllr. R. McArthur and agreed

ITEMS FROM COUNCIL MEMBERS

Fracking Cllr. S. Jones

Cllr. S. Jones wanted to make councillors aware of the implications environmentally and financially fracking has on a community. Cllr. J. Barrett advised he was attending a meeting on fracking the following week and would advise the council of any findings. Noted by Council Members

Public Footpath – Cllr. N. Megson

Cllr. N. Megson advised a sign had been damaged at the top of Bourn Mill Balk Road by a farmer and it would need replacing. Cllr. G. Hulme proposed contacting ERYC seconded Cllr. G. Laughton and agreed

TOWN COUNCIL EVENTS

Remembrance Parade

The Town Clerk asked for all Councillors to volunteer for the Remembrance Parade. Noted by Council Members

Christmas Market

It was agreed by the full council the Christmas Market would begin at 4.30pm and finish at 7.30pm.

Future Events

Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton stated he was currently looking at information on Clogg Festivals as the Town had a Clogg factory many years ago.

Summer Market

It was agreed the Summer market would take place on 20th June 2015. Noted by Council Members

HUMBERSIDE POLICE FORCE REDESIGN PLAN

Information was circulated to council members prior to the meeting. Noted by Council members

ACCOUNTS

A full list of payment was given to council members for approval. Proposed Cllr. G. Laughton seconded Cllr. J. Barrett and agreed

..... Signature

13/10/14..... Date

