

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF SNAITH AND COWICK TOWN
COUNCIL HELD ON MONDAY 24th NOVEMBER 2014 AT 26 MARKET
PLACE, SNAITH

PRESENT

Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton, Cllr. J. Barrett, Cllr. G. Laughton, Cllr. G. Hulme,
Cllr. N. Megson, Cllr. R. McArthur, Cllr. J. Hollas and Cllr. R. Lyons

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting held on Monday 10th November 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. Hulme and agreed

APOLOGIES

Cllr. S. Jones

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

Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton agenda item, 19A and 20 Cllr. R. Lyons Agenda
Item 10, Cllr. G. Hulme Agenda Item 20

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 he had nothing to report as it would be covered later in the agenda

Cllr. C. Fox advised she had received complaints from residents of Pollington regarding the path which runs along Pontefract Road. Cllr. C. Fox advised she had contacted ERYC regarding the issue.

Cllr. C. Fox asked if the council would inform her of any nominations from the council for the Chairman's Awards

TOWN CLERKS REPORT

RIVER BANK REPAIRS

Information from Alice Hearne (Environment Agency) was circulated to council members prior to the meeting. Noted by Council Members

HGV MEETING 12TH NOVEMBER 2014

Cllr. J. Staveley - Churton advised all councillors who were unable to attend the meeting of what was discussed and what decisions had been made to move forward with the problems Snaith and surrounding Villages were facing with HGV traffic. Cllr. N. Megson advised he understood the issues residents were

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facing with regards to noise as the road on Pontefract Road close to the Brewers was subsiding causing HGVs to rattle. Cllr. J. Barrett asked to be minuted and stated Andrew Percy MP was currently working on these issues and did not want the Town Council to duplicate the work already been done. Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton thanked Cllr. J. Barrett, Cllr. C. Fox and Andrew Percy MP for all their work but stated that since the meeting with local business on the 12th November there had been a significant reduction in HGV's going through Snaith. Noted by Council Members

PARKING ISSUES PUNTON WALK – RESIDENTS CONCERN

An email was circulated to council members from a resident prior to the meeting. Cllr. R. Lyon stated he agreed with the residents' concerns as a large number of vehicles do park close to the Punton Walk and Pontefract Road Junction at school drop off and pick up times. Cllr. R. Lyons proposed contacting ERYC asking for Double Yellow lines on the Junction seconded Cllr. G. Laughton and agreed. Cllr. G. Hulme proposed writing to the resident advising them of the council's actions seconded Cllr. R. Lyons and agreed.

POLICE UPDATE

Email from Matthew Groves Police Commissioner

Information regarding Humberside Police was circulated to council members prior to the meeting. Noted by Council Members

Update from Cllr. J. Barrett

Cllr. J. Barrett handed out information regarding Humberside Police restructuring in the future. Cllr. J. Barrett stated Humberside Police believed this to be a great opportunity and would hopefully allow more policing and support in our area. Noted by Council Members

SNAITH YOUTH CLUB

Update on opening

The Town Clerk advised all councillors of the Youth Club and the official opening and who would be attending. All councillors were asked to attend the opening if possible. Noted by council members

Insurance

The Town Clerk advised all insurance for the Town Council had been updated and that the Youth Club and its equipment were now fully covered. Noted by council members.

EMERGENCY PLAN

Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton advised that at a meeting he attended at Bishop Burton discussing local issues, one of the issues raised was Emergency Plans and that he believed the Town Council should liaise with all other local parish councils in the area so if an emergency does take place communication would already be in place. Cllr. J. Barrett proposed a meeting should be arranged in the New Year with surrounding villages seconded Cllr. N. Megson and agreed.

LIFESTYLE AWARDS

Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton asked if the council would consider writing a letter of thanks to all Lifestyle competitors in the area. Cllr. N. Megson proposed a Thank You letter from the Town Council seconded Cllr. J. Hollas and agreed

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EAST RIDING OF YORKSHIRE COUNCIL CHAIRMANS AWARD

The Town Clerk advised she would forward all information to councillors via email. Noted by council members.

GOOLE AND SELBY COMMUNITY AWARDS

Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton again asked if the council would consider writing a letter of thanks to all individuals nominated for the award in the area. Cllr. N. Megson proposed a Thank You letter from the Town Council seconded Cllr. R. Lyons and agreed

JOINT USE PLAY AREA MEETING 24TH NOVEMBER 2014.

Cllrs gave feedback from the meeting and advised another meeting had been arranged for the New Year were decisions would be made regarding footballs going over the fence onto neighbouring properties. Noted by Council Members

GREEN TEAM

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

ITEMS FROM COUNCIL MEMBERS

Parking Court Road- Cllr. J. Barrett

Cllr. J. Barrett advised he had received a complaint regarding the number of cars parking on Court Road. Cllr. G. Laughton stated that some cars belonged to employees of a local business located on Court Road. Cllr. J. Barrett proposed writing to ERYC asking them to re paint the white lines of Court Road to try and resolve the problem seconded Cllr. G. Laughton and agreed.

Parking Problems Eaton Place / Rowland Simpson Close – Cllr. J. Stately – Chariton

Cllr. J. Barrett proposed asking the local School to place in their Newsletter the issues raised and ask parents to park responsible seconded Cllr. G. Laughton and agreed.

GRANTS MEETING

A full list of grant payments was circulated to council members. The Town Clerk advised recipients' would attend the next Town Council meeting to receive their cheques. Noted by council members

CHRISTMAS MEETING

Final lists and information was circulated to council members with regards to the Christmas Market taking place on Saturday 6th December. Noted by Council Members

ACCOUNTS

Payments

A list of accounts was given to council members. Proposed Cllr. J. Barrett seconded Cllr. N. Meson

Internal Audit

The Town Clerk advised accounts had been returned from Alan Johnson and that he had noted that two invoices were not available. The Town Clerk advised

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she had requested copies. The internal audit confirmed all accounting was correct and balanced. Noted by Council Members

Precept 2014 / 2015

The Town Clerk read information from ERYC with regards to the precept for the following year. It was agreed to leave until further information was received. Noted by Council members

East Riding Budget Survey

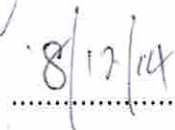
Information was circulated to council members. It was request information be placed onto the Town Council website. Noted by council members

EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

PUB WATCH

The Town Clerk advised she had attended the Pub Watch Meeting and there was nothing to report. Noted by Council Members

..... Signature

..... Date