

Minutes of the meeting of Snaith and Cowick Town Council held on Monday 19 August 2019 at the Council Office, 26 Market Place, Snaith at 7 PM

Present

Cllr. D. Butterfield (in the chair), Cllr. S. Jones, Cllr. H. Miley, Cllr. D. Bromley, Cllr. R. Spencer, Cllr. J. Staveley-Churton, Cllr. J. Hollas, Cllr. L. Thompson, Cllr. L. Sargeantson and 7 members of the public.

Approval of Minutes

The Minutes of the meeting on Monday 15 July 2019 having been circulated were taken as a true record of the meeting and signed by the Town Mayor. Proposed Cllr. D. Bromley seconded Cllr. H. Miley and agreed.

Apologies for absence

Cllr .J. Whiteley and Cllr. C. Fox

To record declarations of interest by any member of the council in respect of the agenda items listed below

Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton Agenda Item 8 C E F and 13 E

Public Participation

A member of the public attended the meeting to request the councils permission to drive a HGV in front of the Remembrance Parade on 10 November. The HGV is decorated in poppies remembering the fallen. The resident advised she had over 28,000 followers on social media and had raised thousands of pounds for the Royal British Legion in the past.

Cllr. S. Jones proposed Remembrance Parade be brought forward on the agenda seconded Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton and agreed.

Remembrance Parade

Cllr. S. Jones thanked the member of public for the offer of support on the day of Remembrance and proposed the council accept the kind offer seconded Cllr. D. Bromley. All councillors voted in favour by show of hands.

East Riding Councillors Report

Cllr. L. Sargeantson reported on the following:

A meeting has taken place with Alan Menzies (ERYC) to discuss the need for adult leisure in the community, Cllr. Sargeantson advised she had meeting set up with several people to progress the project as well as hoping to produce a questionnaire asking residents what they want.

Cllr. Sargeantson advised she had attended the Police Street Surgery and it was well received by all ages of the community.

Town Clerks Report

The Town Clerk advised of several minor issues including potholes and fly tipping reported to ERYC

The Town Clerk advised of reduced office hours due to staff holidays in August

Noted by Council Members.

Developments in Snaith and Cowick

Following on from a meeting with Gladman, Cllrs. agreed to meet on Tuesday 20 August to discuss the finding of the meeting and to prepare a document to be submitted to the developer and ERYC. Noted by council members.

Action Log Update

281 – Ferry Lane Boulders

The Town Clerk advised the council were only waiting on 1 utility provider before the boulders could be purchased and installed. Noted by council members.

Box Clever Event

The Town Clerk advised no one attended the event even though it was advertised on Social Media and the local press. Noted by council members.

Community Speed Watch Scheme

The Clerk advised they were waiting on communication from the Community Speed Watch Department. Noted by council members.

Pontefract Road Speed Reductions.

Information from ERYC was circulated to council members prior to the meeting by email. Noted by council members.

Selby Road Speed Watch

Information was circulated to council members prior to the meeting. Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton advised he was unhappy with the outcome of the survey and requested why the survey had been carried out at the south side of the crossing on Selby Road. Cllr. J. Staveley - Churton proposed contacting the ERYC and questioning them on the location seconded Cllr. J. Hollas. Cllrs. J. Hollas, J. Staveley – Churton, R. Spencer, S. Jones and D. Bromley voted in favour. Cllr. H. Miley voted against the proposal. Noted.

Voluntary Gardening within the Community

Cllrs. agreed to attend a meeting on the 20 August to discuss and report to next meeting. Noted by council members.

Arriva Bus Service Request

Information from Arriva Buses was circulated by email prior to the meeting. Arriva stated they would be unable to support any additional services. Noted by council members.

Joint Use Play Area

Quotations for the relaying of the path was circulated to council members prior to the meeting. Cllr. J. Hollas proposed accepting quotation 2 seconded Cllr. S. Jones. All councillors present voted by show of hands in favour of quote 2. Noted by council members.

Anti-Social Behaviour

Information regarding Anti-social behaviour was circulated to council members prior to the meeting. The police street surgery was discussed and hoped this would reduce some anti-social behaviour in the area. Noted by council members.

Police Update

Information on Police Surgeries set for September and the date of the Police Street walkabout were given to council members. Noted by council members.

Office Equipment – Printer Facilities

Quotes were sent to council members prior to the meeting. Cllr. D. Bromley expressed his concern regarding the time staff had been requested to put in to produce the newsletter. Cllr. H. Miley thanks the office staff for the hard work on the production of the Newsletter. Cllr. R. Spencer proposed accepting the first quotation seconded Cllr. L. Thompson. All councillors voted in favour of the first quote.

Residents Request

Bus Stop Seat

Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton proposed gaining 3 quotes for the purchase of a bus shelter seat seconded Cllr. J. Hollas. All councillors voted in favour of gaining 3 quotes.

Additional Street Name – Ramsker Walk

The Town Clerk advised she had received a request for a street sign at the George Street / Ramsker Walk junction for Ramsker Walk. Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton proposed contacting ERYC asking for an additional sign seconded Cllr. J. Hollas. All councillors voted in favour.

Zebra Crossing Safety – Pontefract Road

The council were advised a resident was concerned with the visibility of the white lining on the Zebra Crossing. Cllr. H. Miley proposed contacting ERYC requesting the white lines on Pontefract Road and the Zebra Crossing are repainted seconded Cllr. L. Thompson. All councillors voted in favour.

Items from Councillors

Additional Goals – Cllr. J. Hollas

Cllr. J. Hollas stated the new goals had been very well received. Cllr. J. Hollas proposed the council agree in principle to purchasing a second set of goals seconded Cllr. S. Jones. All councillors voted in favour.

Skate Park – Cllr. D. Bromley

Cllr. D. Bromley stated he believes the children of Snaith and Cowick need a skate park. Cllr. L. Sargeantson advised she had been in Snaith recently and the children did not want a skate park. Cllr. H. Miley stated Skate Parks were being discussed 20 years ago. Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton proposed contacting the school in September asking them to carry out a survey on behalf of the council asking them what they want from their community seconded Cllr. D. Bromley. All councillors voted in favour.

Advertising – Cllr. D. Bromley

Cllr D. Bromley stated he did not agree with paying for the advertising in a hard-back format as he believed spending the funds on advertising the high street would be better spent. Cllr. S. Jones disagreed strongly and stated the hard-back advertising has brought a lot of visitors into Snaith. Cllr. S. Jones proposed advertising as last year seconded Cllr. J. Hollas. All councillors voted in favour.

Cross Boarder Parish Meeting- Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton

Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton requested he represent the council if these meetings were to take place again. Noted by council members

No Ifs No BUTTS – Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton

Cllr. J. Staveley – Churton proposed creating some new sign stating No IFS No BUTTS for the public houses seconded Cllr. R. Spencer. All councillors voted in favour.

Events

Update from Events Committee

No meeting has taken place

Accounts

A full list of accounts were circulated to council members. Proposed Cllr. S. Jones seconded Cllr. D. Bromley. All councillors voted in favour by show of hands.

Exclusion of Press and Public

Staff Costs

Proposed Cllr. L. Thompson seconded Cllr. JD. Bromley. All councillors voted in favour by show of hands.

S.F. Jones Signature

16/09/19 Date

