Minutes of Snaith and Cowick Town Council held on Monday 12 December 2022 at East Cowick Village Hall at 7pm

Cllr. Steve Jones presented Community Groups with grants covered under Section 137 Local Government Act 1972.

Present

Cllr. Steve Jones, Cllr. J. Hollas, Cllr. B. McKiernan, Cllr. Gary Williams, Cllr. S. Wordsworth, Cllr. R. Lyons, Cllr. Russell Spencer.

Apologies for Absence

Cllr. Joanne Whiteley, Cllr. Helen Miley.

Co-option of Councillor

Mrs Shirley Wordsworth was welcomed to the council and requested to sign a Declaration of Acceptance. Signs and Counter signed by Cllr. Steve Jones (Town Mayor).

To approve the minutes of Snaith and Cowick Town Council meeting held on 21 November 2022

Minutes of the Full Council meeting held on Monday 21 November 2022 were circulated to council members prior to the meeting and taken as a true record of the meeting. Cllr. Russell Spencer seconded Cllr. Richard Lyons and agreed.

To note declarations of Interest and the nature of such interest

Cllr. Gary Williams – HGV – West Cowick

Community Led Housing – All Councillors

Snaith Sports Hall – All Councillors

To note dispensation given to any member of the council on any agenda item listed below.

Precept / Budget

Public Participation

None

Town Clerk Report

Town Council Office Closed for the Christmas Period 16 December 2022 to 3 January 2023. Noted by council members.

East Riding Councillors Report

None in attendance

Further Development

It was noted this is something which needed to be closely assessed. Cllr. Richard Lyons proposed a site visit with the new developers of SNA3 to discuss the community use land seconded Cllr. Gary Williams and agreed.

Action Log Update

Active

Request for Support - Snaith Community Sports Hall

Cllrs. Richard Lyons, Steve Jones, Russ Spencer and Shirley Wordsworth stated they would attend the meeting at the Sports Hall on Thursday 15 December 2022. Noted by council members.

Bollards on Beast Fair

Councillors were advised prior to the meeting the Bollard on Beast Fair had been repaired. Cllr. Gary Williams proposed requesting ERYC replace all the Bollards with Heritage Bollards seconded Cllr. Richard Lyons and agreed.

Parking – Bourn Mill Balk Road

Information was circulated to council members prior to the meeting from Humberside Police and a local resident. Cllr. Barnie McKiernan proposed contacting ERYC requesting their support and suggestions on how to resolve the parking issue in the area seconded Cllr. Richard Lyons and agreed. Cllr. Gary Williams proposed placing this issue on the next Agenda and proposing to ERYC they take the whole play area and use for a car park and provide a separate area for recreational facilities seconded Cllr. Bernie McKiernan and agreed.

CCTV - Update

A future meeting was proposed to discuss CCTV in the New Year. Noted by council members.

Environment Agency Meeting Update

An update was given from the meeting with Victoria Townsend (EA) Cllr. Steve Jones stated the EA were still awaiting information regarding modelling however they hoped the information would be available early in 2023. Cllr. Steve Jones proposed the next meeting with the Environment Agency takes place at East Cowick Village Hall on 30 January 2023. Noted by council members.

HGV's West Cowick

Information was provided to councillors regarding Park Lodge Shooting School proposal to input a new planning application in 2023. Noted by council members.

Community Led Housing

To be deferred to the next meeting. Noted by council members.

ATM Contract Renewal

Defer to the next meeting when the Town Clerk is present.

Communications from Goole Go Far

Cllr. Bernie McKiernan proposed writing to Goole Go Far requesting figures on residents using the service from Snaith and Cowick seconded Cllr. Richard Lyons and agreed.

Items from Council Members

Bike Pump - Cllr. James Hollas

Cllr. James Hollas advised he would be able to arrange for a World Famous Bike Rider to open the bike pump. Noted by council members.

Cross Hill – Cllr Steve Jones

A Grant has been awarded for the water fountain. The group were now seeking permissions to place the water fountain at Cross Hills. Noted by council members.

Events

Town Councillors discussed the success of the Christmas Market. Cllr. Gary Williams advised he had written personally to ERYC regarding a whole in the road where a biker fell off. Thank you to the Town Clerk and Assistant Town Clerk and the Security Firm for their support on the day. Christmas Market to be discussed at the next meeting. Noted by council members.

Accounts

Cllr. Steve Jones handed out the Budget and Precept information in the absence of the Town Clerk. To be discussed at the next meeting. Noted by council members.

Signature

16/1/2023 Date