Minutes of Snaith and Cowick Town Council Meeting held on Monday 16 January 2023 at East Cowick Village Hall at 7pm

To approve the minutes of Snaith and Cowick Town Council meeting held on Monday 12 December 2022

Minutes of the council meeting held on Monday 12 December 2022 were circulated to council members prior to the meeting and taken as a true record of the meeting. Proposed Cllr. Richard Lyons seconded Cllr. Gary Williams and agreed.

Apologies for absence

Cllr. Joanne Whiteley, Cllr. Helen Miley, Cllr. Bernie McKiernan, Cllr. James Hollas and Cllr. Russell Spencer.

To note Declarations of Interest and the nature of such interest

All Councillors - Precept

All Councillors Community Sports Hall

Richard Lyons – Community Led Housing

Gary Williams - HGV's West Cowick

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

All Councillors Precept and Budget

Public Participation

None

Town Clerk Report

The Town Clerk advised information regarding funds for the Kings Coronation would be available if the council wished to put on an event.

East Riding Councillors Report

None

Action Log Update

Active

Snaith Community Sports Hall – Meeting – 10 January 2023

Update from Councillors. Meeting Attended by Cllr. Steve Jones, Cllr. Gary Williams, Cllr. Richard Lyons, Cllr. Bernie McKiernan and Nicola Russell.

Cllr. Steve Jones gave an update at the meeting. Minutes where handed out by the Assistant Clerk. ERYC, Sports Hall and the High School all attended the meeting. The High

School were concerned with the loss of the facility and ERYC will go away from the meeting and look at options. Cllr. Steve Jones stated a lot of work to be done on the issues.

Parking Bourn Mill Balk Road

Cllr. Gary Williams stated if the Joint Use Play Area was to be given back to the school then space could be made available for parking. Noted by council members.

CCTV Update

Meeting arranged for Thursday 19 January 2023 at 11am. It was agreed if all points had been addressed the Town Council pay the outstanding invoice, Proposed Cllr. Richard Lyons seconded Cllr. Gary Williams and agreed.

Environment Agency Meeting Update - Meeting 30 January 2023

The Town Clerk advised of the meeting at 10am on 30 January 2023. Invitees are EA, ERYC, Drainage Board and Town Council taking place at East Cowick Village Hall. Noted by council members.

HGVs West Cowick

Update from Mr Moore has been sent to Town Councillors by email. Cllr. Gary Williams proposed informing ERYC the traffic has been a detriment to residents in previous years and the reduction in recent months has seen a great improvement in overall life in the village seconded Cllr. R. Lyons and agreed.

Communication from Goole Go Far – Update on Figures

Figures were sent to council members regarding the number of residents using the Goole-Go-Far facilities. Councillors requested the Goole-Go – Far apply for funding in October.

Joint Use Play Area

Information regarding the lease agreement with ERYC was circulated to council members for consideration. The ERYC have also stated the Ground Maintenance for 2023 season will be £504.39 plus VAT. Cllr. Steve Jones read the correspondence to councillors. Cllr. Gary Williams stated the contract was not fit for purpose and not a good deal for the community. Cllr. Shirley Wordsword proposed contacting ERYC requesting a meeting to discuss the lease seconded Cllr. Richard Lyons and agreed.

Emergency Planning

The Emergency Plan will need to be updated due to the closing of Snaith Community Sports Hall. Councillors were requested to familiarise themselves with the Emergency Plan as we head into the winter period. It was agreed to speak to Eleanor at The Priory Church to discuss options.

Community Led Housing Document - Deferred from December Meeting

The Community Led Housing Document was sent out to all councillors in December 2022. A meeting to discuss the options from the Community Led Housing Document will need to be arranged. Councillors noted the lack of community support.

ATM Contract Renewal - Deferred from December Meeting

Information was circulated to council member prior to the December Meeting. Cllr. Gary Williams proposed contacting Richardson's Garage to request if they will be installing an ATM on site.

Items from Council Members

Cross Hills - Cllr. Steve Jones

Cllr. Steve Jones gave an update on the project. Noted by council members

Snaith and Cowick Together Projects – Cllr. Steve Jones

Cllr. Steve Jones gave an update on the projects. Noted by council members

<u>Church Lighting and Costs – Cllr. Gary Williams</u>

Cllr. Gary Williams proposed he would carry out a costs comparison and report back to the council. Noted by council members

Paperless Meetings – Cllr. Gary Williams

Cllr. Gary Williams proposed looking at cost for a projector for the Village Hall so the council can again become paperless seconded Cllr. Richard Lyons and agreed.

Events

<u>Update from Events Committee Meeting 9 January 2023</u>

Information discussed the meeting was relayed to councillors. A second meeting to be arranged by the Events Committee prior to the next meeting.

800 Year Market Charter St George Day

Cllr. Steve Jones stated we hoped to start Celebrations by having a St George Day Event at the Priory Church with Beverley Male Voice Choir singing. Noted by council members. Cllr. Steve Jones stated Lovell Homes had confirmed they will provide flags to celebrate the 800 Years to be flown on Market Place. Noted by council members.

Christmas Market 2023

It was proposed to look at costing for the Christmas Market at the July Meeting, points to be discussed, Stall Hire Costs, Cleaning of Priory Church.

Accounts

Payments and Receipts

A full list of payments were read to council members. Proposed Cllr. Richard Lyons seconded Cllr. Gary Williams and agreed.

Budget / Precept 2023/2024

Information and Budget Pack sent to councillors prior to the December Meeting. Cllrs discussed the costs and proposed £128,883.27 for 2023/2024 proposed Cllr. Richard Lyons seconded Cllr .Gary William, all councillors voted in favour of £128,883.27.

Exclusion of Press and Public

Councillor Committees

Deferred to the next meeting.

Community Land

Cllr. Steve Jones advised councillors of a small area of land which may become available on the open market which could be suitable for community space. Cllr. Gary Williams proposed carrying out some research and reporting to the next meeting seconded Cllr. Richard Lyons and agreed.

S.F. Signature 20/7/3 Date