

Cadeby Parish Council

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Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Friday 11th August 2017, at 8:00pm At Cadeby Church Hall

PRESENT: Councillors: Denis Winterbottom (Chair), Ian Smith, Jonathan Lane, Simon Freeman, Steve Morgan Paul Brankin (Clerk)

APOLOGIES: None

ALSO PRESENT: 8 members of the public and Councillor Maureen Cook (H&BBC)

Item No.	Description
1143	DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY INTEREST: None
1144	APPROVAL AND SIGNING OF MINUTES Minutes from meeting on May 23rd 2017 were agreed and signed off.
1145	STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS FOR YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH 2017 The clerk (Paul Brankin) gave a summary overview of the income and outgoings pertaining to the activities of the parish council for the financial year 1 st March 2016 to 31 st March 2017. This included a description of precept income, grants & donations as well as outgoings that principally consisted of payments made in respect of the church hall renovations, clerk costs, street lighting and administration.
1146	SIGN OFF SECTION 1 AND 2 OF THE PARISH ANNUAL RETURN FOR FY2017 The clerk (Paul Brankin) detailed the entries contained within Section 1 (Governance Statement) and Section 2 (Accounting Statement) for the parish council for the financial year 1 st March 2016 to 31 st March 2017. These statements were then duly signed off by the council chairman, Mr. Denis Winterbottom.
1147	STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS FOR Q1 OF FY2018 The clerk (Paul Brankin) gave a summary overview of the income and outgoings pertaining to the activities of the parish council for the first financial quarter of the current financial year. This principally consisted of a transfer of £6,319 to the Cadeby Development Fund (Big Lottery grant) as well as a number of smaller payments to cover administration, street lighting and public liability insurance.
1148	DISCUSSION OF WIND TURBINE SCREENING REQUEST 17/00602/SCOPE A detailed discussion took place concerning the screening request, placed with H&BBC planning, for a wind turbine to be sited on agricultural land at Cottage Farm, CV13 0BB (near to Cadeby quarry). Several concerns were raised by members of the public; the size of the proposed turbine (130m high), the noise generated by the turbine, the risk and disruption to wildlife, the risk to aircraft, and whether this single turbine could lead to further turbines being sited nearby. Concern was raised as to why the screening request did not reference the proximity of Cadeby village. Councillor Winterbottom went into considerable detail as to the exact nature of the existing request, and the processes that would need to be followed by the applicant. It was stressed that at this point this was a request for a screening opinion and was not a formal planning application. Councillor Winterbottom offered to ensure that

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the collective views of the community were accurately reflected within a letter/communication with the planning department at Hinckley & Bosworth Borough Council.

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ANY OTHER BUSINESS

No other business

9:50pm

THE MEETING WAS BROUGHT TO A CLOSE