Minutes of a Meeting of Normanton on the Wolds Parish Council held at the home of the chairman, Old Melton Road, Normanton on the Wolds on May 12, 2015 at 7-45pm

Couns. Gerald Fletcher (chairman) Mike A Westwood Mrs Fiona Mason Nigel Bardsley Miles Shipside Dave Gray

Also present: The clerk Mike Elliott.

- 1] Election of chairman for 2015-6 Coun. Gerald Fletcher was elected.
- 2] Election of vice chairman for 2015-6 Coun. David Gray was elected.
- 3] Apologies There were none.
- 4] Declarations of interest There were none
- 5] **Casual Vacancy** The clerk said there was a single vacancy on the council and notice of it had been published today. If any nominations were received a meeting would be called on May 27.
- 6] Minutes from previous meeting were accepted as circulated and signed by the chairman.

7] Clerk's report

Nothing was raised.

8] Correspondence

Notts County Council, A606 road speed limit. A letter from the County said they were proposing to implement a 50mph speed limit on the A606 road from Tollerton to Stanton on the Wolds and members welcomed this. The council would not support any suggestion that the existing 30mph limit in Normanton was changed.

CPRE – Best kept village competition: It was agreed to enter the competition. Judging for the preliminary round would be from June 8 to 28. The council agreed to allocate £200 for funding new plants for the displays.

Community Heart Beat, defibrillator. It was hoped further information would be available in due course for the council to further discuss the matter. The possible siting for a unit was suggested as the telephone kiosk in the village or outside the public house.

9] Planning matters

Rushcliffe Borough Council planning applications

15/00804/FUL A Hutchins, Mulberry House, Old Melton Road. Single storey side extension, single storey rear extension, two storey side extension. Do not object.

15/00715/FUL N Smith, 7 The Leys. Proposed balcony to rear of dwelling. Do not object.

Rushcliffe Borough Council planning decisions

15/00057/CONARE Due West, Back Lane. Fell Norway, Maple, Whitebeam, Laurel and three Yews. Approve.

15/00597/LBC Mrs L Clements. Avenue Farm, Old Melton Road. Rendering of 1960's extension and of extensions approved under 15/00124/ful and 14/02753/LBC. Grant.

10] Amenities including footpaths

Coun. Westwood spoke on the continuing problem of litter and rubbish alongside Cotgrave Road and in particular near the bridge. The clerk was to ask Notts County Council highways department for action.

11] Best Kept Village competition

There was nothing further to report.

12] Finance

- a] Cheques for payment were approved as the circulated list
- b] Adoption of accounts for 2014-15 was approved after members discussed a report presented by the clerk in which it was confirmed there had been no points raised by the Internal Auditor.
- c] Cheque signatories: No changes were suggested.
- **13] Chairman's Matters** The chairman said he understood there was a possibility of buses stopping running through the village and that the Nottingham to Melton service would not operate on a Sunday. An attempt was to be made to try to verify the position.
- **14] Date and agenda items for next meeting July 21 2015.** Website for the council. The meeting would start at 6-30pm.