Minutes of a Meeting of Normanton on the Wolds Parish Council held at the Burnside Hall, Plumtree, on Tuesday July 18, 2017 at 6.30pm

Couns. Gerald Fletcher (chairman) (A
Mike A Westwood (in the chair) Steve Waring
Fiona Mason Aruna Day
Miles Shipside Dave Gray (A)

Also present: The clerk Mike Elliott, Coun. Richard Butler (Rushcliffe Borough Council and Notts County Council).

In the absence of both the chairman and vice chairman, the meeting elected Coun. Mike Westwood to be chairman for the evening.

- 1] APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE. There were none
- 2] DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST There were none
- 3] MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING MAY 16, 2017 were accepted as presented and approved and signed by the chairman.
- 4] CASUAL VACANCY Co-Option details confirmed.
- 5] ITEMS FROM THE PUBLIC, LIMITED TO 15 MINUTES No items raised.
- 6] CLERK'S REPORT

Footpath Walk: It was agreed this should be held later the year.

7] REPORT FROM THE BOROUGH AND COUNTY COUNCIL MEMBER

Coun. Richard Butler said the County Council were planning to allocate £1m extra during the coming year for repairing pot holes and would be introducing a new scheme for the work. From a Borough Council point of view he said he had been elected chairman of the Planning Committee. They were now permitting the public to speak at meetings of the planning committee.

He said the Borough were to produce a new consultation document in respect of the future housing development for their area involving the existing larger areas such as Ruddington, Keyworth, Bingham and Radcliffe. He stressed the numbers of properties that would be being proposed would be in their 100s and not 1000s.

8] CORRESPONDENCE

Notts ALC gave the date of its annual meeting, being at Epperstone on November 15 when the guest speaker will be Craig Guildford, Chief Constable of Nottinghamshire.

Rushcliffe BC wrote regarding planning changes and parish members taking part in meetings. The letter had been circulated to all members.

9) PLANNING MATTERS

Rushcliffe Borough Council planning application:

There are none

Rushcliffe Borough Council planning decisions:

17/00682/ful Mr Mrs Henshaw, Brookside, Old Melton Road. Demolish existing 2-storey dwelling and erect replacement 2-storey dwelling. Grant.

17/00555/ful. Anthony Darby, Broadfields, Clipston Lane. First floor side extension, single storey rear extension. Grant.

17/00659/ful. A Hutchins, Mulbery House, Old Melton Road. Detached timber framed garage. Refuse.

10] FINANCE

- ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT were accepted as presented and approved.

11] NEWSLETTER, WEBSITE, FACEBOOK

Coun. Shipside said a flyer was planned for publication shortly.

It was suggested a Newsletter planned for August should be delayed until September.

The village social committee had met the previous evening and several dates for events had been finalised. It was agreed the annual village footpath walk should take place on October 22, meeting at the telephone box at 11am.

Website: In May there were 60 users and 410 page visits. In June, 69 users and 411 page visits.

12] AMENITIES INCLUDING VILLAGE EMERGENCY PLAN

The clerk said he was aware the council chairman had been dealing with complaints concerning noise and car parking problems connected to the Plough public house in the village, but he had not directly received any contact from residents. The chairman has also informed the clerk a resident had made a direct complaint to Rushcliffe Borough Council over the noise.

The council had been informed that the village entry into the Best Kept Village competition had seen them through to the final four.

There would be a Boules competition involving, it was planned, Normanton, Plumtree and Tollerton.

13] SOCIAL EVENTS

A Beer Festival was being held from July 20 to 23 and a Litter Pick was being arranged on Sunday August 27. There would be a dog show on August 12 and a Village Bake Off event on September 3.

14] CHAIRMAN'S MATTERS

Nothing was raised.

15] DATE FOR NEXT MEETING, SEPTEMBER 19, 2017

There being no further business the meeting closed at 7.35pm.