

## **SCOTTER PARISH COUNCIL**

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Minutes of the meeting of the Council held at Scotter Village Hall  
on Monday 18th January 2016, commencing at 7.40pm.

### **Present -**

Councillors: C. Day (Chairman) M. Armstrong, B. Billam, M. Brown, J. Bullivent, R. Day, S. Hinman. N. Altoft (Clerk).

The Council was addressed by Mr Proctor and Mr Parkinson regarding the site allocations in the latest draft of the local plan. Mr Proctor presented the Council with a traffic survey carried out on North Moore Road and asked for it to be noted that he fears that an increase in vehicle usage from new households accessing that road would only exasperate the current situation and increase the risk of serious harm to the local community. Mr Parkinson also voiced his objections and provided the Council with copies of flood reports which he believes support his concerns.

Mr Torissi also addressed the Council concerning the ongoing issue with the speed limit on the A159 out towards Messingham. He stated that he did not believe that the purchase of a flashing speed sign would help the situation.

The meeting commenced at 7.43 pm

### **154 2015/16 To receive and approve apologies for absence.**

Apologies were received from Councillors, Fillingham, Capes, Hinman and District Councillor Mewis.

**RESOLVED : to accept the apologies from Councillors Fillingham, Capes, Hinman and District Councillor Mewis.**

### **155 2015/16 To receive declarations of interest in accordance with the Localism Act 2011.**

None declared.

### **156 2015/16 To approve the notes of the Council Meetings held on the 7th and 14th December 2015 as the Minutes of those meetings.**

**RESOLVED : To approve the notes of the Council Meetings held on the 7th and 14th December 2015 as the Minutes of those meetings. These were signed by the Chairman.**

### **157 2015/16 To receive a report from the Chairman on his recent inspection of Parson's Field.**

No issues to report.

### **158 2015/16 To agree which Councillors will be responsible for safety inspections of the cemetery and the playgrounds for the next month.**

Cllr Day and Cllr Bullivent were happy to continue.

### **159 2015/16 To receive a report from the Clerk.**

Nothing further to report at this time.

### **160 2015/16 To approve expenditure and actions for the 'Scotter History Goes Digital' project.**

The Council viewed the paper provided and  
**RESOLVED : to approve the expenditure of the project.**

**161 2015/16 To agree any further action required regarding the final draft of the local plan.**

The Council agreed that whilst no further action would be taken at this time, they would once again leaflet drop in the Parish when the final draft is released.

**162 2015/16 To consider what actions the Council should take in respect of the suggestion to erect a flashing reactive speed sign.**

The Council discussed this issue and

**RESOLVED : that they would not purchase a flashing sign for the Parish.**

**163 2015/16 To consider the content and distribution and closing date for the Neighbourhood Plan questionnaire, and also the timing of the next consultation event.**

The Council reviewed the proposed questionnaire and made some amendments. They then discussed the other aspects and

**RESOLVED : to hold a consultation on the 2nd March 2016 at Scotter Village Hall from 3-7pm. The questionnaires and leaflets should be distributed 10 -14 days before this event, with the closing date for receiving questionnaires being the 23rd March 2016.**

**164 2015/16 To agree the purchase of a new laptop for the Clerk.**

The Council reviewed the equipment suggested by Councillor Bullivent and

**RESOLVED : that the Clerk should make the purchases.**

**165 2015/16 To note income received during December 2015 and to approve its reconciliation to the bank statements.**

The Council noted the following income received.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>PAYER</u>	<u>DETAILS</u>	<u>RECEIPTS</u>
04.12.15	Co-operative Bank	Interest - current account	0.91
			<b>0.91</b>

**166 2015/16 To approve payments to be made.**

The Council examined the accounts to be paid for supplies and services received since the last meeting and,

**RESOLVED : That the following payments should be approved.**

<u>CHEQUE NO.</u>	<u>TO WHOM PAID</u>	<u>PARTICULARS OF PAYMENT</u>	<u>NET VALUE</u>	<u>VAT</u>	<u>TOTAL PAYMENTS</u>
402830	J Lyon				
402831	N Altoft	Wages & Expenses (N.Altoft&J.Lyon total)	1710.90		1710.90
402832	HMRC	PAYE & NI Month 8	384.93		384.93
		<b>Totals</b>	2,095.83	-	2,095.83

**167 2015/16 To take any points from members, identify items for the next agenda and to note urgent items of interest.**

The Chairman informed the Council that the Clerk had received the Town Criers bell on the Councils behalf. He suggested that it may be put in a case at the start of the new heritage trail. He will speak to the relevant people and investigate this option.

The Chairman declared the meeting closed at 8.20pm.

Clerk: .....

Chairman: .....

Date: .....