

A meeting of Wootton Parish Council was held on Tuesday 18th October 2016 at 7.00pm in The School House.

PRESENT: Chairman: Cllr R Campbell
Cllr B Firth, Cllr P Styche, Cllr G Horton, Cllr S Ormston.

IN ATTENDANCE: Cllr P Clark, Cllr R Hannigan, Cllr D wells.
Mrs K Pickering – Clerk.

PUBLIC FORUM

2016/10/01: Apologies for absence : Cllr C Simmonds

2016/10/02: Declarations of interest on any agenda items : No declarations to receive.

2016/10/03: Adoption of the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 20th September 2016
The minutes were proposed for adoption by Cllr P Styche, seconded by Cllr S Ormston adopted unanimously and signed by The Chairman.

2016/10/04: Matters arising from the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 20th September 2016
i) Hedges – overgrown – hedges still outstanding are on Thornton Road, High Street and Cherry Lane.
ii) Finger Post sign – Cherry lane – N.L.C have been asked to supply this sign. Clerk to forward to Cllr Wells the reference from N.L.C for this request so that he might be able to help progress this matter.

2016/10/05: Planning Applications received:

Opportunity for one person from each side to state within 3 minutes objections/support of contested applications.

No applications received.

2016/10/06: Police Matters/NATS

- i) NATS meeting – The next NATS meeting is scheduled for December 2016. Cllr R Campbell provided his apologies for this meeting as he is unable to attend.
- ii) New Police matters – No new matters to report.

2016/10/07: North Lincolnshire Council Matters:

i. Report from NLC Ferry Ward Member Councillors: Cllr Hannigan asked the council how matters were progressing with Tim Allen – providing the boat to remove sections of the lillys in the pond. The clerk advised the meeting that she was sending Time Allen regular emails reminding him of this task and the meeting advised that the best area to enter the pond would be near the platform near the chapel as this is where it is at its most shallow.

ii. New matters to consider: The wooden finger post is crooked and needs attention on High Street and the finger post on Wold Road – at Burnham crossroads is still outstanding.

2016/10/08: Correspondence: circulated list and items received too late for circulation.

VANL – training course diary

Rural Services Network – information

N.L.C – weekly road works list.

N.L.C – Nominations for Community Champions Award

Birtwhistle landscaping – quote to remove lillys.

N.L.C – Confirmation of village seat order.

2016/10/9: Finance

i) **Accounts for payment:**

PAYEE	Cheque no'	Amount
Mrs Karen Pickering (Clerk)	22165	130.18
HMRC – Sept	22166	31.00
Kyanite Consulting – website	22167	126.00
R S Gardening	22168	210.00

The payment of the above accounts was proposed by Cllr S Ormston, seconded by Cllr R Campbell and unanimously agreed.

INCOME RECEIVED : 0

Bank Balance – after the above accounts have been paid the balance is £3,719.44

- ii) To receive the income and expenditure sheet for the year to date indicating where expenditure is allocated during the year – circulated at meeting.
- iii) To give consideration to providing a donation to The Royal British Legion
IT WAS RESOLVED to provide a donation of £50.00. Clerk to ask Mrs Spink to drop the wreath at Cllr Campbells home.

2016/10/10: Environmental and village issues:

- a) Pond Lillies – Tim Allen of N.L.C has visited the pond and agreed to bring the boat to cut back and remove a number of lilly patches. He will provide this service free of charge. He is working on how he is going to get the boat into the pond and the clerk is regularly reminding him to undertake this work asap. Clerk to ask Tim Allen to tidy the reeds around the perimeter of the pons whilst he is working within the pond.
- b) Website – The website is well underway – further photographs of the village are required. Clerk will continue to place on the website the required information and it was agreed to discuss next what other village information should be placed on the website. Clerk to produce a leaflet which Cllr Styche kindly agreed to post into residents houses, advertising the parish council website and asking residents for their ideas and suggestions that they might like to see on the website. This will also be posted on the notice board.
- c) New village matters to report: Cllr Campbell asked if the old village sign could be removed from Thornton Road – Cllr Styche agreed to ask the landowner if it would be possible for him to do this. Cllr Firth advised the meeting that the artist who undertook the work for the village signs was very pleased with the framed picture which was presented to her. The dog bin at the top of Swallow lane looks a little worn – the replacement of this bin is to be an agenda item for discussion next month.

2016/10/11: Agenda items for next meeting

2016/10/12: Date of next meeting: Tuesday 15th November 2016 at 7.00 p.m. in the School House.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 8.00pm.