# Minutes of the meeting held on Monday 18th July 2022 at 7.00 pm in Bainton Village Hall

1. **Present**: Cllr D Walford, Vice Chairman **(DW),** Cllr P Metcalf (**PM),** Cllr S Lowes **(SL)**, Cllr S Christie **(SC)**, Cllr J Christie **(JC)**, Cllr P Brierley **(PB)**, Mrs E Brooks (Clerk to the Council), 3 residents.

The Vice Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting.

1. **Apologies for absence** – Cllr M Clarke **(MC)**, Cllr B Froggatt **(BF)**, Ward Cllr M Lee.
2. **Declarations of interest**

Cllr John Christie **(JC)** Agenda item 8iii Bowls club/village green

Cllr Phil Metcalfe **(PM)** Agenda item 8iii Bowls club/village green & agenda item 8ii Social committee

Cllr Sue Lowes **(SL)** Agenda item 8iii Bowls club/village green

# Previous Minutes

The minutes 30 May 2022 were offered for approval and were unanimously approved. Proposed **PB** and Seconded **JC**

The minutes 28 June 2022were offered for approval and were unanimously approved. Proposed **SC** and Seconded **PM**

# Matters Arising

# Formal resignation has been received from Barry Froggatt. ERYC have been notified and the vacancy has been published. We will receive notification in due course with permission to co-opt.

# DW requested thanks be minuted to Mr & Mrs Froggatt for their many years of contribution to the village and especially Barry for his time served on the Parish Council.

# Vacancy

# There is currently a position available with permission to co-opt. Andrew Mason (AM) an interested party in attendance at the meeting addressed members. AM gave a precis of himself and qualities he can bring to the Parish Council. A unanimous vote was held to co-opt Andrew Mason Proposed by PM, seconded by SC. Everyone welcomed AM to the Parish Council and AM formally joined the meeting.

# Clerk to forward documentation to AM & inform ERYC.

# Highway Matters

* 1. **Green Lane/Millennium Wood** – Work has not yet started but the road is closed, we are waiting updated from ERYC.
  2. **Village walkabout feedback** – DW, PB & BF met with East Riding Officers for the village walkabout on 28th June 2022. Schedules have been received; the taskforce team will undertake work within the next month or two and work for other teams has been forwarded for their action. DW noted that some items that were discussed are not listed. DW to advise clerk of missing issues for communication with taskforce.
  3. **Flooding & sewerage issues –** Remains a key issue in the village that is vital we keep pushing to resolve. DW & Clerk to prepare and send a letter to summon Yorkshire Water to a meeting. Cllr Lee has agreed to attend and bring highways officers.
  4. **Busses** – PM provided an overview of frustration around the lack of bus service in the village. DW has spoken with the MD of the bus service and Cllr Lee regarding the subject. The services were losing money due to low usage of full paying customers; Services have therefore had to be cut. The Parish Council have exhausted the subject and are unable to take it any further. Individuals are free to pursue the matter themselves should they wish.

# Communications & PR to the village

* 1. **Bainton Beacon** – Remains in a comfortable financial position. Received further sponsorship this month.
  2. **Social committee** – Jubilee event was successful. Social committee & Parish Council wish to thank all who were involved. Next pub night scheduled for 29th July and there is also a quiz coming up. The social committee and in the process for formalising the committee.

# Playground

# After the appeal for helpers to cut & maintain the grass in the play area we have had volunteers come forward who have tacked the grass and weeds and are thankful. Offers have also been received to maintain the area going forward. Thank you to the volunteers. SL suggested that the Parish Council pay the cost of the petrol for the playground maintenance going forward. The volunteers can submit petrol receipts and be reimbursed (capped at £75.00 for the year). Proposed by JC, seconded AM

# Planning applications

1. 21/03425/PLF - Land North of Lyndale West End Application refused by ERYC
2. 22/01962/VAR - Stores and Land South Lane Pending consideration by ERYC
3. 22/00612/PLF - West End Cottage Pending consideration by ERYC
4. 22/01584/TCA – Pinfold cottage No Objection Fell
5. 22/01862/PLF – Land South West Routhorpe Pending consideration by ERYC

The following applications were circulated prior and plans were also available to view at the meeting

1. 22/02041/PLF – Westfield Farm Driffield road

* Originally started out as a derelict farm now becoming a substantial development (4 property estate)
* Large development in open countryside, outside the village building line
* Contradictory to the East Riding Councils own policies/structure Plan
* Very modern looking
* Unsustainable
* Encourages excessive car ownership

Members unanimously agreed to OBJECT to this planning application. Proposed **JC**, Seconded **AM**

1. 22/01990/STPLFE – Cross country cable from Drax

Members unanimously agreed to a NO OBJECTION comment on this application but wish to request that any trees damaged are re-instated and that good traffic management is used. Proposed **PB**, Seconded **SC**

1. Any planning applications arising - none

# Finance & Administration

Bank reconciliations circulated prior to the meeting. Current account £4287.37 Reserve account

£3669.91 Action Fund £0.

* 1. **Payments**

Clerk Salary £473.64

David Walford expenses, Beacon printer ink £20.41

# Any other business

* Elected Members – First Aid course with St Johns Ambulance was postponed due to the pandemic, PM requested that this be re-looked at. DW suggested we wait until early next year as the services are still under a lot of pressure.
* Members of the public

Mr & Mrs Beaumont would like to be kept informed of any meeting with Yorkshire Water.

Mr Beaumont requested clarification on 22/01962/VAR in terms of what the variation was and how the sewage was to be managed. DW clarified

Mr Beaumont offered to purchase a cable for the village hall which will enable Clerk to connect laptop at meetings.

Village Hall are willing to split the cost of a First Aid Course. DW Suggested a notice in the Beacon as we may have local people qualified.

Traffic management still on the Main road although work has finished, this will cause traffic build up on Driffield Show days – Clerk to request removal ASAP.

1. **Date of next meeting:** 26 September 2022 at 7pm

Meeting closed at 20:02