

N.B. Minutes remain DRAFT until ratified and signed at the next Council meeting.

Minutes of the Meeting of Blawith and Subberthwaite Parish Council held in the Water Yeat Village Hall on Monday 9th September, 2019

Present: Councillors Ian Jones (Chair), Bill Fox, Diana Rutherford

County/District Cllrs: Cllr Brereton

Members of the Public: 1

1) Apologies for Absence

Cllr Wardle; Cllr Sanderson

2) Representations from Members of the Public

2.a. Resident regarding:

- 7/2019/5366 notification

- Caravan Park – regarding gas tanks not buried, lodge not addressed, & sewage system not installed. Suggests the PC should contact the members at LDNP expressing disappointment and frustration at the lack of action by their officers.

- Superfast Broadband as there is some work happening locally and cables going in. The PC does not have any updates.

2.b. Cllr Brereton advised on the following:

- Broadband – other places are using Broadband 4 rural network.

- no updates on Highways but there are plans to bring planned works together in November. Whitelining to be done in the area. Cllr Brereton is working with other Councillors to try and address the various Highways issues that affect the area as a whole. Cllr Rutherford to forward to Cllr Brereton list of all volunteer work that takes place within the Parish to feed into the working together program complete picture. Feedback due from CCC at the next local committee meeting.

- Bus Service – lost X7 service from Haverigg to Barrow.

- Unitary Authority – the conversation continues but is no further forward.

- Customer Connect program @ SLDC – ongoing process.

2.c. Cllr Hall advised on the following:

- X112 has obtained charitable status. This will open more doors. There is a need for people to talk in a combined way about the services. There have been various coffee mornings and more are encouraged. A business plan is being put together. They will advertise for a traffic manager to do all the legislative work. The Ulverston service is making a profit.

- Ulverston Leisure Centre is being upgraded. There is concern that there will be less tennis courts but there will be consultation.

2.c. Cllr Wharton advised on the following:

- Grants coming up for the Lake District Foundation. - closing date end Sept.

- Highways – meeting 13th Sept on Cumbria Connected

- Farmers Arms at Lowick – meeting about this at Lowick PC meeting @ Community Hall 19th Sept @ 7.30. Looking to register as a Community Asset and put a dilapidation order on it.

- Litter – Children's posters made by Penny Bridge school shown and appreciated!

3) The Minutes of the last meeting (8th July, 2019)

Resolved: that the Chairman be authorised to sign the Minutes as a true record.

4) Declarations of Interest

Cllr Fox re 7.a.i.

5) Requests for Dispensations

None

6) Planning Matters

Applications:

None

Notifications:

7/2019/5366 – Lynn Cragg Cottage -approval of conditions 3, 4 5 & 6 ref planning app: 7/2018/5689 – compliance approved.

Other Planning & Development issues:

- Caravan Park – have advised the Sewage Treatment plant has been ordered and should be installed by the end of September.

Lodge - Resolved: To write to LDNP to express disappointment at the lack of resolution generally & specifically regarding 7/201

- Land at Moss Wood – enforcement update received from LDNP.

- Kirkby Wind Farm appeal upheld. There may be an appeal to the Secretary of State about this.

7) Financial Matters

7.a. The following payments were authorised & signed:

7.a.i. Village Hall - £20

7.a.ii Clerk's salary (Sept) - £155.45

7.a.iii HMRC PAYE - £6.40

7.a.iii Clerks Expenses (up to 9/9/19) - £5.20

7.a.iv. A Workman (Lengthsman work U5081) - £64

7.b. A current statement of accounts was circulated and approved.

8) Correspondence

[Email correspondence was distributed as it arrived, included in the Agenda and/or dealt with before the Meeting]

VILLAGE HALL HIRE	REGARDING AN EXTRA HALL USAGE.	6/9
CALC	SEPT NEWSLETTER	6/9
CALC	FWD 5G POLICY CONSULTATION	5/9
CARAVAN PARK	SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT	30/8
LDNP	UPDATE RE MOSS WOOD	21/8
SLDC	ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF COMMUNITY ASSET APPLICATION	21/8
LDNP	LOCAL PLAN AVAILABLE TO VIEW	8/8
CALC	JOINT OPCC & CUMBRIA CONSTAB. SURVEY	5/8
CALC	TRAINING UPDATE	5/8
SLDC	KIRKBY WIND FARM DECISION	1/8
CALC	FWD WORKING TOGETHER PROGRAM UPDATE	24/7
CALC	NEWSLETTER	22/7

- Village Hall Hire – The PCC used the Village Hall as they moved venue so the Southern Boundaries meeting could take place at Lowick. As the PCC usually use Lowick Hall without charge, It was suggested that the cost of the extra Hall Hire be split between the 3 parishes involved in the Southern Boundary meeting – B&S; ENMO & Lowick. Clerk to reply and contact the Clerks to the other parishes.

- 5G consultation – Resolved: to respond to say 5G applications particularly for rural areas should be submitted to full planning criteria and not be devolved to permitted development.

9) To receive Reports:

9.a. SCRT/Coniston & Crake Catchment Partnership – Cllr Rutherford gave river fly fishing sampling reports.

9.b. Illegal Off-roading Group & Green Lanes meeting – There is to be a further Green lanes meeting to agree the constitution and decide on the representative for the LDNP meeting on 8th October when they will give their report on Tilberthwaite & green lanes.

9.c. LDNP Boundaries – no updates.

9.d. Superfast Broadband – see agenda items 2.

9.e. SLDC Global warming event – Cllr Rutherford attended. Transport came up in all group discussions. Holiday homes are on the increase and have to have business waste and business waste is not separated. South Lakes are slow to put out double bins that include a recycling bin.

9.f. Parish Plan/Boon Day – was a great success. Advice being taken on re-flowering the verges and the Wildlife Trust is going to visit to give advice.

9.g. X112 Bus Service – see agenda item 2.c

10) To discuss and agree any actions on:

10.a. Highways issues – see agenda item 2. Cllr Wharton raised the issue of the overgrown footpath at Blawith. The farmer is unable to cut it back until the 1st September.

10.b. Land at the side of Village Hall known as “Little Fell” - The application for this to be registered as a community asset has been submitted to SLDC – awaiting confirmation.

11) Date of Next Meeting: Confirmed as Monday 14th October, 2019.
The meeting closed at 9.25 p.m.