EASINGTON PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES no. 299

Minutes of Easington Parish Council held at Easington Community Hall on Monday 4th September, 2017 @ 7pm

Present:

Cllr T Smith - Chair Cllr Longhorn Cllr Dr Livas-Dawes Cllr Nicholson Cllr I Smith Cllr Graham

Apologies: Cllr Clubley, Cllr Walters & Ward Cllr Cracknell

3 Members of the public present and the Clerk

Interests: Pecuniary & Non Pecuniary Dispensations: None

1. Minutes of the meeting on Monday 3rd July 2017 were approved and sign by the Chair

2. Public Forum

Mike Welton: Thanks to Dave Longhorn for the excellent grass cutting.

Jan Crowther: Heard that there will only be one further meeting of the Spurn Liaison Group which she felt is unacceptable.

Easington in Bloom: The daffodils on Hull Road will be extended for next spring.

3. Cllr Tucker – Ward Councilor update

- The green bin on Seaside Road has now been replaced
- Update on the possible closure of Withernsea Hospital: Staff have been issued with 90 days notice but the final decision on closure had not been given. This decision has been referred to the Secretary of State, urged the PC to write to ask what contingencies are in place.
- Work is ongoing to improve the mobile signal in the area.
- SLG October is to be the last meeting of the group, confirmed that Ward Councilors are looking into this as the new Spurn Advisory Group would not have representation from the Parish Council, which it is felt is unacceptable.
- £170k has been allocated for salaries at the new VC, request for information on when these new jobs will be advertised.

4. Finance

Payments [Variable]

A Lusmore £130.00 August Salary	Proposed	Seconded
S Exley £65.00 August Salary	Proposed	Seconded
A Whelan £349.79 August Salary	Proposed	Seconded
Streetscene grass cutting £1,375 Cuts 8,9,10,11 & 12 of the season	Proposed	Seconded
Easington Community Hall £29.76 Photocopies	Proposed	Seconded
Easington Community Hall hire – April – June £48.00	Proposed	Seconded
Kim Dalton Audit £40.00	Proposed	Seconded

Receipts

Northern power £11.77 Mr Keyworth allotment rent £25.00

5. Planning

The following planning applications will be discussed and any comments will be passed to ERYC for consideration when decision making.

Enforcement notice issued to Land adjoining Sunnycliffe Cottage known as Blue Bell Pond Caravan Site, Kilnsea. The notice is for 'a material change of use of the land and operational development without planning permission. The date the notice takes effect is 7th August and the date of compliance is 7th November, 2017.

Proposal: Erection of first floor extension over existing garage, single storey extension to rear and conversion of existing garage with bow window to create additional living accommodation. Location: 14 Briary Cottages Easington East Riding Of Yorkshire HU12 0TG Applicant: Mr J Clarke Decision: Planning permission granted.

6. Community Information & Services

Update on Post Office services in the Village – Cllr Dr Livas-Dawes – The BT line has not yet been connected so until that is done the PO service could not start.

Two Benches being supplied by Gassco – Cllr(s) Nicholson confirmed that Highways have agreed the siting of the Bench on Humber Lane & Cllr Dr Livas-Dawes is still to confirm the owners of the land on the cliff top near the gas terminals.

Damage to bench and table on Seaside Road – Cllr Longhorn. The Clerk has spoken to a representative from ERYC regarding the Costal Opportunity Group and is trying to ensure that this bench is replaced as a matter of urgency due to the damage.

Planning for provision of a Market for Easington – Cllr Dr Livas-Dawes, 9 people have been confirmed as stall holders for the market and Councillors requested confirmation on proposed produce to be sold so they may approach others to be involved. The location of the market is not yet decided.

Items from last meeting raised under AOB

Weeds in wall of Church yard – Cllr Ian Smith will look at the issue and report back. Church and Chapel – Cllr Dr Livas-Dawes asked if the PC would support the Church financially, this was discussed and Cllr Dr Livas-Dawes proposal could not be supported. Also more volunteers are needed to support when the Church is open.

Telephone box at Kilnsea to be replaced - Correspondence item 7, it was agreed to replace with the new box.

7. Building works at Kilnsea

Cllr Ian Smith – Correspondence Item 1 – On the planning application design specification the car park was supposed to be a sud-system so the excess water would not go into and over run the dyke system, this is not the case and concern was raised about the possible higher risk of flooding in the village. There are also issues with the drain culvert at the corner by Blue Bell and concern is raised as it is felt that damage was caused by the heavy traffic. The clerk to write to YWT re the car parking construction. On the weekend of 13th August there was piling work carried out and no notification has been given and there were many noise complaints. This has been reported to ERYC. £1.1million has been granted to YWT from Costal Communities fund – were the community made aware of this or given the opportunity to bid for funding?

8. Parish Plan

Update from Cllr Nicolson, Cllr Dr Livas-Dawes and Cllr Graham – Public consultation questionnaires have been completed at the recent meeting and the information is being collated.

9. Village Taskforce walkabout

Report from ERYC discussed and feedback given – Correspondence 4 – Work is under way to deal with some of the issues raised.

10. Easington in Bloom

Provision of planters to the entrance of the villages. Approval was given to place new planters and to look at perhaps using tractor tyres.

- **11. Correspondence** All items are emailed to Councillors with the exception of posters.
- 1. Email Karen Abba ERYC response re Visitor Centre at Kilnsea.
- 2. Newsletter Environment agency Outstrays to Skeffling Manager Realignment Scheme
- 3. ERYC Code of Conduct training sessions offered Cllr Walters & Livas-Dawes to attend
- 4. Report ERYC Village Task Force walkabout
- 5. Invitation Ottringham Harvest Festival 17th September, 2017
- 6. Letter Gassco planned shutdown 19th September, 2017 with alarm sound at 5am and extra vehicle activity for 24hrs
- 7. Image of proposed new phone box for Kilnsea.
- 8. Letter Mrs Lusmore re memorial bench agreed that the bench could be situated near the War Memorial.

Any other business - items brought under AOB requiring a decision will be included on the next agenda.

KN: Application to transfer the Enhancement Fund to the Parish Council The Clerk: The hedge near the Chapel is causing concern – Cllr Longhorn to address this. HLD: Audio book – memories of locals people.

Date of Next Meeting -

Monday 2nd October, 2017 at 19:00 Parish Council meeting will be held in Easington Community Hall.

There being no other business to discuss the meeting was closed at 19:22