

Minutes of the Roos Parish Council Meeting held in the Memorial Institute, Roos on Monday 14th March 2016

Present: Cllrs D Winter (Chair), W Ainley, M Devanney, A Dodson and B Smales.

Apologies for absence were received from Cllr A Coupe, J Cracknell and K Tyson.

The Chair welcomed Cllr Devanney to the meeting following his uncontested election on to the Council.

1. Consideration of Councillor's declaration of interests

There were no changes declared by members to the register of interests.

2. Minutes of the meeting held on 8th February 2016

These were agreed as a true record and signed by the Chair.

Matters arising from the minutes

3. Local transport survey

It was reported that the results of the householder survey analysis was awaited from ERYC and that the pilot Burton Pidsea local transport scheme was now operational.

4. Traffic survey

The Chair reported that ERYC had indicated that following the pedestrian crossing survey conducted on Main Street from Hinch Garth to South End and based on the results the criteria had not been met and that ERYC was unable to provide a crossing in Main Street.

5. The Pinfold

It was reported that work was well in hand on the improvement works to the wall with completion expected in the near future.

6. Coastal Opportunities Gateway

A reply from ERYC indicated that a contractor would shortly be appointed to undertake the beach access feasibility study and that a tender had been put out to consultants to deliver a village workshop in Tunstall with regard to the introduction of modest infrastructure and that arrangements were in hand to meet the Tunstall Village Hall group shortly.

7. Speeding vehicles in Roos

The Chair reported that the Police would be extending their surveillance operations to now also include Pilmar Lane to monitor/caution/prosecute motorists who were speeding in their vehicles at the location.

Correspondence

8. East Riding parish news

The latest edition was circulated amongst members for individual attention.

9. Police report

The report highlighted two instances of criminal damage at Sand Le Mere Caravan Park during February.

10. Roos Beck

Following the Clerk's request to ERYC to undertake twice yearly inspections of the beck to highlight any possible restrictions on water flow a reply indicated that a flood risk asset register was currently being developed and as part of the process an assessed decision on how each asset should be inspected would be determined following which the Council would be informed of the inspection regime.

Planning

Install solar panels at All Saint's Church Rectory Road Roos - 16/00261

It was agreed that no objections be made to the above application.

Construction of manege for private use at Glebe Farm Hilston Road Roos

Erection of single storey extension to rear and alterations to existing window at front at 8 South Park Roos

It was reported that ERYC had approved the above two applications.

11. Treasurer's report

The Treasurer sought and received approval for payment of the following accounts:-

Avondale Landscapes - work on paths 5, 11 and 17 - £35.16

ERYC - expenses for uncontested election - £32.10

F&H Construction Ltd - renovation works on Pinfold wall - £2,016.00

Any other business

12. Highway matters

It was agreed to refer cracks in the footpath on the south side of Hinch Garth to ERYC and Cllr Devaney reported that he was investigating a path off Rectory Road near to the new rectory which had been used by walkers for some time and exploring whether or not it could be officially recognised as a parish path.

It was also reported that ERYC had trimmed back overgrown bushes on Roston Road.

13. Roos Beck

Cllr Smales referred to the fact that early reporting of any obstructions in the beck was paramount and that the public should be made aware of who to contact in such emergencies and it was agreed that ERYC be asked for a dedicated contact number in the event of an emergency to include out of normal office hours as that Authority was responsible for liaising with riparian owners to ensure that there were no restrictions, following which an appropriate notice would be posted in the notice board and on the website for the public's information.

Cllr Smales was reminded that unfortunately owing to the indisposition of Cllr Cracknell it was understood that an earlier financial matter had not been resolved with ERYC who were in possession of the relevant paperwork.

14. RES (UK) Ltd

A communication from ERVAS indicated that RES had won the award for engaging with the community in respect of the RES Wind Farm and further that Judith Leech would be leaving ERVAS in the near future as she was emigrating to Spain but that the CIC directors and panel members could be assured that there would be a smooth transition with her successor at the company.

Next meeting

The next meeting to be held in the Memorial Institute on Monday 11th 2016 commencing at 7.30pm unless otherwise advised.