

**Nawton Parish Council**  
**Minutes for the meeting held on**  
**Monday 21st November 2016 at 19.30 at Nawton Pavilion**

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Chair	Russ Dickinson
Vice Chair	Joe Gregory
Councillors	John Windress, Michael Jackson, Debbie Swift, Andrew Edwards Sam Jones
Clerk	Anne Twine

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### **889 Agenda**

The agenda for the meeting had been displayed on the Nawton Parish Council notice board since 5<sup>th</sup> November and also on the website.

### **890 Parishioner presentation**

### **891 Minutes of council meeting of 17<sup>th</sup> October 2016**

The Chair agreed the minutes of the meeting of 17<sup>th</sup> October 2016.  
The Chair signed the minutes and the Clerk added them to the minute book.

### **892 Code of Conduct and the Ethical Framework**

### **893 Actions from the last meeting**

893.1 The Clerk's timesheet was approved.

893.2 Monthly inspection of Council owned land

All Council Land was inspected and there were no issues to report.

893.3 Defibrillator

The Clerk reports that the defibrillator has been installed by the electrician James Richardson and that the ambulance service has the details. It was suggested that the Council purchased a spare battery. The Clerk was instructed to inform Beadlam.

#### 893.4 Bulbs

The bulbs have now been planted

#### 893.5

The condition of the snicket has deteriorated since it was re-surfaced 10 years ago. The Clerk contacted the school who verified that they owned the footpath and someone resurfaced it some years ago voluntarily. The secretary remarked that they could close it if they wanted. She said she would pass on the information to the headmistress.

This was discussed and because the snicket is a public footpath the school cannot close the right of way.

The Clerk was asked to contact the public footpaths people at RDC to see if they had some responsibility to deal with this.

#### 893.6 Budget

The Council considered the possibility of having a bus shelter at the bus stop near the garage travelling towards Kirkbymoorside. The Clerk contacted highways to inquire about the feasibility of this project and what type of bus shelter we could have and also would it be possible to move the bus stop to Colley Pond.

The Clerk was instructed to contact the transport department and discuss the option of having the bus shelter on the other side of the road and people indicating to the bus to stop while they cross the road. . Some concerns were expressed about siting the stop on the other side of the road due to traffic/ road safety and suitability for pensioners.

The Clerk was asked to find out the requirements regarding raised/lowered footpaths at the bus stop, and to get a rough quote as to the overall cost of having this sited at Colley Pond with the necessary adjustments.

#### 893.7 Clerks salary review

The Council agreed to a pay rise. The scale is SCP 22 £10.527 per hour.

#### 893.8 Community led housing survey

The Clerk filled in the survey. Councillor John Windress to find out more from RDC. It was noted that Yorkshire Housing were intending to sell off some land.

#### 893.9 Consultation on Visually Important Undeveloped Areas

The Clerk reports that she contacted RDC and asked whether the field west of Beckett Close could be considered as a VIUA. This has gone out to consultation.

### **894 Planning**

New applications / Enforcement appeals / Discharge of condition

New

APPLICATION NO.	16/01839/MFUL
APPLICANT	Miss Jenny Bulmer
DESCRIPTION	Change of use of agricultural land to allow siting of 28 holiday lodges in association with Canadian Fields campsite together

with formation of site roads, car parking and turning areas and associated landscaping.

LOCATION Canadian Fields Nawton YO627RF

EXPECTED DECISION Committee Decision

**The Clerk was asked to submit observations stating that The Council were in support of this application as it would bring some local employment and because tourism is a significant industry, it would be beneficial to other businesses**

## **895 Finance**

- Payment for £77.81 to Anne Twine October salary
- Receipt of £315.49 for grass cutting

Precept will remain the same at £5,393

## **896 AOB**

896.1 Request for donation towards new kitchen at Nawton Memorial Hall. The Council asked the Clerk to request a costings list and ask them what they want as our policy is to pay for a specific item rather than just give money.

896.2 Highways- The flooding issue on Highfield Lane should now be resolved as the highways have completed the work. Pictures of the work are on the website.

896.3 A request for siting a mobile mast on Beckett recreation ground or 1km from this site has been received and circulated to all Councillors. The Clerk was asked to contact Anna Thomas and arrange a meeting to discuss location.

896.4 The Chair shared information from Ryedale School that they would have to expand to accommodate 100+ pupils in the near future. The traffic issue would have to be resolved beforehand as this would mean more traffic and coaches putting lives at risk.

The meeting closed at 9.00

## **Date of next meeting**

19<sup>th</sup> December