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WRAWBY PARISH COUNCIL

Before the meeting, Council was addressed by Dave Lofts, Senior Planning Consultant, N Lincs Council with regard to the possibility of Wrawby Parish Council establishing a Neighbourhood Plan.

Mr Lofts indicated that the whole process is expected to take some 3 years and the total cost is expected to be some £9000 (grants for this are available). A steering group would have to be set up, probably comprising some members of Council together with any interested Wrawby residents.

After the presentation, Mr Lofts took questions and advised that only one of N Lincs Parish Councils (Appleby) had completed the establishment of a Plan although some others were on the way.

Mr Lofts advised further that the full N Lincs Council Local Plan is expected to be released for publication early in the New Year.

In answer to a question regarding the benefits of the Plan, Mr Lofts indicated that when considering future planning applications, and Neighbourhood Plan requirements would be considered by the planners and carry weight along with any central government and local authority factors.

The Chairman and the Council thanked Mr Lofts and he left the room.

The Minutes of the Meeting of Wrawby Parish Council held in the Village Hall on Tuesday 19th November 2019.

PRESENT: Messrs I R Smith, W T Richardson, Mrs K Rothery, Mrs K May, Mr M Reddish and Mr M Hebblewhite.

Also present were N Lincs Cllrs N Sherwood, C Sherwood and one member of the public.

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE - Apologies were received from Mr J Dibdin (working abroad), Mr R G Green (illness), Mrs L Tandon (holiday), Mrs P Bosanquet (family commitments) and N Lincs Cllr R Waltham (attending another meeting)

DECLARATION OF INTEREST - None

MINUTES: - The Minutes of the Meeting held on 17th September 2019, having been circulated, were approved for adoption.

MATTERS ARISING: -

An acknowledgement and thanks had been received from HWRCC re the Voluntary Car Donation agreed at the last meeting.

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PLANNING MATTERS/APPLICATIONS

Details re applications etc. had been circulated to members and there were no matters to be discussed at the meeting.

The Clerk mentioned that in connection with the refused application in respect of the proposal to erect a dwelling on land adjacent to Whitegate Stables Starr Carr Lane, a “new” application has been submitted and will shortly be considered by Council.

CORRESPONDENCE: - None

DONATION REQUESTS -

A communication had been received (and circulated to members) from CPRE regarding their efforts to improve the environment. The missive contained a request for a donation - Council resolved not to donate.

PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS:

The following payments were authorised:

Clerks Salary	(2 months)	469.17
“ expenses	“	41.66
Groundsman	(“)	120.00
Winter plants		209.25
Brigg Office Supplies re confidential shredding		30.00

The Clerk distributed the updated Budget/Actual list for outgoings to 19.11.19 and indicated that all was proceeding satisfactorily.

VILLAGE HALL

Mrs Day was not present, but the Clerk advised that all was proceeding satisfactorily.

WOODLAND TRUST – TREE PLANTING

Various sites in Wrawby had been suggested for the Woodland Trust tree planting initiative and N Lincs Cllr C Sherwood will shortly be advised of all the information in view of N Lincs Council’s commitment to enhance the environment following an appropriate recent event at Normanby Hall Scunthorpe.

VILLAGE SIGNS

Once again this matter was discussed at some length and the Chairman distributed specimen drawings of the signs with appropriate words – Council resolved to go ahead with the matter as presented and the Chairman will progress this.

NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

Following Mr Lofts' presentation before the meeting, Council discussed the possible way forward and resolved to defer matters pending consideration of the full N Lincs Council Local Plan which is expected to be put out for consultation early in the New Year,

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COMPLAINT

The Clerk and Chairman gave brief details of a further short meeting they had had with Mr Nundy on a couple of procedural matters. Mr Nundy then advised that in view of the forthcoming General Election, it would probably be early in the New Year before anything was heard.

NORTH Lincs COUNCILLORS

Although there was nothing significant to report:

- (a) N Lincs Cllr C Sherwood described the problems associated with the recent flooding, there had been particular problems with the Leisure Centre car park
- (b) Council was advised that N Lincs Council continues to be in touch with Aldi about their proposed new store in Brigg as the development has appeared to "slow". Aldi advise that the recent inclement weather has delayed matters.

MATTERS FOR FURTHER DISCUSSION

1. The Clerk was aware that Cllr Richardson was to attend a Code of Conduct seminar at N Lincs Council on 28th November but that the formal acceptance of his nomination had been delayed due to the Parish Council meeting having been put back. The Clerk will attend. **LATER** Cllr Richardson's attendance on the course has been confirmed.
2. The Chairman has received an e-mail from a resident describing the high speeds being seen by some motorists on Melton Road. The Chairman has replied to the effect that Police carry out random speed checks on the road in an attempt to deter speeders and other than this it was felt that the Parish Council could do little else. N Lincs Cllr C Sherwood said that he had met the complainant and had conveyed similar views. N Lincs Cllr N Sherwood felt that "Average" Speed Cameras were the answer but these were prohibitively expensive to install.
3. Cllr Mrs K Rothery feels that ambulances passing through the village on the A18 often do so at excessive speed but with no sirens to warn pedestrians of their presence. N Lincs Cllr C Sherwood felt that the ambulance sirens may be switched off in high population areas. The Clerk would ascertain the exact position from East Midland Ambulance Service in due course.

4. Cllr Mrs K May indicated that the recently purchased salt bin would shortly be in place at the top of Applefields. The filling of it from Council's salt stock was being organised.
5. The Chairman expressed his pleasure at the recent repair of the serious pothole problem at the junction of Vicarage Road/Vicarage Gardens.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The date of the next meeting was set for Tuesday 7th January 2020 @ 7.30pm. The Chairman closed the meeting @ 8.50 pm.