

A Meeting of the Parish Council was held in the Church Hall, Morton on Tuesday 19th June 2007 at 7.30 p.m.

PRESENT Councillors D.Creasey (Chairman) B.Hyde (Vice Chairman) G. Lack, W. Lawrance P. Chubbuck, R.J. Wells, C. Friend, L. Taylor, A.Bates, J.F. Richardson & S. Reynolds.

Also in attendance Mr. T. Barnatt (Clerk & R.F.O.), District Councillor F. Cartwright, and County Councillor M .Horn

Members of the public present: None

1. APOLOGIES. None

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST. None

3. MINUTES. The clerk's notes of the meeting of Tuesday 8th May 2007 were approved as the Minutes and were signed by the Chairman.

4. CLERK'S REPORT & CORRESPONDENCE

High Street Seat Delivery is due within a week.

L.C.C. Highways have written to the owner of 27 Edenham Road regarding the removal of recently erected barriers. At the time of this meeting they had received no response.

Planning Matters – Due to the timescale required by the SKDC in this instance the following applications had been dealt with by consultation :-

Mr & Mrs Cotter. Single storey rear extension. 24 Templemeads Close. Full Planning.

Alston Country Homes. Substitution of house type. East Lane. Full Planning.

There were no objections to these applications.

SKDC has given consent to the following applications: -

Peter Taylor Homes. Erection of 2 storey dwelling. Adj 12 The Grove, Hanthorpe,

Mr & Mrs R Birtill. 2 storey & ground floor extensions. Church Farm, Station Road.

Play Equipment Inspection The Clerk has carried out the quarterly inspection.

SKDC Code of Conduct Session will be held at:- Edenham Village Hall on Thursday 12th July at 6.30 pm. The Clerk will attend.

Lincs CC Notification has been received of An Event on the Highway – Street Fair 7th July.

Community Lincs A list of entrants for Best Kept Village received.

Community Lincs Funding is available for production of Parish Plans.

Cemetery - Since the last meeting there has been 3 exclusive rights reservation, 1 Memorial application and 1 Burial. Total receipts £803.00

Publications LALC News is available from the clerk

Lincs NHS Shaping Health for Lincolnshire booklets were issued to councillors for perusal.

SKDC Litter Bins The Clerk had checked with SKDC and the bins were scheduled to be emptied every Monday.

Parish Grass Cutting Because of some dissatisfaction of the quality of grass cutting carried out by Lincolnshire County Council the Clerk had requested costing details from the County Council. Councillors agreed that the Parish Council should consider, at a later meeting, taking on the responsibility for this task.

5. PLANNING APPLICATIONS

Mrs G Marsh. Single storey side extension. Pentlands, Haconby Lane. Full Planning

Mr & Mrs Woodland. Erection of conservatory to rear. 17 Waterloo Drive. Full Planning. The councillors had no objections to these applications.

6. ACCOUNTS The following payments were approved in accordance with the budget.

T. Barnatt	May Salary	366. 15
N. Wilkie	Litter Collection to 13.5.07	48. 00
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E. Wyr	Play Equip. repairs	58. 93
T. Barnatt	June Salary	366.15
Morton PCC	Hire of hall 19.6.07	6. 00

7. REQUESTS/COMPLAINTS

Dog Waste Bins Again a request had been received for the provision of bins in Station Road. Unfortunately these cannot, at present, be provided because the SKDC does not have the necessary incineration equipment required for disposal of this waste.

Bus stopping close to crossroads This matter had already been drawn to the attention of the bus company.

Green space between Paddington Way It was suggested that police had prevented youngsters from playing on this green. The Clerk had contacted the local PCSO who had replied that there was no record of this action.

The Clerk was asked to reply to the parishioner with regard to these items.

8. NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be on Tuesday 7 August, commencing with a public forum at 7.15pm

9. REPORTS FROM OUTSIDE BODIES

District Councillor Cartwright informed the meeting that she was now looking forward to the challenges of her new Economical Development portfolio.

OTHER MATTERS

The Clerk was asked to look into the following matters –
Responsibility for redundant drainage ditch in Wheelwright Close.
Shrubbery overhanging footpath along Station Road.
Hedge overhanging road on Edenham Road corner, Hanthorpe.
Hedge overhanging footpath in Stainfield Road, Hanthorpe.
Building works on Haconby Lane causing footpath restriction.
Missing goal post(s) at Crescent playing field.
There being no further business the meeting closed.

CHAIRMAN.....

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