

BURTON- IN -KENDAL PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Thursday 15 November 2007 at 7.30 pm in the Memorial Hall, Burton-in-Kendal

PRESENT: Cllrs. P.Rogers (Chairman), R.Boddy, F.Mason-Hornby, R.Lawson, A.Wren, C.Dale (Clerk).

IN ATTENDANCE: Two members of the public.

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE: Cllrs. J.Alderson, J.Brown, J.Hopwood, G.Isherwood.

ABSENT: District Cllr.R.Bingham

2. MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD 18 OCTOBER: Having been previously circulated, the minutes were confirmed as correct and signed by the Chairman.

3. CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Next meeting of CALC is 29 November at the Newby Bridge Hotel Action (PR)
- Proposed changes to the registration & validation of planning applications from SLDC with an invitation to send comments by 20 December. (Clerk invited to attend a workshop on 6 December at 10.30 in the Assembly Room at Kendal Town Hall) (CD)
- Leaflets from SLDC for public consultation on 16 Nov.10-6pm Coronation Hall, Ulverston issued
- Temporary closure of 20m of footpath 207005 for approx.1 month from 03.01.08
- Notice of review of polling districts & places from SLDC posted onto Notice Board
- CCC preferred options of changes to the Minerals & Waste Development Framework Core Strategy & invitation to send comments by 14 December. Cllr.Boddy agreed to respond (RB)
- It was agreed that a request from North West Air Ambulance for donations be on next month's agenda
- Invitation from CVS to a Funding Fair on 23 November 9.45-3pm at Ladyholme Community Centre, Windermere. Cllr.Wren agreed to respond
- Invitation from CVS to a CCC 3rd Sector Strategy Consultation 03.12.07 10-12am at Cumbria Rural Enterprise Agency, Redhills, Penrith (AW)
- Highways Response Team – Replacement Trial was explained by the Chairman who reported that Burton, Holme & Dalton would receive Visit 1 for 4 days commencing 15.02.08 & Visit 2 for 4 days commencing 13.08.08 to deal with routine Highways maintenance requirements reported to date

4. OPEN FORUM – Points raised:

- The Chairman read out apologies from PCSO Cahill. The Police Report was read & passed to Burton News
- A member of the public wished to warn all present of danger of itinerant fishmongers visiting the village
- Another member of the public highlighted the low usage of the Boon Town Playing Field during the last week in August

5. PLANNING APPLICATIONS

- Planning application dismissed on appeal:
SL/2007/1109 – Development of land to rear of Old Hall Cottage, Tanpits Lane
- Planning applications granted:
SL/2007/1025 – BP Garage, Motorway Services Area – Installation of ATM for Nationwide BS
SL/2007/1026 – BP Garage, Motorway Services Area – Illuminated signs for BP & H Services Ltd
SL/2007/1029 – 2 Forestry Houses, Dalton – Single storey extension for Mr & Mrs D.Haigh
- Planning applications received:
SL/2007/1188 – 5 Mowbray Drive, Burton – Extensions & alterations including replacement of flat roof with pitched roof for Mr & Mrs G.Wilson. **No objections**
SL/2007/1149 – 2 Bell House Barn, Dalton – Change of use of stable to ancillary accommodation for J.Hopwood. (Cllr.Mason Hornby declared a prejudicial interest.) **No objections**
- **SL/2007/1161** – Dalton Hall Business Centre – Change of use from redundant agricultural building to general storage space for Trustees of F.Mason-Hornby (who declared a prejudicial interest). **No objections**



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6. FINANCE

Balances at the bank at 15 November 2007:

BOI Treasurers Account

Income to date

Expenditure to date

£10,970.87

11,087.55

7,635.47

7. ACCOUNTS APPROVED FOR PAYMENT AND CHEQUES SIGNED

Lengthsman remuneration to 14.11.07 (4 weeks @ £77 = £308).

£308.00

Clerk's salary and expenses

296.17

Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal – Remembrance Day wreath

40.00

8. BUS SHELTERS

After some discussion Cllr.Mason-Hornby proposed the Council should apply to Capita for funding of two bus shelters, first on the southbound carriageway of the A6070 at the entrance to Glebe Close, the second on the northbound carriageway at the Green Dragon. This was seconded by Cllr.Wren. **The proposal was carried by 3 votes to one against and one abstention.** The Clerk was asked to convey the decision to Cllr.Hopwood & to reply to a member of the public who had written objecting to the Creamery site proposal

(CD/JH)

9. PARISH COUNCIL NEWSLETTER

The Chairman announced he would continue with this only until May. The Council unanimously agreed it should be continued thereafter by someone else for its recognised benefits to the whole community

10. VEHICLE ACTIVATED SIGN PROGRAMME

Cllrs.unanimously decided to ask the Clerk to request two posts for the sum of £500 instead of one (CD)

11. FUTURE FUNDING OF LENGTHSMAN

The Chairman explained the current contract expires at the end of January. He and the Chairmen of Holme & Endmoor Parish Councils have agreed a Scheme to put to CCC & CALC at a meeting with them on 27 November. He will report back at the next Parish Council Meeting

(PR)

12. BALLOT FOR PARISH REPRESENTATIVE ON CALC SOUTH LAKELAND STANDARDS COMMITTEE

Cllr.Wren proposed Cllr.Isherwood and as there were no other proposals it was unanimously agreed his name should be entered onto the ballot paper, signed by the Chairman & Clerk & returned to CALC (CD)

13. REPORTS

- Cllr.Rogers reported fly tipping at Tarn Lane, since collected by the lengthsman. Also some railings demolished in a car accident on the A6070 to the north of Burton
- Cllr.Boddy reported that the Post Office will be grateful for any help to prevent its closure and are putting some proposals together for the Parish Council to consider. He also reported the Burton Recreation Trust have a new Chairman
- Cllr.Mason-Hornby announced four new employers setting up in his new Business Park employing some 50 staff. Also that there are posting facilities there for collection at 4.45pm Monday-Friday

12. COMMUNICATIONS – See Schedule below.**13. DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting will take place on **Thursday 20 December 2007 at 7.30pm** in the Memorial Hall

The meeting closed at 9.30pm

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SCHEDULE OF COMMUNICATIONS TO 15 NOVEMBER 2007

Website

- **Hot Topic:** Suspended
- **Feedback:** Suspended

Other Communications

- Advert posted in Westmorland Gazette 19.10.07 by CALC of adoption by this parish council of the revised Code of Conduct
- Reply from Persimmon regarding the boundary wall on Caterpillar Walk. The Clerk was asked to write to another possible owner of the land involved (CD)
- Email to Planning Dept. requesting postponement of consideration of Applications 1149 & 1161
- Vehicle Activated Traffic Sign proposal from CCC
- Fly Tipping on Tarn Lane reported to SLDC (Hotline ref.119986)

For Circulation

- CALC Circular for November
- Notification from SLDC of a public consultation day in Kendal Town Hall, Monday 12 November 10.00-18.00 (circulated to all Cllrs. during the meeting)
- Sanctuaries for Wildlife leaflet from Cumbria Wildlife Trust
- CCC Highways Response Team Replacement Trial. Email circulated to all Cllrs. 31.10.07
- October Newsletter from Cumbria CVS
- Local Councils Review for November
- Cumbria NHS Primary Care Trust consultation 27.09.07 – 04.01.07 document 'Closer to Home'
- CALC Annual Report November 2007
- Comments from parishioner regarding bus shelter proposal. Email circulated to all Cllrs. 5.11.07
- 'The Cumbria Rider' passenger transport guide to March 2008 from CCC
- Clerks & Councils Direct for November 2007
- CCC preferred options of changes to the Minerals & Waste Development Framework Core Strategy & invitation to send comments by 14 December (emailed to all Cllrs. 14.11.07)
- NHS Foundation Trust Public Consultation 15.10.07-13.01.08
- Cumbria Rural Housing Trust Update November 2007
- CCC letter 'Transforming Passenger Transport'

Glossary of Abbreviations:

CALC	Cumbria Association of Local Councils
CCC	Cumbria County Council
CVS	Cumbria Voluntary Service
DEFRA	Dept for Environment Food & Rural Affairs
NPS	Norfolk Property Services
NALC	National Association of Local Councils
SLDC	South Lakeland District Council
SLCC	Society of Local Council Clerks

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