

BURTON-IN-KENDAL PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Thursday 21st September 2017 at 7.30pm in the Memorial Hall, Burton-in-Kendal

PRESENT: Cllr A Wren (Chairman), Cllrs J Hopwood, P Rogers, M Taylor, S Colyer, M Rowley, G Isherwood
Also present: County Councillor R Bingham, District Councillor B Cooper and Parish Clerk C Davidson

PUBLIC IN ATTENDANCE: 4 members of the public were present

1) APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE:

Cllrs D Haigh and F Mason-Hornby

2) DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND APPLICATIONS FOR DISPENSATION:

None

3) MINUTES OF THE LAST PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD:

The previous minutes were approved and signed by the Chairman.

4) RECEIVE ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM CHAIRMAN

The Police Report was read out:

15/8 – Reports of a noisy car travelling in the area, traffic officers have been informed and will monitor the area.

18/8 – ASB reported in the area, 1 youth spoken to regarding this.

20/9 – Theft of 2 recycling bins.

21/8 – Damage caused to fencing and a picnic bench at the School.

3/9 – ASB caused by 3 youths throwing apples at a resident.

5/9 – 2 x reports of tools being stolen from vehicles/house in the area.

8/9 – A serious RTC was reported in the area.

Speeding in the area is becoming an issue. We have deployed the Speed Indicator Device and will be downloading the data ASAP.

Parking on pavements whereby no access is allowed for a pushchair/wheelchair to pass on the pavement is illegal.

5) OPEN FORUM

- i) Mr Nolan, a new resident at The Bakery in The Square informed the Council that his property and up to 6 others were flooded again during recent heavy rain. Once again this is due to drain and culvert issues and as nothing has been done by Cumbria County Council to relieve this problem since first being informed back in 2015, his insurance company are now taking legal action against the County Council. As a result of this action CCC have sent representatives and hopefully repair work will now take place.

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- ii) Further flooding took place on the A6070 at Clawthorpe.
- iii) Following the Police Report a resident asked what action was being taken to solve the Anti-Social Behaviour issues that are occurring on a regular basis in the village.
Although residents were calling 101 and reporting all the problems it does not seem that the Police are doing anything.
Clerk to contact PCSO Coleman with residents' concerns.

6) Consider planning applications and formulate comments to the planning authority:

Applications received:

- a) **SL2017/0696 3 Garden Place, Burton-in-Kendal**
Two Storey extension, front porch and replacement windows
No objections or comments

7) DRAINAGE & FLOODING ISSUES

During the recent bad weather Chester Terrace surrounding properties were flooded. One of the properties on Chester Terrace had 4 ½ feet of water in the cellar causing major damage to boiler and electrics. There was also flooding to The Bakery and other properties. This is all due to drains being blocked. These drains were surveyed on 21st July and the report found that there was a blockage, other drains were also found to be blocked during the survey. These blockages were not rectified. United Utilities have been out and found that the drains in the courtyard area are all clear and therefore the problem is with the Cumbria Highways drains and culverts. It was agreed that the Parish Council also write to Doug Coyle the Flood Resilience Manager. The problem will be monitored until resolved.

8) 2018/19 PARISH COUNCIL MEETING DATES

It was agreed to keep 12 meetings a year and dates will be published on the website.

9) FUNDING LOCAL WALK LEAFLETS

It was agreed to defer this agenda item until October meeting when Councillor Mason-Hornby will be present. Councillor Isherwood also has information from another funding source.

10) FINANCE

The Council received the Income and Expenditure and the bank reconciliation. This was checked and signed by Cllr Rogers.

2017/2018 Income to date	17960.96	Nat west Current a/c	13515.17
2017/2018 Expenditure to date	<u>8247.27</u>	Nat west Reserve a/c	9952.22
Difference	9713.69	Less cheques	-1491.00
Balance b/f from 1.4.17	<u>12262.70</u>		
Carried forward	21976.39	Carried forward	21976.39

11) AUTHORISE PAYMENTS OF THE FOLLOWING ACCOUNTS

a) Lengthsman hours and expenses	£356.00
b) Clerk's salary and expenses	£240.00
c) Ashlea Landscaping grass cutting	£252.00
d) SLDC Playground Rent	£85.00
e) HMRC PAYE	£180.00

12) TO REVIEW AND UPDATE OUTSTANDING ITEMS

No.	Item	Reported by	Action By	Action/status
1	Speakers for meetings	ALL	CD	Ongoing
2	Feasibility Study – footpath Burton to Clawthorpe		JH	Cllr Hopwood taking forward
3	Gully clearing/repairs The Square/Main Street	CD/PR	CD	Ongoing
4	Speed Indicator Device		AW	Repositioned – data to be collected
5	Kerbstones Main Street		CD	Reported with a job number received – nothing done yet
6	Notice Board	CD	AW	New pin board to be fitted
7	B4RN	FMH		Community Group??
8	Plain Quarry	DH		Drains Surface Fences Steps Willow Tree Picnic Tables
9	Walk leaflets – funding/reprint			October Agenda

13) LENGTHSMAN'S LOG, REVIEW OF ACTION ITEMS AND REPORTS FROM PARISH, COUNTY, DISTRICT AND COUNCILLORS AND CLERK.

- a) County Cllr Bingham reported he had some funds due – he will allocate some to flood precaution/prevention in Burton.
White Lines at the bottom of Boon Town have now been agreed and will be done soon.
District news includes the issues with New Road car park in Kendal.
- b) Councillor Wren informed the Council that the SID had been repositioned to the southbound side of the road opposite Green Dragon Farm.
He also reported that he had cleared two drain on Tarn Lane.



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- c) Clerk reported that the new website is now under construction and will bring a draft to October meeting.
- d) Drain holes in the wall at Dalton Business Centre were blocked, but have now been cleared.
Sand box on Vicarage lane needs to be repositioned.
Sand box on Glebe Close needs clearing of ivy.
- e) Cllr Rowley reported that the swing was broken on the play area.

14) TO NOTE COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED

Email received from a resident requesting 'Kidnappers Lane, be cut back. Cllr Rogers informed the Council that has already been done.

Email has been received from SLDC confirming that South Lakeland District Council adopted the Development Brief Supplementary Planning Documents (SPDs) from Phase 3A of their programme of development briefs.

15) DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next Parish Council Meeting will be held in the Memorial Hall on **Thursday 19th October** at 7.30pm.

The meeting closed at 8.25pm

Schedule of communications received from 14th August

By email forwarded to Councillors:

CALC Newsletter

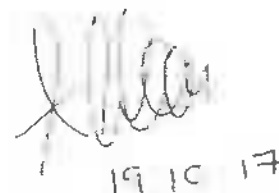
Rural Services Network News

CVS Newsletter

CALC Circulation

Copy of email sent to Tim Farron from a resident regarding HGV and speeding through the village.

Revocation of Tree Preservation Order



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