BURTON-IN-KENDAL PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Thursday 21st February 2020 in the Memorial Hall, Burton-in-Kendal

PRESENT: Cllrs. P Rogers, A. Wren, J. Hopwood, D. Haigh, C. Nolan, G. Isherwood, and M. Taylor

Also present: County Councillor R. Bingham, District Cllrs B. Cooper and T. Harvey and Parish Clerk C. Davidson

PUBLIC IN ATTENDANCE: 9 member of the public was present.

1) APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Parish Councillors Mason-Hornby and Colyer.

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

- a) The Chairman read out the Police Report:
 14th Jan 2 vehicles broken into in Burton tools stolen from one and offenders unable to access tools in the other. Enquiries ongoing
 20th Jan Quad bike stolen from farm building in Burton enquiries ongoing
 30th Jan complaints received about cold calling sales people in Burton and Holme, offenders had left area prior to patrols arriving.
- b) The Chairman reported that he and Cllr Hopwood had attended a meeting with District Councillor Harvey and the SLDC Planning Officers regarding Church Bank Gardens development. The site is in receivership and discussions have been held with the Receivers over the completion of the site without further delay and prioritising remedying the planning contraventions.

5) OPEN FORUM

A group of Church Bank residents attended the meeting to discuss the Church Bank development and to get an update on the current situation and how the issues are going to be resolved. After much discussion and it was agreed that District Councillor Harvey would arrange a meeting with residents, appoint a spokesperson and arrange a further meeting with the Planning Department, Parish Council and Receivers.

6) PLANNING APPLICATIONS

Applications Received SL2020/0034 Crow Trees, Burton-in-Kendal Replacement Rear Conservatory No comments or objections

SL2020/0022 13 Morewood Drive, Burton-in-Kendal Application withdrawn

7) COUNTY & DISTRICT COUNCILLOR REPORTS

Councillor Bingham reported that he had secured £6000 for road improvements in Burton and Holme Area.

There was a 2.5% increase in Council Tax

More police have been recruited and more PSCOs have been recruited Local Plan for development is up for renewal.

Councillor Cooper informed the Council that he was finding out about environmentally friendly modular homes.

8) RESPONSE TO THE SOUTH LAKELAND LOCAL PLAN REVIEW

It was agreed that this would be put on March agenda.

9) IMPROVEMENTS TO THE SQUARE EAST

BT will not remove the phone box as they have evidence it is still used. This will be reviewed by them again in 2021.

Councillor Rogers was going to look into a new waste bin and Councillor Nolan and/or Wren would look at swapping the dog waste bag dispensers.

Discussion took place about marked parking bays, no decision was made.

10) FINANCE

The Council received the Income and Expenditure

2019/20 Income to Date	
2019/20 Expenditure to date	£37,592.27
Difference (£	£18,936.27)
Balance b/f from 1/4/19	£25,325.60
Carried forward	£6,389.33

Councillors Rogers and Hopwood were authorised to approve the following online payments:

a) Lengthman's hours and expenses £95.00 b) Clerk's Salary £307.80

11) TO REVIEW AND UPDATE OUTSTANDING ITEMS

No	Item	Reported	Action	Status
		by		
1	B4RN	FMH		Ongoing
2	PSiCA	JH/CN		See below
3	Church Plaque	JH		On order
4	Slape Lane			£1000 still ringfenced for
				Slape Lane
5	VE Day	JH		School & History Society

12) LENGTHSMAN'S LOG, REVIEW OF ACTION ITEMS AND REPORTS FROM PARISH COUNCILLORS AND CLERK

- a) Cllr Nolan reported on flooding issues, many blocked drains and the worst being raised tarmac on Tanpits Lane. Peter Hosking responded very quickly. Meeting arranged next week to do a walk around of the village.
- b) Cllr Taylor requested again the costings of the extra works in the Square.
- c) Cllr Wren reported wood yard lorries using the village again. Clerk to chase up a reply.
- d) Cllr Hopwood reported a huge blast from the quarry recently. Will arrange a Liaison meeting with the Quarry as soon as possible as they have not met for a while.

There has been a Key Stakeholder meeting recently with regard to the PSiCA – there hasn't been much take up of the Building Repair Grants – still 12 months to apply. Design statement is being amended. Works are proceeding slowly, there have been issues with services and drains not due to contractors.

e) Cllr Rogers reported the pavement near Ivy Barn had at last been repaired.

Met with Peter Cummings who was concerned the amount of firework debris after last years bonfire night including glass shards – asked that this was looked into before fireworks ordered this November.

13. TO RECEIVE AND ACTION COMMUNICATION RECEIVE

None

14. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The Annual Parish Council Meeting will be on 19th March at 7.15pm followed by the March Parish Council Meeting.

The meeting closed at 8.55pm

Schedule of communications received from 12th January 2020

- a. CALC Newsletter
- b. Rural Services Network News
- c. CVS Newsletter
- d. CALC Circulation
- e. SLDC South Lakeland Local Plan Review Briefing Information
- f. SLDC South Lakeland Local Plan Launch details

GLOSSARY OF ABBREVIATION

CALC	Cumbria Association of Local Councils
CCC	Cumbria County Council
LAP	Local Area Partnership
LDF	Local Development Framework
NALC	National Association of Local Councils
SLDC	South Lakeland District Council
PSiCA	Partnership Scheme in Conservation Area
ICO	Information Commissioners Office
KSG	Key Stakeholders Group