BURTON-IN-KENDAL PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Thursday 19th March 2020 in the Memorial Hall, Burton-in-Kendal

PRESENT: Cllrs. A. Wren, C. Nolan, G. Isherwood, and S. Colyer, F. Mason-Hornby Also present Parish Clerk C. Davidson

PUBLIC IN ATTENDANCE: NONE

1) ELECT A CHAIRMAN

Due to the recent resignation of Chairman, Councillor Isherwood proposed that Councillor Wren was elected as Chairman and this was unanimously agreed.

2) APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Parish Councillors J. Hopwood, M. Taylor, D. Haigh and P. Rogers

3) DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND APPLICATIONS FOR DISPENSATION None

4) MINUTES OF THE LAST PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD

The previous minutes were approved and signed by the Chairman.

5) RECEIVE ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM CHAIRMAN

Police Report was read out although most of the reported crimes were not in the Parish.

a) Crimes of note in the area 1st to 29th February (29 crimes recorded for February)

- b) 28th Jan Kirkby Lonsdale store victim of fraud when a male bought goods using a fraudulent cheque for payment.
- c) 3rd Feb Criminal damage reported to a motor vehicle in Endmoor when two tyres were damaged.
- d) 3rd Feb Residential property on Fairfield Kirkby Lonsdale broken into, untidy search but nothing believed stolen.
- e) 5th Feb Eight lodges at Endmoor broken into by smashing windows, various items stolen.
- f) 8th Feb Residential burglary at Gatebeck, large value of jewelry and Army medals stolen.
- g) 9th Feb Male forced entry to residential property in New Huitton, untidy search but nothing thought to be missing.
- h) 11th Feb Three properties at Barrows Green broken into various items taken.
- i) 13th Feb Burglary at residential property in Natland untidy search and items stolen.
- j) 15th Feb Burglary at residential property in Sedgwick untidy search and a jacket stolen.

- k) 21st Feb Shop premises at Endmoor broken into, cash and tobacco products stolen.
- 1) 21st Feb two twelve foot metal gates stolen from the county show field Crooklands.

6) OPEN FORUM

No members of the public were present

7) PLANNING APPLICATIONS

Applications Received SL2020/0153 Fern Bank Main Street, Burton-in-Kendal Replacement of existing front door with Georgian Style 6 panel wooden front door. No comments or objections.

8) COUNTY & DISTRICT COUNCILLOR REPORTS

No councillors present.

9) TO FORMULATE AN EMERGENCY PLAN FOR DEALING WITH ISSUES WITH CORONAVIRUS IN THE COMMUNITY

It was agreed that a volunteer group would be co ordinated by Clerk Christine Davidson along with resident Lesley Bailey. They would put notifications in the Burton News and leaflet the village. Cllr Isherwood had a list of volunteers.

10) TO FORMULATE A RESPONSE TO THE SLDC LOCAL PLAN REVIEW

Deferred to a later date.

11) TO DISCUSS TRAFFIC CALMING MEASURES IN THE VILLAGE

Deferred to a later date

12) FINANCE

The Council received the Income and Expenditure

2019/20 Income to Date	£18656.00
2019/20 Expenditure to date	£38241.27
Difference	(£19585.57)
Balance b/f from 1/4/19	£25,325.60
Carried forward	£5740.33

Councillors Wren and Colyer were authorised to approve the following online payments:

a)	Lengthman's hours and expenses	£85.50
b)	Clerk's Salary	£307.80
c)	Cooper Engraving – Remembrance Plaque	£256.00

13) TO REVIEW AND UPDATE OUTSTANDING ITEMS

No	Item	Reported	Action	Status
		by		
1	B4RN	FMH		Ongoing
2	PSiCA	JH/CN		Almost complete in Square
3	Church Plaque	JH		Ducketts mounted on oak
				board now waiting for
				convenient time to fix
4	Slape Lane			£1000 still ringfenced for
				Slape Lane
5	VE Day	JH		School & History Society

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

- a) Cllr Nolan reported drains at the Tannery. Work has been completed but further works will be required.
- b) Cllr Rogers sent his report Kerb at Dalton Lane has been repaired by Highways. Lengthsman and Cllr Rogers have cleared most gully grids, grips and smoot holes and soakaways in the rural parts of the Parish.
 - Large amount of plastic has been cleared from under cars and hedges following flooding at Clawthorpe.
 - Railway sleeper repositioned up Boon Town Lane.
 - Mrs Barkley informed Councillor Rogers that the Gazette had not been publishing her reports but not sure why.
 - He had also been informed of a Mountain Bike theft in the village.
- c) Cllr Isherwood mentioned the building materials being positioned on the grass verge at the bottom of Boon Town and that it was causing damage to the grass. A photo will be taken and the resident informed that the verge needs to be rectified after the work has been completed.

13. TO RECEIVE AND ACTION COMMUNICATION RECEIVE

None

14. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next Parish Council meeting is due to be held on Thursday 16th April, however this may not go ahead due to the Covid 19 situation.

The meeting closed at 8.15pm

Schedule of communications received from 12th January 2020

- a. CALC Newsletter
- b. Rural Services Network News
- c. CVS Newsletter

GLOSSARY OF ABBREVIATIONS

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