Dunham-on-Trent with Ragnall, Darlton & Fledborough Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Tuesday 9th February 2016 at 7.00 pm in Dunham & District Millennium Centre

Present: Cllr. L. Sharpe (Chairperson), Cllr. M. Barden, Cllr. P. Marsh, Cllr. K Watkinson, Cllr. R. Grimes, Cllr. I. Oakden. District Councillor Keith Isard BDC Community Safety Coordinator, Gerald Connor. PC Bill Bailey Mrs Gill Culverwell attended as Clerk

15/16/96 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

An apology for absence was submitted by DCIIr Shirley Isard, which was accepted by the Council.

15/16/97 INTENTION TO RECORD THE MEETING

No recording to take place.

15/16/98 TO RECEIVE DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No interests declared

15/16/99 MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE COUNCIL

Resolved: The minutes of a general meeting of the Council, held on Tuesday 8th December 2015, were received and approved as a correct record.

15/16/100 POINTS OF INFORMATION RELATING TO THE ABOVE MINUTES

No points raised

Chairman Cllr Sharpe reported that the dog fouling was still an issue, an article would be published in the next Trentsider highlighting the dangers to cattle.

15/16/101 CRIME AND POLICING

PC Bailey gave an updated of crimes over the past including incidents at Caldicott

Chair Cllr Sharpe reported that there was evidence of drug taking at the back of the Village Hall

Chair, Cllr Sharpe brought forward item 10 inviting Gerald Connor Bassetlaw District Council's Community Safety Coordinator to speak. Following a discussion where Members aired their views regarding the running of Caldicott. Mr Connor advised speaking directly with Social Services.

Mr. Connor would contact Caldicott on behalf of the Council.

The Clerk would contact the director of Social Services and invite them to a Council meeting.

15/16/102 ACCOUNTS

Resolved: That the Accounts, totalling £428.76, be approved for payment.

15/16/103 BANK RECONCILIATION

Members received the bank reconciliation statement to 20th January 2016, which showed a balance of £23,589.36.

15/16/104 BUDGET 2016/17

Resolved:

- (a) That the Budget be approved in accordance with the spreadsheet circulated showing an increase of $\pounds 1.38$ on a property Band D this equates to a 3% increase.
- (b) That the precept be set at ± 10157 .
- (c) That donations would be to Churchyards £750, Village Hall £500, Fledgelings Playgroup £500.00, Senior citizens £300, Trentsider £100, and assume £1700 for the Lengthsman would be forthcoming from BDC.

15/16/105 TO DISCUSS CALDICOTT

See minute 15/16/101

15/16/106 LENGTHSMAN REPORT

The drains clearing to rectify the Flooding at Roberts Close still needs repairing. Highways noted the drains need inspecting and would be carrying out investigations in the new financial year.

The Clerk to update the residents of Roberts Close

15/16/107 LITTERPICKER REPORT

No litter picker present

15/16/108 RISK REVIEW AND ASSET INSPECTION INCLUDING ACCIDENTS

Roberts Close, flooding problems -ongoing

Cllr Oakden reported that poor state of the Fledborough Road along the road to the church where pot holes are becoming dangerous when submerged.

The Clerk would submit the photographs provided to Highways

A flood warden volunteer has registered

15/16/109 SUPPORT LOCAL COMMUNITIES FUND –COCKETTS HILL UPDATE

Notification would be by the end of April

15/16/110 CORRESPONDENCE ARRIVING AFTER THE AGENDA WAS PRINTED

Gainsborough Council attending next months meeting.

15/16/111 PLANNING

No Applications