

CLAYWORTH PARISH COUNCIL

| Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting | |
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| | <p>A Meeting of Clayworth Parish Council was held in the Memorial Hall on Tuesday 10th March 2020 at 8pm.</p> <p>Present were: Councillors J Hunter Shaw (Chair), M. Booth, J Booth, M. Lynam, C Myers and P Wilkinson.</p> <p>Also in attendance: T. Taylor (County Councillor), B. Sofflet (District Councillor) and C. Hollands (Clerk)</p> |
| 139 | <p>Police Report</p> <p>PCSO Airey gave an update on local crime and Policing. There has been no crime reported for the month of February. Elsewhere in the District there has been a noticeable increase in Vehicle crime, both theft of and theft from Vehicles, and Wildlife crime. Police recently responded to an incident in Wheatley Road and whilst there was no evidence of Wildlife related offences having been committed, a vehicle was seized. PCSO Airey also warned of the need to take care with the security of outbuildings and garden equipment as we approach the Spring season.</p> |
| 140 | <p>District Councillors Report</p> <p>At a recent District Council Meeting there was a proposal to advertise Firework Events before hand and other measures to limit the nuisance caused were discussed. The District Council gave thanks to the Emergency Services for their response during the recent flooding. Some tips for Rural areas during the current Corona Virus outbreak were also discussed.</p> |
| 141 | <p>County Councillors Report</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The increase in Council Tax from the County perspective has been set at 3.99%. This consists of a 1.99% capped increase plus 2% ring-fenced for Adult Social Care. • There are currently 907 children in care in the County and there is a push to increase awareness and participation in this area. • There is a new 'My Notts App' that has been launched. • The County Council is the lead Flood Authority. A strategic review is expected when the current situation changes. • Wheatley Road. Following up on a previous report of tarmac being tipped irresponsibly, the County Council has not commissioned any works in the area so it seems those responsible may have been private contractors. • The question of additional signs for Wheatley Road is still outstanding as the necessary work-streams have not as yet been fixed. • Mill Lane. Drainage works in the street have been completed and the road is programmed to be resurfaced next Month. This will be in two phases as the section past Unity Coaches requires a different sort of surface preparation. |
| 142 | <p>Public Session</p> <p>A resident raised several concerns including the responsibility for ditches in the Village and a question as to whether the Flood Working Party Report would be circulated around the Village. It was agreed that any Final Report would, once agreed by the Parish Council, be made public. Meetings are planned with representatives from the Council and Water Authorities to glean their expertise.</p> |
| 143 | <p>Apologies for absence</p> <p>None</p> |

Signed(Chairman).....Date

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| 144 | Declarations of interest None |
| 145 | Minutes It was agreed that the minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 11 th February 2020, having been circulated, be accepted as a true and correct record. The Council approved the minutes and the Chairman duly signed them. |
| 146 | Matters arising from the minutes None |
| 147 | Finance a. A report on the Bank balances was noted. b. Payments Sharpe Group Ltd – Monthly Website Charge £30 (101361) NALC – Annual Subscription £87.30 (101362) |
| 148 | Correspondence 1. A letter from the Five Villages First Responders thanking the Parish Council for the Grant. 2. Five e mails received from local Residents setting out their thoughts on the Bassetlaw Local Plan. The main points were summarised by the Chairman. 3. It was agreed that various items of general correspondence will be circulated to Councillors for their attention and information. |
| 149 | Bassetlaw Achievers Award A nomination considered by the Parish Council has already been submitted from the individuals own Parish. |
| 150 | Wiseton Road Traffic Signs and Verges. The County Councillor advised that the current Road Signs are in appropriate positions. The problems currently encountered with vehicles increasing speed before leaving the Village is a matter of poor Driver behaviour and one that may be addressed by Police. A Traffic Regulation Order would be needed to extend the 30mph Speed Limit out of the Village. Traffic Monitoring has been requested. This will give information on the volume and speed of traffic and this information will determine any consideration to extend the 30mph limit. The Clerk informed the Meeting that the County Council has disputed responsibility for the part of the verge previously identified as an issue. The Clerk will forward a copy of the email received from the County Council to the County Councillor for follow up action. |
| 151 | Bassetlaw Local Plan The Chairman asked if there were any queries or clarification needed about the content of a Draft Consultation Comment/Proposal that has been circulated to Councillors. Comment was made that nothing really alters from the current situation and Clayworth status as a Conservation Village. The Housing Allocation is essentially a Government initiative that has been cascaded down to District Council level and then shared out amongst the various Parishes. All agreed that the draft Comment/Proposal be submitted to the District Council. |
| 152 | Emergency Planning. The need to have an Emergency Plan in place was agreed. The Working Group proposed Emergency Plan document has been circulated and sets out the main risks and contacts for the Village. There are still some gaps and it was agreed that a Final Draft will be circulated prior to being published on the Parish Council website. The roles and responsibilities of those persons |

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| | mentioned in the Document will be discussed with the individuals concerned. The location of the Emergency Supplies Container is to be reviewed and discussed further at the next Parish Council meeting. |
| 153 | Flood Prevention There was a general discussion about a Report completed by the Working Group that aimed to identify the problems in the Village and the action needed to address them. It was agreed that there is a need to get the respective Organisations 'on side' and Meetings with representatives from the Isle Of Axholme Authority and County Council have been arranged. |
| 154 | Planning Applications 1. 20/00127/HSE. Cumbria Cottage, Town Street, Clayworth. Remove existing Timber Shed and replace with Timber Office. 2. 20/00266/HSE. The Croft, Town Street, Clayworth. Erect Conservatory. The Parish Council has no objections to these proposals and no comment to make. |
| 155 | Any Other Business None |
| 156 | Date and time of the next meeting It was agreed that the next Parish Council meeting would be held on Tuesday 14 th April 2020 in the Memorial Hall at 8pm. The Deputy Chairman closed the meeting at 855pm. |

Signed(Chairman).....Date