

BLACKTOFT PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD MONDAY 15 MAY 2017 7.08PM THE OLD SCHOOL, BLACKTOFT

1.APOLOGIES

Mr G Sweeting

Mr D Turner

Mr M Bayston

PRESENT

Mr K Gilson

Mr R Thompson

Mr N Marshall

Mr P A Nicholson – chairman

Mr A Hughes

Cllr V Aitken

Mr M Falkingham

Cllr L Bayram

3.CO-OPTION OF A NEW MEMBER – it was resolved for Mr Alan Hughes from Faxfleet be co-opted onto the Parish Council.

4.CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS PARISH COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES – APRIL 2017 – it was resolved to sign these as a true record.

5.ANY OUTSTANDING ITEMS FROM PREVIOUS PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS MINUTES – for information only – none.

6.PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

- Cllr L Bayram enquired as to whether or not the proposed pumping station was still going ahead.
- Cllr L Bayram enquired as to whether or not there was any further action being taken regarding the improvements to the river bank (following the tidal surge to prevent overtopping in the future) following meetings with David Davis MP.

7.CORRESPONDENCE a. For noting and b. For action

- ERYC – tackling anti social behaviour
- ERYC – Crime breakdown
- CLERKS & COUNCILS DIRECT – magazine
- SPLASH WARDENS – Environment Agency
- Village of the Year
- ER Local Councils Network – minutes and agenda

8.HIGHWAYS/PATHS/DYKES

Mr A Hughes enquired about the grass cutting on the road side verges in Faxfleet. The Clerk to contact the ERY Council.

Traffic leaving the tile works, Tongue Lane and the industrial estate – The Clerk to investigate what else can be done.

Verge overrun at Thornton House – ERYC is still looking into the matter. The Clerk to repeat the request.

9.PLANNING

Planning applications:

17/00815/STPLF - erection of extension to existing factory, a clay storage building and an open storage area, relocation of existing chimney stack, access road and landscape bund. Sandtoft Roof Tiles – 47 files to view. The parish council had no observations or objections to make.

10.FINANCES

Accounts to pay:

S E NICHOLSON	234.60
S WALKER	15.00
HMRC	46.20
ICO	35.00

Receipts:

Precept – first half	£3,250.00
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Transfer:

£3,000.00 from current account to business reserve account

11.DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING

Monday 19 June 2017 7.30pm The Old School, Blacktoft.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 7.35pm.

CHAIRMAN