

Rainton with Newby Parish Council
Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting
12th December 2017

Present: Councillors M Harwood (Chairman), C Egerton, D McCabe, J Williams, O Jones and M Jones

In Attendance: Cllr B Bateman and A Little (Clerk)

Members of the Public: 0

17/122 Opening Address

The Chairman welcomed everyone present.

No notification had been received from any person of the intention to record, film or broadcast the meeting. An audio recording was being made of this meeting.

17/123 Apologies for Absence and Declarations of Interest

Apologies for absence received from Cllr Pallot and County Cllr Atkinson.

17/124 Members of the Public's Comments/Observations

None

Cllr Bateman updated the council on Harrogate Local Plan which is due to be approved at Full Council in December. He reiterated the comments of the Parish council that it is disappointing that planning had been passed in the village but that it was difficult for Harrogate to refuse housing applications when there is a huge shortfall in the area.

17/125 Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting held on 14th November 2017

The minutes were signed as a correct record, proposed by Cllr McCabe and seconded by Cllr Jones with the addition of the agreed precept figure.

17/126 Chairman's Report

Planning and Enforcement Matters

Land Registry Paperwork was sent as agreed and the council will be updated when they arrive.

Cllr Harwood had received a call from someone wishing to purchase land in the village affected by the electricity pole that was due to be relocated. Clerk to chase written response about this.

Highways

Replacement of Footpaths was requested by a parishioner and comments passed to Highways at NYCC. They have replied that there is no plan to resurface the paths in Rainton as they are in a reasonable condition.

Water

The draining board consultancy visited and stated the issues were not actually to do with them but raised concerns about foul water flowing into Carr Lane. The Environment Agency have provided an incident hotline number and this will be put in the village newsletter.

17/127 Planning

None

17/128 Finance

Appendix ii

Resolved all payments be approved

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17/129 New Agenda Items

A gate has been put in along the lane from Sleights Lane to Southfield Farm. This has been done to discourage trespassers and poachers. It is not locked therefore causes no issue for the villagers or Parish Council.

17/130 Correspondence

None

17/131 Members Reports

None

17/132 Next Meeting

To confirm the time and date of the next meeting of the Parish Council as Tuesday 9th January 2018 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall

Meeting closed at 8.04pm

Appendix i – Ongoing items

Update on Planning and Enforcement Matters
Yorkshire Water Issues with flooding and effluent
Footpaths

Appendix ii - Finance
Receipts

£
0.00

Payments for approval

C M A Little	Clerk's Salary	183.62
T Imeson	Christmas Tree	100.00