

Minutes of the Parish Council meeting of Skellingthorpe Parish Council held on Tuesday 22nd February 2022 at 7.00pm at Community Centre under Covid Rules

Present: Cllr Bunnage (Chair), Cllrs: C Lamb, C Coyle-fox, T Richardson, J Thorn, R Thorn, B Wormleighton, C Shaw C Nicholds and J Crockatt

County Councillor M Thompson, District Councillor Goldson

Clerks: L. Skinner and M Rouston

Visitors: D Butler, L Fear, P and Mike Connock

### **1. Apologies for absence and reasons given.**

District Cllr Johnston (Work)

**2. To receive any declarations of interest in accordance with the requirements the Localism Act 2011, and to consider any applications for dispensations in relation to disclosable pecuniary interest:** None

**3. To Inspect the Parish Council Insignia – Inspected**

**4. Approve Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting of the 24<sup>th</sup> January 2022**

Proposed and seconded to accept the minutes with all in favour  
**Motion Carried**

**5. Chairs Report** Chair thanked all Councillors for attending this meeting in the Parish Office due to Covid restrictions being lifted. She advised that as County Cllrs M Thompson had to attend a further Parish meeting she would ask him to give his report now and passed over to him.

### **Report from County Cllr M Thompson**

Rendering Plant: Spoke on the Leo Group application which was agreed 2021 with Conditions on S106 which had to be signed, as this was not signed it went back to committee but was then signed before the deadline and permission granted. This has to be started within 3 years of the grant of permission.

LCC full Council meeting: This was to debate the on the county budget 22/23 discussion on Adult Social Care and Highways and then a further 2% increase was agreed equating to £52 pa on the Band D house. Cllr Thompson took a question from Cllr Shaw and then left the meeting.

**6. Clerks Report** Clerk advised Council on a letter from Skellingthorpe Scouts regarding trees to be planted to commemorate Queens Platinum Jubilee, this was discussed to the fact the Council had no land to be utilized with perhaps a request to Daisy Made farm. Clerks to Reply.

Platinum Beacon requirements on checking for Health and Safety, and also spoke on the Jubilee Tart for this event. Cllr Samms resignation, and standing orders were suspended to allow Dave Butler to speak on his idea for a new building to replace Pavilion and Bowls Club building using S106 monies. This to be brought to a further meeting, dates to be confirmed.

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**7. Financial Matters** a) Resolve to approve Accounts for January 22. It was proposed and seconded with all in favour to approve. **Motion Carried**

### **8. Receive reports from representatives of Outside Bodies**

County Councillor M Thompson report as above.

District Councillor Goldson spoke on Western Growth, which he felt had been a long battle, but this was passed by Lincoln City Council, expressing his disappointment on the outcome as felt it was detrimental to Skellingthorpe and was disappointed that it had not been called in by the Secretary of State. He is looking forward to the Residents meeting on the 16<sup>th</sup> March and felt Council needed to go to the meeting with some format and ideas themselves and supported D Butler's proposal District Councillor Goldson will attend the meeting. He then answered a question from Cllr Shaw regarding S106 monies.

**9. Community Centre Update** – Standing Orders were suspended for Mr Connock to speak, who advised more paperwork had been received from Solicitors and returned. There was a requirement for a meeting with the Trustees. Identity checks completed on the RFO and Chair of Parish Council for the lease, but still awaiting further information with the hopes all will be completed by the 1<sup>st</sup> April 2022

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**10. Speedwatch/Complaints.** Clerks advised that they had received complaints from residents, and also further names had been received to take part in the Speedwatch campaign. Cllr Lamb advised if we had at least 10 persons willing, then to take this further. He asked the Clerks to find out how many volunteers were on Harby village panel. Cllr Wormleighton also spoke on this subject. It was agreed to bring this back to next meeting to set a budget, with Clerks to find out costings for equipment and training.

**March Agenda**

**11. Report from Planning Chair** 3 applications for planning had been received. Chair advised there had been no objections on each of these. Approval for a Holiday Let in the Old Wood had gone ahead by NKDC. Spoke on the trees owned by The Hall at the approach to the village, also the approval on the Rendering Plant that had been accepted with conditions.

**12 Events report by Events Chair** – Notes from this had been circulated to all councillors. Gala was progressing. Platinum Picnic flyers to be produced, and Full Council was asked to approve a budget of £300 to cover First Aid and a donation to person proving music for the event. Proposed and Seconded with all in favour for this budget amount to be set.

**13. Future Council Meeting Dates**

Residents meeting date to discuss future facilities for Village 16 <sup>th</sup> March 7pm – CC	Noted
Annual Parish Meeting 26 <sup>th</sup> April 2022 in Community Centre 7pm	Noted
Annual Council Meeting 31 <sup>st</sup> May 2022 in Parish Office 7pm	Noted

<b>14. Correspondence a)</b> Email from Resident re Pavements	Noted
<b>b)</b> Email regarding 2023 review on Parliamentary boundaries	Noted


**15. Approved articles for Skellingthorpe Matters**

Cllr Wormleighton asked for an article on recent vandalism in the village to be placed into next month’s edition and gave information on litterbins being ripped off posts in playing field area.

District Councillor Goldson advised of NKDC Anti Social Behaviour department at NKDC and gave RFO details. All events should be reported to them to ensure correct records are kept.

**16. To move into closed session in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to meetings) Act 1960. Not Required**

Meeting Closed at 8.10pm

Signature.....  ..... Chair

Date ..... 29<sup>th</sup> March 2022 .....