

KIRMINGTON & CROXTON PARISH COUNCIL
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Minutes of the meeting of Kirmington & Croxton Parish Council, held on Tuesday 4th November, 2014, at 7.30pm, at Kirmington Bowls Club.
Present - Cllr Wells, Cllr Page, Cllr Walton, Cllr Marsden, Cllr Gallimore, Cllr Bridges, Cllr D'Souza, Cllr Peter Clark, 1 member of the public.

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01.11.14- To note Apologies for Absence

Cllr Hannigan

02.11.14 - Declarations of Interest need to be remade and recorded in the minutes even if an interest has been declared in the register

Cllr Wells declared a personal interest in any item on the agenda in connection with North Lincolnshire Council, as he is a Representative.
Cllr Marsden declared a personal interest in any Airport or Aviation issues, as he works in the Aviation Industry; he also declared an interest in Bristow Helicopters as he is undertaking some consultancy work. Cllr Marsden declared an interest on item 06.11.14, as he works in the Airport Industry and is a Member of the Airport Consultative Committee. Cllr Marsden declared an interest on item 09.11.14, regarding highway issues on the C137, as he owns a property accessed by this road.
Cllr D'Souza declared a personal interest in any item on the agenda in connection with North Lincolnshire Council, as he is an Employee.

03.11.14- To confirm the minutes of the meetings held on 7th October 2014

These were confirmed as a true and accurate record. Proposed by Cllr Bridges, seconded by Cllr Walton.

04.11.14 - Public Participation

None

05.11.14 - To receive the Chairmans Report - an update on decisions taken at previous meetings

All items are covered on the agenda.

Cllr D'Souza attended the meeting at this point.

06.11.14 - To receive an update from the Airport Consultative Committee meeting and Noise Monitoring

The next meeting is scheduled for 26th November. Cllr Marsden should be able to attend.

Planning Permission has been granted for the permanent hotel.

British Aerospace is opening a 'training school' at the Airport which will bring more employment to the area.

The September noise monitoring figures are all acceptable within the Government guidelines.

07.11.14 (a) - To receive any updates from NATS and discuss any items to be raised at the next NATS meeting and any further Police Matters and any updates on Country & Wildlife Crime

No representatives were available to attend the latest meeting.

There were no local issues reported within the minutes.

Wildlife Crime - Humberside and Lincolnshire Police are jointly resumed their patrols. 3 poachers were recently caught and had their 3 cars confiscated, at Hibaldstow, Worlaby and Isle of Axholme. The offenders were from the Yorkshire area. The AGN of this group is due to be held on 11.11.14 and Cllr Marsden will attend.

(b) - To consider a Representative for a Fire Warden

The Parish Council has no building, so have decided this is not required.

However, the Bowls Club which is hired to hold the meetings does require signage and more than 1 fire exit. Clerk and Cllr Walton to speak to the Representative to arrange.

08.11.14 - To receive a report from Local Councillors updating the Parish Council on activities within North Lincolnshire Council and determine further action

Cllr Clark informed the Melton Ross bridge has recently been surveyed and is in a worse state than originally thought. There are 2 options - either repair at a cost of £2-3 million or install a new bridge at a cost of £6 million.

Police are now enforcing the weight limit, with 35 HGV's caught within a 2 hour period.

North Lincolnshire Council and MP Martin Vickers are applying for funding from Whitehall and better signage also.

09.11.14 - (a) To consider any further Highways matters within the Parish for the Clerk to take up with North Lincolnshire Council

Cllr Bridges expressed concerns of the tailbacks the Melton Ross bridge

diversion is causing. He stated the signage and diversion is not working. Cllr Gallimore advised she has informed Wayne Hill of this issue. Cllr D'Souza advised he has discussed the signage issue with Steve Harrison and new clearer signage should be in place soon.

IT WAS RESOLVED - Clerk to write to MP Martin Vickers and express Parish Council concerns, ask him what the Government is going to do about this bridge and the timescales involved. Cllr Page proposed 2 Parish Councillors arrange to meet MP Martin Vickers to discuss this further near the bridge to see the actual issues. Clerk to request.

Kirmington High Street - There is major parking problems at the school. The faded road markings need renewing. Clerk to request. The school would like double yellow lines opposite the school, but Cllr Wells informed the school would need to request these.

Cllr Wells will chase up Steve Harrison for the signage as promised for the High Street.

Clerk read out reply from Environmental Health Dept at North Lincolnshire Council regarding lighting issue on the C137 advised they are in discussions with the airport to resolve this issue. Cllr Marsden declared a personal interest as he is working with Bristow Helicopters.

(b) - To discuss the weight limit - Kirmington High Street and the C137 North of Kirmington Crossroads to Croxton B1211

IT WAS RESOLVED - Clerk to request 7.5 tonne weight limit for Kirmington High Street, Eastend and on the road from Kirmington - Croxton and the back of Croxton Church.

(c) - Any updates on Kirmington Village signs

These will be ordered during November, if no response from Wayne Hill at North Lincolnshire Council against them being erected.

10.11.14 - To receive planning decisions made by North Lincolnshire Council and consider any planning applications received where comments have to be submitted before the next meeting

No new planning.

11.11.14 - Any Updates on Singleton Birch AD Plant

Cllr Gallimore reported the season has ended and the traffic has reduced. She will obtain further update for the next meeting.

12.11.14 - Any Updates on Pimlico Farm

Cllr Marsden reported an increase in traffic recently, which has now slowed down. He suggested to monitor the traffic in future years.

13.11.14 - To consider Remembrance Day event 2014

Cllr Marsden will be attending the Cenotaph again this year on the Sunday.

Cllr Marsden went through the order of service.

Cllr Page will collect the 2 wreaths and crosses and deliver the crosses to the school.

Clerk to confirm arrangements with Rev'd Mary Vickers. Cllr Wells to confirm with the Bugler.

Cllr Walton will speak to the bell ringer.

Cllr Marsden advised the school have invited people back after the event.

14.11.14 -(a) - To discuss progress on the Playing Field and work to date

Cllr Walton advised the moles are still a problem. Clerk to speak to Xtermin8. They are causing problems with the football pitch.

(b) - To consider any quotations for replacement swing cradles

2 quotes were provided. One from North Lincolnshire Council and one from Newby's. **IT WAS RESOLVED** - to order from North Lincolnshire Council as they were the most competitive. All in favour.

(c) - To consider the proposal of a pavilion on the Playing Field

Keep on agenda

15.11.14 - To discuss any further ideas for the layout of the Parish Council Website

Clerk reported 112 hits for October.

16.11.14 - Any update on the maintenance programme for the telephone box

Cllr D'Souza reported this has now been fully cleaned and repainted.

17.11.14 - Any updates regarding Broadband Speeds in the Parishes

The North Lincolnshire Broadband team will inform us when the villages roll out will begin, as this could be delayed due to the Bridge issues.

Cllr Wells left the meeting at this point.

18.11.14 - Any updates on Manna Food Drops and twinning a village/town

Cllr Marsden advised the first group meeting had been held. Rules and guidelines were laid out. The twinning ceremony will be held as part of the 70 anniversary of Operation Manna in Holland on Saturday May 2nd and there will be 30 invitations sent out for people from Kirmington and those involved with Manna to attend. The RAF Lancaster will be in attendance and a member of the Dutch Royal family will also attend.

The 2 village schools are to set up communicating via a Skype link. The return visit is scheduled in September 2015 in conjunction with the 166 Squadron event which is organised by the 166 Squadron (Immingham) ATC.

It has been a good start so far, making progress.

19.11.14 - Correspondence

Clerk read out email from Kit Read regarding the smells in the fields. Clerk also read out response from North Lincolnshire Council Environmental Health department regarding this. **IT WAS RESOLVED** - Clerk to send Kit Read's response to NLC for them to decide if this is ok.

(b) - To consider request for donation to Kirmington & Croxton Pensioners Lunch

IT WAS RESOLVED - Cllr Marsden will donate £200 from his Chairpersons Allowance. Clerk to put note on website advising of the event for retirement age residents.

20.11.14 - Accounts

October accounts were confirmed as a true and accurate record. Proposed by Cllr Bridges and seconded by Cllr Walton.

21.11.14- Minor Items

Cllr Page advised the Church Clock has recently been serviced and it was reported that next year some major work may need doing. Clerk is waiting for price details.

Cllr Page also informed the Church are looking for funding for a toilet/kitchen facilities. Advised they need to put this in writing as a formal request at least a week prior to the next meeting for consideration. Cllr Page will inform Nicky.

22.11.14- Agenda Items for the next meeting

Cllr Gallimore has requested funds to tidy the seat area in Croxton. She will obtain quotation for the next meeting.

To discuss the quote for repairs for the Church Clock.

23.11.14 - To confirm the date and time of the next meeting as Tuesday
2nd December 2014 at 7.30pm.

This was confirmed.