

Burton Upon Stather Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting, 7pm, 11 July 2016

Village Hall, Todds Lane, Burton Upon Stather

Present: Councillors Craig Allison (Chairman), Cathy Harber, David Faulks, Bill Johnston (Vice Chairman), Michael Peace, Penny Pringle

In attendance: Parish Clerk Kath Jones. Apologies for absence had been received from Ward Councillors Marper, Ogg and Rowson.

Members of the public: 3

Apologies: Councillors Bell, Croft, Thornes and Whittaker.

Public Participation Session. Councillor Allison opened the session at 7.15.

A member of the public had attended to be updated on the School Safety Zone. It was confirmed that, since a report from Ward Councillors was not available, the matter would not be discussed. That member of the public then left the meeting. The Council received an informal presentation from two members of the public as residents of Old Row, Burton Upon Stater. They reported that the street had reached the final of the radio station Viking FM's Happy Street fundraising competition. The Council congratulated their achievement and agreed to take further advice on what material support it would be possible to offer. The two remaining members of the public then left the meeting. Councillor Allison closed the session at 7.30.

Declaration of Interest – Code of Conduct adopted by this council

(a) To record declarations of interest by any member of the council in respect of the agenda items listed below. Members declaring interests should identify the agenda item and type of interest being declared.

(b) To note dispensations given to any member of the council in respect of the agenda items listed below.

Personal interest declared as a member of the Burial Grounds Committee:
Councillors Allison, Faulks, Harber, Johnston, Pringle.

as a member of Burton Playing Field Association: Councillor Harber.

as a member of the Village Hall Committee: Councillor Faulks, Harber and Johnson;

as a member of the Thealby Play Area: Councillor Peace.

Minutes of meetings:

Minutes of the Council Meetings held on Monday 13 June and Monday 27 June 2016, as amended, were signed as a true record. Moved: Cllr Harber. Seconded: Cllr Faulks.

43.16 Reports were received from

- a) Burial Grounds Committee.** Cllr Faulks reported that he had met with the Burial Clerk and arrangements to convene a Committee meeting were in hand.
- b) Village Hall Committee.** Cllr Faulks presented a report on Cllr Croft's behalf. It is anticipated that roofing work will be completed in mid-July. Broadband is being installed on 6 July. The yearly boiler check has been done and a new thermostat and control box are in the kitchen. The application for a Market Licence for the Christmas Fayre on 3 December has been submitted.
- c) Thealby Play Area.** Cllr Peace reported that a new gate has been ordered, to be paid for from the TPA grant, with delivery expected in three weeks. The condition of damaged trees in the Play Area needs specialist assessment. The damaged rear wall has now collapsed and been replaced by a fence.

44.16 In discussion about Highways repairs and related issues, Cllr Peace reported that, because of activity by tankers and turf lorries churning up the verges on Normanby Park wall side, the drains on Burton Road were blocked with silt and need thorough rodding. Also, the wall at Normanby Hall still needs repair and the Overall issue of heavy traffic movement through Thealby is unresolved. He will raise the relevant issues with the Ward Councillor and the Clerk will pursue further. It was noted that the footpath on top of Stather Hill in Burton has not been widened but has been cutback.

45.16. Councillor Johnston reported that a resident dog-owner is inappropriately using the nearby litter bin at the Normanby Road bus stop as a dog waste bin. This is causing a nuisance to neighbours. The Clerk was asked to clarify the enforcement position with Environmental Health and the Dog warden at North Lincs Council.

46.16 Cllr Allison reported he had received a request for a bench seat to be installed overlooking the River Trent between the Brick Ponds and the end of Grays Lane. The Clerk was asked to seek the Environment Agency's view on whether this would be allowed.

47.16 In the absence of Ward Councillors it was agreed to defer discussion of the School Safety Zone to the Council's September meeting.

48.16 Planning applications PA/2016/807 and PA/2016/910 were considered and there was no objection to either.

49.16. Resolved that Appendix One, the list of expenditure 14 June to 11 July 2016, was approved. Moved by Cllr Harber Seconded by Cllr Peace. Payments over £500: Towermint Ltd, £534.36; St Andrews PCC, £588.00; ERNLLCA, £736.46.

Cllrs Allison, Faulks and Johnson signed the mandates revising the Council's Lloyds current account signatories.

Cllr Allison closed the meeting at 8.30

Appendix One: BUSPC Payments and receipts made 13 June to 11 July

Payment ref	Payee	Deposit	In respect of	Amount
1029	Towermint Ltd		Medals for school	534.36
1030	St Andrews PCC		Grasscutting churchyard	588.00
1031	Hallcroft Cards		June newsletter printing	99.20
1032	N Lincs Council		Clerking March PC meeting	106.80
1033	Burton in Bloom		Misc gardening items	322.72
1034	K Sylvester		Grasscutting Burial Grounds & Allotments	280.00
DD	Utility Warehouse		Electricity	14.07
DD	EE and T-mobile		Clerk phone	11.10
1035	D Jacklin		Mole control	120.00
1036	ERNLLCA		16/17 membership	736.46
1037	East Riding Council		J Harrison March pension	306.84
1039	N Lincs Council		Grass cutting April & May	300.00
1040	K Jones		Mileage & Expenses May & June 2016	300.19
1041	SH Somerscales Ltd		Thealby Play Area new gate	279.90
	BUSPC	472.30	Burial plot & Allotment payment	
	BUSPC	Cash transfer	Savings to Current Account	10,000