

# EGGBOROUGH PARISH COUNCIL

## Minutes of the meeting held on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2019 at Eggborough Methodist Church commencing at 7.15pm

Present: Councillor White, Councillor Wright, Councillor Spencer  
Councillor McKenzie, Councillor Johnson

3 Residents

### **V74 Public Participation**

A resident attended to report the foul drainage problems at his property on Selby Road and to see if the Parish Council was aware of them. Yorkshire Water have attended to resolve the issue.

Councillors advised that they were not aware of any problems on Selby Road and requested that the Clerk write to Yorkshire Water to ask if they were aware of the issue and how it was going to be resolved. The Clerk would ask in the letter what the underlying issue was and if there was a long-term solution. Also, what impact further housing developments will have on the system.

A resident attended to invite Councillors to the Remembrance Day service that will be held at the Methodist Chapel. The resident also reported overgrown weeds on the footpath between Station Row and the level crossing and around the Bowmans Mill site

The Clerk will write to Bowmans and NYCC about the weeds

A resident attended to request an update on the noise issue with the Muga on the Village Hall play area and ask if there was the possibility of a Youth Club for older children

There are no Youth Clubs or facilities for older youths in the village. Unfortunately, the Parish Council has yet to find a site in the village for a Youth Shelter

The Clerk will contact the manufacturer of the Muga to request a site visit with Councillor White to look at the issue.

Representatives of Highview Power and RSK Environment Ltd attended the meeting to inform Councillors of a planning application that will be submitted to Selby District Council. The proposed development is for a clean energy storage facility to be sited within the boundary of Eggborough Power Station.

Councillors discussed the proposed plans with the representatives which will be submitted in early 2020

### **V75 To accept apologies for absence and declarations of interest**

Apologies were received from Councillor Stone and Councillor Cotter

#### **Resolved**

To accept the above apologies

**V76 Minutes**

Minutes of the meetings held on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> September were taken as read, approved as a true record and signed by Councillor White.

**V77 Matters arising from the minutes 5/9/19 - for information only**

There were no matters arising

**V78 To consider the following planning decisions****Decisions:**

-Proposed alterations to shop front and extension to stockroom inside/rear yard at Hut Green Stores, Selby Road, Eggborough

**Application granted**

-installation of a new kiosk measuring 6900mm x 3900mm x 2450mm high adjacent to existing substation to house electrical equipment and a new secure fence at Eggborough Power Station, Selby Road, Eggborough

**Application granted**

-Proposed two storey rear extension following demolition of existing conservatory at 7 Aspen Grove Eggborough

**Application granted**

**V79 To consider the following accounts for receipt and payment:****Receipts**

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|------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------|
| Selby District Council | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Instalment Precept | £11687.64 |
| Nat West               | Bank Interest                      | £1.71     |

**Payments**

|                         |                      |         |
|-------------------------|----------------------|---------|
| Mrs C Dobbing           | Clerks salary-Sept   | £311.16 |
| Mrs C Dobbing           | Clerks expenses-Sept | £123.33 |
| Wheelie Clean Bins      | Bus shelter cleaning | £90.00  |
| Bedford Mowing Services | Grass cutting        | £620.59 |
| Methodist Chapel        | Rent                 | £36.00  |
| HMRC                    | PAYE                 | £233.40 |
| Rospa Play Safety       | Inspections          | £339.00 |
|                         | (See Minute No. V48) |         |

**Resolved**

To make all the above payments

The latest CIL statement has been received and any funding requests must be submitted by 4<sup>th</sup> November

Councillor Johnson will undertake a 6-month audit of the accounts

**V80 To discuss the setting up of a Facebook page for the village**

Councillor Wright has spoken to the resident regarding the current Eggborough Facebook page and they have been invited to meetings but have not attended.

**Resolved**

Councillor Wright to set up the Parish Council's own Facebook Page

**V81 To discuss the purchase of an additional litter bin for the Village Hall playing field**

The Clerk contacted Selby District Council to ask if they would install a Target litter bin purchased by the Parish Council on the Village Hall playing field.

Selby District Council have advised that they have a standard of bins that they fit and service within the district, which are detailed on the price list previously provided, therefore they would not be able to fit or service a bin such as this.

**Resolved**

To place an order with Selby District Council for the supply and installation of the BMB/40 litter bin at a cost of £164 + £31.42 fitting + vat, the same bin that is installed on the Westfield play area.

**V82 To discuss the purchase of the Christmas Tree, the installation of the Christmas Lights, hire of the chapel and to confirm the date for singing around the Christmas Tree**

A budget of £1200 for Christmas was agreed at the last budget meeting to cover the cost of the Christmas events this year

The Christmas tree has been ordered as agreed at the last meeting at a cost of £190

Knottingley Silver Band has been booked for 14th December at 6pm and the cost is the same as last year at £125

The installation and removal of the tree lights last year by David Sykes cost £511.20

A donation of £50 was made to the chapel last year for the hire of the chapel on the night and the provision of refreshments

Christmas cards were sent out last year

Bedford Mowing Services charged £90 last year to install and remove and dispose of the Christmas tree

**Resolved**

To send out Christmas Cards again this year and put one from the Parish Council in each of the OAP Christmas parcels

To obtain a quote from Bedfords to install the tree and remove in the New Year

To donate £50 to the Chapel again this year and confirm booking date

To contact David Sykes to install the lights once a date for the delivery of the Christmas tree is known

**V83 To discuss the OAP Christmas Parcels**

Councillors were given a list of the food items in the parcel which was discussed

So far there are 57 names on the list

Last year there were 62 names on the list and the cost from the Spar was £1260.22

**Resolved**

To add cheese spread to the list of items

To request a quote from the Premier for the supply of the parcels

To deliver the parcels on 15th December

**V84 To discuss the purchase of a Vehicle Activated Sign**

Councillor Wright has provided some alternative costings on Vehicle Activated Speed Signs to those provided by NYCC following the meeting with Councillor White

Prices range from £2050 to approx. £3500

Councillors discussed the requirements needed and decided to have one that has a speed sign and says slow down.

### **Resolved**

Councillor Wright will contact NYCC advising of the Parish Council's preference for the Message Maker Display Vehicle Activated Sign at a cost of approx. £3000 + vat and to ask if this would be acceptable.

### **V85 To discuss current highway matters**

The Clerk has contacted NYCC to ask if they would agree to the Parish Council purchasing speed awareness stickers that could be given to residents on certain roads in the village to put on their wheelie bins with the aim of slowing down traffic. No response had been received in time for the meeting.

NYCC have advised they cannot proceed with the request to install the millstones without a foundation drawing

NYCC have advised they would be able to place a sign on a column on the approach to the junction leaving The Maltings Industrial Estate to indicate there is a weight restriction to the left.

NYCC have advised that the block paving installed outside the boundary of a property on Selby Road is illegal. They have written to the resident advising them of this but will not ask that it is removed. However, NYCC will not be liable.

### **Resolved**

The Clerk will contact Roberts to request a meeting with Councillor White to discuss the siting of the millstones and their installation

The Clerk will also contact NYCC for an update on the double yellow lines requested for the junction of Water Lane and Selby Road

### **V86 To receive reports on meetings attended**

-Councillor White reported on the CEF meeting he attended on 19<sup>th</sup> September

-Councillor Johnson had earlier reported on the Peel Energy Centre meeting he attended on 24<sup>th</sup> September. He will forward on information to all Councillors

### **V87 To be informed of correspondence received to date**

-Email from Lightmain regarding Muga

-Letter from resident regarding hedges at High Eggborough

-Email from resident regarding litter in toddler play area at Village Hall

### **V88 Exchange of Information**

Play inspection reports received

Village Hall committee members required

Installation of the seat and reinstallation of the post at the Village Hall play area

Next Newsletter

Grass verge cutting at High Eggborough

### **V89 To be informed of minor items for delegation to the Clerk and items for the next agenda**

None

The meeting closed at 9.45pm

The next meeting will be held on Thursday 7th November