

**Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on Thursday,**

**5 August 2021 at 7.00 pm in the Village Hall, Barmby Moor**

**Present:** Councillors Clark (SC in the Chair), Gregory (JG), Smith (MS), Haynes (CH), Emmison (BE), Robinson (KR). Councillor Sykes (DS – Pocklington Provincial) and Ken D’Arcy (member of the public).

**Apologies:** Received from Councillors Appleton and Wilkinson-Mudd.

**Declaration of Interest from members on any item to be discussed:** None.

**Minutes:** proposed by BE, seconded by CH to approve the minutes of the meeting held on the 1 July, and motion carried. Proposed by JG, seconded by CH to approve the minutes of the Planning meeting held on the 23 July 2021, and motion carried.

**Clerks Report:**

**Burnside, Back Lane** – home owner has asked who is responsible for the beck maintenance in Back Lane where the watercourse runs through properties. ERYC have confirmed it is the responsibility of the riparian owners i.e. land owner each side of the beck. BE will pass this onto the homeowner.

**A1079 highway verges behind 1 Coach House Garth** – complaint received from the homeowner, on how the grass is cut breaking the wild life strip along the verge. Members are happy the way Grounds maintenance maintain this area, but clerk to pass on these concerns to ERYC.

**Keldspring Lane, blocked watercourse** – request for beck clearing and maintenance at the end of this lane. ERYC are not responsible however SC stated the owner of the watercourse lives in Keldspring Lane.

**Report from Pocklington Provincial Councillors:**

**Household waste collection** – DS confirmed the collection dates have changed, every householder should have been informed.

**Burnby Lane Household Waste recycling site** – can only be used by ER residents. The ‘residents pass’ is on the correspondence.

**Devolution** – consultation to be held soon. This will help benefit the ER and Hull CC when applying for major funding.

**Small Community Grant Scheme** – to help get grants for the local community, DS will forward information to the clerk.

**Matters Arising:**

**New Lighting column at bus stop near Thai Restaurant** – has been installed.

**Play Park** – Rospa Play Park inspection sometime during September. Installation date for the damaged slide will be the 8 October. BE confirmed that she and MS had repaired the large gate with a new bolt. Members then discussed new signs for the park, the clerk will get quotes for the next meeting. This included making the public aware the equipment is suitable for children under 12 years of age. BE also asked if three apple trees can be planted at the rear of the park, which members approved.

**Village Seats** – which need wood preservative and rubbing down at the Play Park and St. Helen's Square. Seat near Burtonholme Farm needs painting. Quotation received from Mr. Puckering proposed to accept by CH, seconded by JG and carried.

**Community Speed Watch** – BE reported that 3 new volunteers have been trained. There is also a new Police Inspector who has arranged new rotas, and supporting the speed watch team for 9 weeks whilst collecting data. The data will then be assessed with Traffic Management. There is also a lot of negative feedback from local residents about speeding traffic. Residents of Back Lane have also requested speed checks, BE will erect more 30 mph signs.

**Traffic survey B1246 and Sutton Lane** – negative results. The PC rejected the survey in Main Street due to traffic lights. A new survey has been arranged in September. Traffic Management consider an on-site meeting for engineering calming measures, not within policy until a new survey has been completed. Petitions raised by local residents have been sent to ERYC. Members decided to wait for the results of the new survey.

**Taskforce Walkabout** – any outstanding issues including tree pruning are being chased by the clerk.

**Flat Lane and The School** – works completed near The Orchard and the end of Flat Lane.

**Village Celebration/Queens Platinum Jubilee Celebrations 2022 and Birthday Honours** – Andy Tennant of the Boot & Slipper confirmed he hopes to hold a village celebration on Sunday, 5 June 2022. Clerk to look into road closure at St. Helen's Square and applying for a community grant.

**Litter Bin, Keldspring Lane** - due to be installed in August.

**Beck Maintenance** – maintenance plan requested, information given by Michael Lee of the EA. He will ask colleagues to get in touch for further advice.

**St. Catherine's Church** – ERNLLCA and SC confirmed it is OK for the Parish Council to help maintain the church clock. CH mentioned that the 102 Squadron have given a grant towards the clock in 2020. Local residents have raised concerns about the lack of grass cutting and maintenance in the churchyard. BE reported that a working party have been cutting the grass. Members decided to increase the Precept for 2022 to cover the church clock and increase the grant for hedge cutting and grass cutting.

**Briarsfield parking** – requested by Councillor Wilkinson-Mudd, in MWM's absence will forward to the next meeting. BE raised the concern of the lack of parking spaces in Briarsfield.

**Planters** – requested by a local resident as many seen in nearby villages. Clerk to chase Highways Officer about permission. Clerk to get example of planters and costs.

**Grainger's Pond** – overgrown vegetation at the corner of Back Lane requested by JG. As an active planning application is being processed, members decided to leave for the time being.

**Need for a new screen and projector in the VH**– suggestion from the VH is a 2m wide screen and 1.8m drop. Members to make enquiries on costs.

**102 Squadron Reunion** – dinner at the Gliding Club on Saturday, 4 September which will be attended by MWM. Wreath laying on Sunday, 5 September, CH and KR to check their calendars.

**Keldspring Lane and Back Lane** – cleaning the watercourse of weeds. SC reported that the last house in Keldspring Lane is responsible for beck maintenance in the lane. ERYC have confirmed the watercourse that runs through the gardens of properties between Back Lane and Chapel Street etc. should be maintained by the home owners having riparian rights.

### **Invoices:**

Andy Ross (cleaning bus shelters August x 4 weeks) - £60.00.

Roger Westmoreland (grass cutting July) - £276.00.

Clerks & Councils Direct (award) - £58.80.

East Riding of Yorkshire Council (installation of lighting column) - £2443.45.

Barmby Moor Village Hall (hall hire + PlusNet) - £33.20.

Total Amount in the Bank as from 1 July 2021 = £42575.29.

***Proposed by CH to approve invoices for payment, seconded by MS and carried.***

### **Plans:**

**RS Cockerill, Greenlands Farm, Sutton Lane** – erection of storage building (Ref: 1/02471/PLF)

*No objections to this application, however with the increase in HGV's using Sutton Lane, can ERYC look into a better access /junction onto the A1079? The junction is very dangerous and extremely difficult for vehicles gaining access on to a busy A Road. Several road traffic accidents have occurred at this junction.*

**E.R. Draft Plan** – members discussed the draft plan which had a consultation period recently at the Arts Centre, and was attended by CH, BE and the clerk. As there are no plans for further development outside the boundary, the following observations to be submitted:

*BMPC appreciates that the land bids submitted for building in Barmby Moor Parish have been rejected. This will protect the countryside between Pocklington and Barmby Moor, keeping the two settlements separate, and future development within the village boundary.*

### **Correspondence:**

**Tree Planting Scheme** – BE suggested 3 apple trees be planted at the Play Park. Clerk will forward details of the scheme to the Playing Fields Committee.

**Emergency Plan** – email asking if during these challenging times could Parish Councillors keep an eye on vulnerable people in the community, and encourage residents to look after each other.

### **Any other business for future meetings:**

**Briarsfield** – request from a local resident for a new lighting column in a dark corner of Briarsfield.

**Neighbourhood Development Plan** – JG requests an update on the plan.

**Date of next meeting:** 23 September in the Village Hall at 7.00 pm.

**VH request for PC to alter the date of meetings** – VH committee have requested the PC move meeting days from Thursdays, and change to either Monday or Wednesdays.

There being no further business, the Chairman closed the meeting at 8.25 pm.