

EASTOFT PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE ORDINARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL HELD IN THE VILLAGE HALL ON MONDAY 13 MARCH 2017 AT 7.30pm.

Councillors present were R Burke(Chair), S Carr, P Fillingham, J Bramhill, S Kent and S Taylor.
Ward Councillor J Briggs.

The Chair reminded everyone to switch off mobile phones.

Apologies. Councillors S Healy and J Harrison

Ten minutes for members of the public to speak. Three members of the public attended. Issues raised were lack of Broadband and poor mobile reception in the village. Quick line has a cost which is not acceptable. Andrew Percy will update for this village and North Lincolnshire Council. The gardening club produced some photos of boats which they could purchase and dimensions agreed.

The Chair signed the minutes of the last meeting which had previously been circulated.

Declaration of Interest – The parish councils (Model Code of Conduct Order 2011). Cllr P Fillingham is also a member of the gardening club.

BANK ACCOUNTS

The clerk advised the account balances

Current Account - £684.35

Deposit account £4779.32

Includes micro grant funding £1250. Top up to the £1500 at 31 March 2017.

Transfer between accounts £3000.00

Cheques: -

All the following payments were approved.

ECWA Hire of Hall 1 April 2016 to 31 March 2017. £100

N Ingleton wages £312.50.

Website time, photos, telephone calls £111.91.
HMRC £10.40
N Ingleton postage £28.23+ £39.60 total £67.83
H.P. Bramhill Ltd Scrub clearance of the pond site. £480.00.
M Tapperell quote £1440.00.
RNS Payroll and Stationery for the year £66.59

PLANNING

PA/2016/1697 Full planning permission Mr and Mrs Glen Kitchen. Detached bungalow and garage plots 1 and 2 adjacent Outlook 21 Washinghall Lane Eastoft.
PA/2016/1851 Tree Preservation Order Eastoft Village Green for Eastoft parish council. The tree contractor needed this permission for his records.

ON GOING ISSUES

Transparency grant application £540.Approved. The Clerk will send this to ERNLLCA.

War memorial. May agenda, grants to be sought.

ECWA update. Grant to be applied for to SSE.No key is available to the parish council for the village hall, the Clerk will write and request one. Plans will be for a disabled toilet and new patio area. Possible stone cladding on the outside of the hall.

CORRESPONDENCE

Email from Rev Justine Smith. Thank you for information on the Churchyard.

ERNLLCA newsletter January 2017/February 2017.

Email Jane Christopher's micro grant application. This email is relevant to Luddington parish council.

Letter from Eastoft Cof E School requesting financial support for ICT updates at the school. Resolved to grant £200.

Application for Micro grant from the Samson Street amenity area care group. Resolved to grant the maximum £250.This is not a constituted group instigated for the good of the community.

Boat proposal by Gardening Club 12ftx5ft maximum and siting of this. Application for funding to plant the cenotaph and other areas the parish council wishes to consider. Acceptance of these dimensions and these proposals. Care to be given to containers at the war memorial which were there prior to the Gardening club starting. The boat position is to be between trees 2 and 3.

Neighbourhood Watch in villages village group. Email from Safer Neighbourhoods. No interest as previous initiatives were not successful.

Best kept village competition entry. 6 June 2017. This correspondence was forwarded to P Walker Chair of the gardening Club.

NLC Local Plan Initial consultation 27 February 2017 to 10 April 2017.

Plantlife email for volunteers across NLC to survey 45 acres for wild plants. Forward to the gardening Club.

NLC Winter service review. No one wishes to attend, a mild winter,

Business from residential property. If a property is used for business purposes then it is up to the owner to ensure that insurance and correct business rates apply. Lorries delivering are often hazards to the near neighbours. J Briggs will check re the planning enforcement side.

ITEMS FOR THE NEXT AGENDA

ECWA update?

Age Concern and the provision of shopping for local elderly people.

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INFORMATION

Clerk and Councils Direct.

The Clerk magazine.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING 8 MAY 2017

Signed

**Mr R Burke
Chair to the Council**

