

**Minutes of the Meeting of  
Gunness Parish Council held on  
Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2013 in the  
Coleman Hall Gunness at 7.30pm**

Present ; Cllr T.Gosling ; Chairman

Cllr's A.Craddock, T.Glover, E.Gray, D.Oldfield, B.Porter,  
S.Thompson D.West.

One member of public.

**Apologies for Absence**

Cllr's S.Armitage, P.Devine, R.Etchell, D.MacIlvaney, P.West.

**Declarations of Interest Min 01/2013**

None declared ; Cllr Gosling requested dispensation on behalf of all Members present to allow the precept & budget's to be discussed following the information given in the Localism Act 2011. This was granted by the Clerk.

**Report from Humberside Police Min 02/2013**

No Officer present : Cllr Oldfield informed the meeting that P.C.Kirkby & himself were holding a street patrol round the village tomorrow (Friday).

**Questions from Members of Public Min 03/2013**

Mr Furnell ; thanks to person gritting the road, Clerk had carried this out on many occasions at Beech Avenue & OVS corner, Cllr D.West had kept the salt bins topped up throughout the village. Dyke to rear of playing field still full of water, Cars parked indiscriminately on corner of Beech Avenue causing obstruction. Clerk was of the opinion that NLC were now responsible for parking issues, Cllr Oldfield would bring this to attention of P.C. Kirkby on tomorrow's patrol.

**Minutes of Previous Meeting Min 04/2013**

Resolved : That the minutes of the meeting held on  
Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> December 2012 be approved a correct record.

**Questions on the Minutes Min 05/2013**

Cllr Oldfield informed Members he had arranged a site meeting with Officers from NLC & Scunthorpe & Gainsborough IDB & Mr Dent to inspect the dyke to the rear of the field. Cllr Gosling asked if this would involve the Parish Council in the three way split as agreed at the December meeting, Clerk informed him that no financial support had been agreed at last meeting as cost not known Min 197/2012 refers, Cllr Gosling ; we had agreed in principle. Cllr Gray asked Cllr Oldfield if any progress had been made with the standing water issue outside 24/26 OVS which he had agreed to take up with NLC, Clerk informed that she had sent a further letter to NLC which included the question of substantial footpath repair outside 35 OVS where no problems existed. Cllr Gosling explained he had disallowed Cllr Craddock's question to the Guide Leader if Burringham PC had been asked for a donation, organisations make the decisions on who to ask for funding.

**Report from North Lincolnshire Ward Councillor Min 06/2013**

Cllr Oldfield : Simon's Development on the site of Smith's Garden Centre had been successful at the recent Judicial Review and could now progress forward, he personally was concerned with traffic issues in the area. NLC had been awarded £1.7m Government grant to build new homes under their bonus scheme to bring derelict houses back to habitual standard. NLHomes had secured funding for 26 new homes in Epworth & Winterton. Ironstone F.C. had offered to provide driver to carry out clearance of the dyke rear of field for free if the Parish Council hired a digging machine at a cost of £50 per day, Mr Dent had been approached.

**Accounts for Payment Min 07/2013**

Resolved : That the accounts detailed below be approved;

Marshall's Taxis..... Voucher Scheme.....	£ 210.00
NPower..... Supply to Field (72 days).....	£ 82.17
N.Beresford... Clerk Salary/expenses/Office supplies.	£ 447.48
HMRC.....PAYE.....	£ 144.20

**Discuss Budget Proposal's Precept Min 08/2013**

Precept had been set at December meeting at £34,000 budget allocations had been referred to January meeting. Cllr Oldfield had circulated his proposals at December meeting, Clerk had suggested changes to allocations which had all been agreed by those present.

Resolved : That revised allocations be the agreed budget allocations for 2013/14.

**Planning Matters Min 09/2013**

2012/1106 ; NLH ; Construct new vehicle access 33 Station Road ; FPP granted.

**Playing Field Matters Min 10/2013**

Letter from NLC informing that due to water retention on fields all rolling & spiking operations had been suspended across the area. ; Noted

Lease VHC ; Still no progress ; issue with information from NLC : ongoing.

Clerk gave further copy of Service Level Agreement (SLA) to all Members present for information.

**Brick Changing Facilities Min 11/2013** : Waiting for VHC lease information.

**Matters Relating to L/M Estate Min 12/2013**

Cllr Oldfield stated vandalised litter & dog waste bins had not been replaced, NL Homes would not accept responsibility for replacement, not theirs.

**Matters Relating to Hilton Avenue Estate Min 13/2013**

Cllr Gosling : Land to the rear of Westburn Way would be built on possibly 20 new homes ; no planning application information received from NLC to date.

**Emergency Plan Progress Min 14/2013**

Cllr Etchell not present.

**Correspondence Min 15/2013**

ERNLCCA : December Newsletter & copy of Member/ Officer Protocol.

NLC : Date of meetings January.

**Councillor's Reports Min 16/2013**

None.