

**Minutes of the Meeting of Gunness Parish Council**  
**Held on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2016 in the**  
**Coleman Hall Gunness at 7.30pm**

Present ; Cllr T.Gosling ; Chairman

Cllr's P.Devine, E.Gray, D.McIlvaney, P.McIlvaney, D.Oldfield, S.Shaw, S.Thompson, L.Walker, P.West.

3 Members of Public.

**Apologies for Absence** Cllr's S.Armitage, B.Etchell, B.Porter, D.West.

**Declarations of Interest Min 132/2016** None.

**Report from Humberside Police Min 133/2016** No Officer present No report.

**Questions from Members of Public Min 134/2016**

Mr Furnell ; Object to siting of new basket swing, to near the football training pitch. Cllr Gray stated the field was open all year priority was for children not just about football which was seasonal.

**To Approve Minutes of Previous Meeting Min 135/2016**

Resolved ; That the minutes of the meeting held on

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> August 2016 be approved a correct record.

**Questions & Updates on the Minutes Min 136/2016**

Cllr Gosling objected to his name being in the minutes re ONGO public meetings as he was not present at the August meeting. Cllr Oldfield : His Report should have read "GARDEN City Status". Spoken to Mr Warburton,NLC, re siting of seats in the village NLC will install them free of charge, he had changed the sites to outside the Church, Jolly Sailor, & OVS/Station Road corner, Kelsey Avenue on Hilton Avenue estate. No seat on Beech Avenue corner.

Matters referred from August meeting : Ironstone F.C received £500 from Burringham Parish Council.

Fence rear 38 OVS, Clerk & members of public asked to leave the room while item being discussed, minutes taken by Councillor. Set of goal posts for Kensington Road play area ongoing. Cutting back of trees Gunness field, quote from Widdy's £325 Accept ; Clerk to inform. Notice Board Church Grounds, Quote from Mr P.Gray £225 Accept.

**Report from North Lincolnshire Ward Councillor Min 137/2016**

Cllr Oldfield : Arranged for Mill Road to be levelled by private contractor\_FOC. NLC have agreed to install seats in village etc FOC. No seat for Beech Avenue now outside Church, See Min 136 above. Spoken to British Steel re weeds growing through fence on Station Road, pumping station had cleared their area. Confusion over proposed footpath link from A18 to Warming Way, residents petition had been lost by NLC, Highways department had informed him work should be carried out in this financial year.

**Accounts for Payment Min 138/2016**

Resolved ; That the accounts detailed below be approved for payment –

C.Marshall.....Taxi Voucher Scheme..... £ 125.00

Digitech.....Photocopies..... £ 11.02

Broxap.....Supply & Deliver four seats..... £ 1795.20 \*

\*Approved at August meeting (not on Agenda)

Receipts ; British Gas Solar panel Payment 8<sup>th</sup> May – 11<sup>th</sup> August £442.25

**Planning Matters Min 139/2016**

2016/1054 : Green ; Crosby le Moor Farm : Change of use to Equestrian Centre ; Cafe ; Class room  
Out door ménage. No Objection.

**Playing Field Matters Min 140/2016**

Cllr Gray proposed the meeting be suspended to allow Jo from GCSI to speak Agreed.

Drawings of proposed equipment shown to Members. Funding obtained £40,000 plus the £4000 in GCSI account. £10,000 allocated to fitness equipment as required by funding partners NLC, must be spent by 31<sup>st</sup> October, decision required to allow contractor to proceed ASAP. Six pieces were chosen from the drawings plus the fitness equipment. Proposal made that request be made for contractor to meet on site to agree siting, Jo to arrange & inform Members of date & time. Cllr Gosling proposed that Cllr's Gray,Oldfield & P.West attend & the positioning be agreed on site with advice from the contractor.

Meeting put back in session. Cllr Gray thanked Jo & GCSI Committee members for their success with funding .

**Playing Field Matters cont...**

Cllr Gray proposed the port-a-cabin unit be put on Ebay by Cllr's Etchell & D.West to see if we get any interest, it would need a thorough clean out first. Replacement changing & toilet facilities still not open, Cllr Oldfield was asked what the hold up was, stated waiting for gas to be installed and a dispute between the Project Manager & the Contractor was still ongoing. Cutting back of lower tree branches already agreed, Min 136 above refers.

**Matters Relating to Lodge Moors Estate Min 141/2016**

Cllr P.McIlvaney ; There had been few problems with SUFC until they started dumping grass cuttings on their land nearer to housing causing problems with smells & attracting vermin. A port-a-cabin unit had been placed on land previously used for this purpose. Cllr Oldfield had contacted NLC Environmental Health requesting they take steps to have the grass removed & D.Sanderson NLC PROW Officer had also been asked for help in dealing with this matter. Cllr Gosling produced a leaflet circulated by ONGO to residents of both estates inviting them to a public meeting on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September Noted.

**Matters Relating to Hilton Avenue Estate Min 142/2016**

Report on site meeting Kensington Road Play Area : Cllr Shaw ; Area was too small for two goal posts as in his opinion this would annoy adjacent residents, request Parish Council fund a goal post. Cllr Oldfield had spoken to NLC who had confirmed the Clerks statement at the August meeting that the posts from L/M estate were not in their possession, assumed lost., Cllr Gosling asked him to make further enquiries. Seat proposed for Kelsey Avenue was to be sited 4ft from footpath, no houses were near. Cllr Shaw asked what action should be taken re the lost petition by NLC on the A18 – Warming Way footpath, Cllr Gosling advised him that NLC should be contacted & asked to confirm their intentions direct to the Parish Council.

**Correspondence Min 143/2016**

NLC ; Verge & Grass Mowing Schedules for September Noted.

Jo Kitchen ; Petition with 40 signatures requesting seats in Gunness village, disappointed that no seat was to be installed on Beech Avenue corner, MUGA on field had stopped children congregating on street corners, residents had also requested litter bins, none in the village.

ONGO Homes : letter re to many Parish Councillors at their public meetings sent to Cllr P.McIlvaney, Cllr Gosling dismissed this, was an internal matter between HALMA & ONGO, not a Parish Council matter.

**Councillors Reports Min 144/2016**

Cllr Gray ; Received complaints from parents walking to school of a vehicle (mini) parked on the footpath outside 2 OVS fully blocking the footpath meant they had to walk into the road to pass on the blind bend on the entrance to OVS. To be reported to NLC Traffic Control Officer.

Cllr Shaw ; Concerned at the state of garages on the estate many of which were in a derelict condition, was not aware of ownership. Cllr Gosling advised garages were allocated to properties, some had been rented out others transferred to residents who had bought their houses under the "right to buy scheme" other belonged to ONGO. Letter to be sent to ONGO asking for information on ownership.