

YAPHAM CUM MELTONBY PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of Yapham Cum Meltonby Parish Council held on March 12th 2013 in Yapham Village Hall at 7.30pm

Present. Cllr Linda Gray (Chair) Cllr John Ackerley, Cllr Ken Moverley, Cllr Richard O'Gram and Cllr Helen Steele.

Public Time. None.

18/13 Apologies. None.

19/13 welcome to the meeting . Cllr Gray welcome everyone to the March meeting.

Declaration of Interest. The Parish Councils (Model Code of Conduct) Order 2012. To record any declarations of interest by any member in respect of items on this agenda. None.

20/13 Minutes of the meeting dated 12th February 2013. Approved by the Council and signed as a true and correct record of the meeting.

21/13 Matters arising from the previous meeting.

- 1. Telephone Box.** Painted to be ordered. Leaflet Dispensers available on Ebay. Cllr Steele brought photos of the box at Holtby, everyone agreed that similar wording to go on the box at Yapham. Cllr Ackerley to forward information regarding paint to the Clerk for ordering. Clerk had sourced some leaflet dispensers from Ebay.
- 2. Village Hall.** All chairs have now been delivered. The rest of the grant money can be used to buy tables for the Village Hall. The order has been placed for 8 tables with Go Pak delivery date of 22/03/13. Paint grant has been approved for double the amount requested.
- 3. Emergency Plan.** ERYC grant of £2,000 available this year. Cllr Ackerley felt that the plan should be now be sent out later in the year. It was decided that 8 snow shovels, 8 Hi Viz vests and 8 hand lamps be brought from the Parish Council funds approx.. cost £100
- 4. Grass cut by the ERYC.** Details of areas cut by ERYC. On-going.
- 5. Parish Council vacancy.** Can now be filled by Co-option. Clerk to place an article in the Pocklington. Post.
- 6. Use of Community Payback Team.** Meeting to be confirmed.
- 7. Daffodil Bulbs.** On going
- 8. Planning/Highway issues.** Letter from the Chairman to Peter Robinson on behalf of the Parish Council. Cllr Ackerley felt that the letter had missed some points and that others had been covered by the letter from the planning department. Cllrs Moverley and Steele felt the letter was ok however would achieve very little. The decision cannot be reversed now; clerk explained that permission had only been given subject to the section 106 agreement being agreed. Clerk to write to the planning department asking if the 106 has been set and what is it. The Parish Council was very disappointed that their objects hadn't been heard when all the rest were heard.
- 9. Local Draft Strategy Document.** Report back by Cllr Ackerley. Cllr Ackerley said that the meeting had been hijacked by some of the larger Councils who sent members even though they were not booked in on the event. It was very confusing trying to work out who was who and from where. He had not been impressed with some of the questions asked as they weren't relevant to the Draft Strategy Plan. He reported on the number of houses being built in other areas of the East Riding saying that it would be good for the local building trade and economy.

22/13 Accounts .

Community Account £3,254.49p

Business Manager £1,209.39p

Go Pak tables £670.87 £111.81p VAT to be reclaimed.

VAT return of £560.03 included

Letter to bank to be signed by bank signatories. Clerk to deliver to signatories' for signing.

Authorization given to Chairman to deal with the Clerks Pay and Tax.

23/13 Planning. None at time of agenda

Clerk to email every three months asking for an update on current enforcements on going within the Parish.

24/13 Correspondence

Letter from Mr M. Atkin. The Chairman and the Clerk had responded to Mr Atkins letter explaining that Councillors had had site meetings with Officers from the ERYC and done all they could to try and have the signs moved to no avail as current legistration would not allow the signs to be moved. Cllrs stated that they had achieved some improvements which had been put in place. Repeater signs had been placed along the road despite not meeting the criteria; roundels had been painted on the junction informing drivers of the speed limit. All the above had also been placed in previous minutes.

Heritage grant. The grant is part of awards for all and grants of between £3,000 and £10,000 can be applied for towards various projects. Parish Councillors felt that a book detailing the history of the Parish would be a good idea, although there was already a book written by Mrs Wells there was only two copies printed. One copy is in the Church and has to be signed for and the other belongs to the author. Clerk to write to David Neave, Jayne Fisher and Susan Butler (Local Historians) to ask if they would be interested in writing a new booklet if the Parish Council applied for a grant. The Local Pocklington Historical society might also be interested. Clerk to write to the treasure house at Beverley asking what material they held relating to the Parish. Draft letter to residents asking for help in undertaking in the project and asking for old photos to be scanned so that a digital achieve can be created and place on the website. Clerk to write to the Village Hall to see if they would be interested in taking part.

Your Switch Energy.

East Riding Parish News March Edition.

Information from HMRCC

Dance poster.

25/13 Councillor Reports .

Cllr Ackerley reminded the Council that the rent for the allotments is now due and should be £100 this year. Clerk to arrange invoice.

Feoffee Lane going towards the A1079 near to the Greenfields Log cabin the road is collapsing into the dyke. Very urgent.

26/13 Date , Time and venue of next meeting. April 9th 2013 at Yapham Village Hall 7.30pm