

**MINUTES OF THE 1012<sup>th</sup> WHEELTON PARISH COUNCIL MEETING  
HELD ON MONDAY 4 FEBRUARY 2019  
AT WHEELTON VILLAGE HALL, WEST VIEW, WHEELTON**

**PRESENT:** Councillors Berry, Dickenson, Fowler, Harper, Hayes, Scambler and Wheale. Borough Councillor Mrs M France.

**Clerk:** Parish Clerk Joanne Carr.

**APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

There were no apologies for absence.

**DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

There were no declarations of interest.

**MINUTES FROM THE LAST MEETING 7 JANUARY 2019**

**90/02/19**

The minutes were accepted as a true and accurate record and signed by the Chairman on behalf of the Parish Council.

Councillors noted that the Parish Council had not moved the tree replacement scheme forward as it was too early in the year. Councillors Harper and Dickenson agreed to discuss the matter with the people who had offered to sponsor a tree.

Councillor Dickenson and Borough Councillor France had both qualified as First Aiders.

Councillor Dickenson advised that he would be unable to attend the Eastern Parishes meeting this month and requested another Councillor attend in his place. Unfortunately, no-one was available. Borough Councillor France reported that she would be able to attend and would suggest Wheelton Parish Council's priority of additional bark surfacing for the Play area.

**POLICE REPORT**

There was no report from the Police.

Councillors reported that Chorley Police Station were in a state of flux with the change of areas and having to reapply for jobs.

## **COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC**

There were no matters reported.

## **ENHANCING WHEELTON**

### **a) Traffic Matters**

There were no items reported.

### **b) Recreation Area Enhancement**

The Chairman confirmed that he had the new signs and would install them on the recreation ground.

### **c) Defibrillator**

The Defibrillator at the Golden Lion was displayed in the window but not plugged in. Councillor Hayes advised that it was battery powered so would still be usable if required but only available during opening hours.

**91/02/19**

It was RESOLVED that Councillor Dickenson would discuss the matter with the running club.

## **PLANNING MATTERS**

There were no plans to consider.

Councillors were advised that the plans for change of use for the old Chip Ship on Victoria Street to a residential property had been approved.

Borough Councillor France reported that Enforcement was taking place on Winns Lane and advised Councillors of the correspondence that she had received concerning the permitted fencing and the questions around the plant at one of the residences.

The Clerk advised that an appeal had been raised against the refusal of permission Planning Application 18/00348/FUL Land South of Marlpit, Hillock Farm, Briers Brow, Wheelton.

## **ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENTS**

**92/02/19**

All accounts were authorised for payment:

Cheques

Mrs J Carr – February Salary - £333.17

Inland Revenue – February Deductions - £83.00

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Easy Websites – Website hosting and support February - £27.60

### **DEFIBRILLATOR – WHEELTON VILLAGE HALL**

The Clerk reported that the Defibrillator had been registered with North West Ambulance. The Parish Council needed to ensure that weekly checking of the Defibrillator would take place. Councillor Dickenson reported that the Village Hall did not have a Caretaker yet but that they may be able to do the checks once one is appointed.

**93/02/19** It was RESOLVED that the Clerk would set up a rota for checking the Defibrillator.

### **CHORLEY BOROUGH COUNCIL'S STATEMENT OF COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT (SCI)**

**94/02/19** The Parish Council RESOLVED to make no response to the Borough Councils Statement of Community Involvement.

### **LANCASHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE HOUSEHOLD WASTE RECYCLING CENTRES.**

Councillors noted that the access road to Chorley Waste Recycling Centre was narrow and badly maintained and felt that one late night opening a week in each area, specifically in the summer would be useful.

**95/02/19** RESOLVED to advise the Lancashire County Council that that the access road to Chorley Waste Recycling Centre was narrow and badly maintained and felt that one late night opening a week in each area, specifically in the summer would be useful.

### **CHORLEY BOROUGH COUNCIL'S PLANNING IN PRACTICE SESSION**

Chorley Borough Council's Planning in Practice session would be held on Manday 11 March 2019 at 5.45pm. .

**96/02/19** Councillors RESOLVED that the Clerk should book two places on the Planning in Practice Session at Chorley Borough Council.

### **CHORLEY BOROUGH COUNCIL'S SURVEY ON BUDGET PROPOSALS FOR 2019/20.**

**97/02/19** Councillors noted the information circulated and that Councillor Dickenson had replied to the survey.

### **JENNY LANE TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER.**

The Clerk advised that the County Council had reported that the proposed one-way traffic regulation for Jenny Lane had been removed from the Order. Councillors were pleased to note that the numerous residents' responses had been listened to.

### **CALL FOR SITES CONSULTATION**

The Clerk advised that Part 2 of the Call for Sites consultation for the Central Lancashire Local Plan Review has gone live.

Councillor Dickenson reported that he felt that Councillors needed to be aware that there was a concern that Preston's need for housing would get moved into our area and the impact that that would have on local services.

### **ITEMS FOR INFORMATION**

- The Mayor of Chorley's Charity Ball was on Friday 15 February 2019
- Eastern Parishes Neighbourhood Area Meeting Wednesday 6 February 2019
- Best Kept Village Information Meeting – 11 February 2019 at Billsborrow Village Hall.

### **DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

Monday 4 March 2019 at 8.00pm.

The meeting closed at 8.45pm.

Minutes approved and accepted as correct

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Chairman

Dated .....