ALDBROUGH PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of meeting held at Aldbrough Primary School commencing 1930 hours Monday 12th November 2012

<u>PRESENT</u>: Councillors T.Handley (Chair), S.Turner, T.Floater, J.Fox, M.Turner, S.Cantwell, G.North, K.Blackwell, M.Robinson and D.Smith (Clerk)

APOLOGIES: None

The Chair stated that members were to declare pecuniary and non-pecuniary interests in accordance with the Localism Act Codes of Conduct.

PUBLIC FORUM: Five members of the public and PCSO Bainton were in attendance.

MATTERS ARISING: The minutes of the meeting held on Monday 8th October 2012 were accepted as a true record and signed by the Chair.

<u>NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH:</u> Julie Llewellyn from East Riding Neighbourhood Watch Association outlined her role in aiming to revitalize NW across the County. Should any group or groups in Aldbrough wish to form their own then she would provide support by simplifying the process and keeping it as manageable as possible. The Clerk would advertise the fact on the website and notice board. On conclusion the Chair thanked Mrs. Llewellyn for a most informative talk.

<u>PARISH COUNCIL PRECEPT FOR 2013-2014:</u> It was proposed by Councillor S.Turner and seconded by Councillor North that this would remain at £10,000. With the exception of Councillors Robinson and M.Turner who had not completed a request for dispensation under the Localism Act 2011, all voted in favour.

POOR FIELDS/ROBERT TOWRIE'S CHARITY: Councillor North informed the meeting that the next meeting of Towrie was not until 15th November and until then could not give their intentions. Councillor S.Turner stated that irrespective of Towrie's decision, Poor Fields should make a contribution. All agreed to this and would apply to all males over the age of 65 years who had been a resident of Aldbrough for at least 5 years. No records are available listing those eligible and it was agreed that the Clerk would formulate a leaflet for approval by the Parish Council, and a leaflet drop undertaken to all dwellings.

<u>VILLAGE NOTICE BOARD:</u> Councillor Robinson stated that an application was to be made to Local Grant Fund for funding as the notice boards outside Londis need replacing. In addition to Parish Council Information it was also important for details of local attractions, walks etc to be available for visitors. The Clerk would complete this form applying for a double information board in aluminium.

POST OFFICE DIRECTION SIGN: Now in situ.

FOOTPATH OUTSIDE 2 HEADLANDS DRIVE: Clerk had reported this to Mike Peeke for attention.

RIGHTS OF WAY: Councillor Cantwell informed the meeting that 3 signs had been replaced by Mr.S.Woods and the Clerk and expressed her thanks. The footpath opposite Londis had been the subject of a recent complaint made directly to Andrew Chudley by a member of the public concerning the removal of the hedge. Councillor Cantwell stated that the landowner had been most cooperative and in her view the path was now much more accessible. She will meet with Andrew Chudley next week to discuss further. The bridge on this path had been cleared of weeds and debris. Councillor Floater informed her that he would supply some small posts.

<u>UPDATE TO EMERGENCY PLAN:</u> The Chair stated that following a meeting with the Clerk the plan had been updated on 18th October and copies amended. Alan Bravey of ERYCC also supplied with copies

<u>APPLICATION FOR LOCAL GRANT FUND:</u> Councillor Robinson only received the application form for this the day prior to submission date. In view of this the Clerk submitted the form requesting funding for the purchase of two lockable salt bins for siting at the Village Hall and the Youth Club plus funding for local contractor to clear each location of snow.

<u>PLANNING APPLICATIONS:</u> Councillor Fox presented plans for dormer extension and carport at 18 Elm Grove for Mr. M.Wileman. After discussion it was agreed to recommend the application be approved. The construction of a temporary drilling site on land west of High Fosham Cottage was noted. An exhibition by Rathlin Energy is due to be held at Village Hall on 23rd November 2012. Letters from ERYCC were read by the Chair regarding approval for variation of condition for Gb-bio Ltd, approval for the erection of dwelling at Roseway, The Paddock for D.Whincup, and refusal for the erection of two dwellings at Springfield Meadow, Garton Road for K.Landon.

<u>CORRESPONDENCE:</u> Crime statistics for October 2012. Letter from Humberside Plant Hire Ltd concerning the sale of rock salt. Review of Dog Control Orders by ERYCC. Sleeping Rough Estimate from ERYCC.

PARISH ACCOUNTS: The Chair read out the following closing balances as at 1st November 2012. Community Account £2437.79----Business Money Manager Account £10993.56p---Poor Fields Community Account £401.14p—Poor Fields Business Money Account £7807.61p. 2 bills for payment were presented, namely HAPS £278.90p and Clerks Expenses for October totaling £12.19p. These were approved for payment.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS: The Chair stated that he had been asked by Sean Marrs if the Parish Council could make a contribution towards the renovation of the old chapel, which is not a listed building but is important to the village. After discussion it was reluctantly decided that this would not be in line with our policy. The Chair also stated that there was no salt bin at the top of Seaside Road. He proposed that one be purchased which was seconded by Councillor Robinson and voted 8-1 in favour. Councillor Robinson stated that the trees at the top of Carlton Lane had not been trimmed. Clerk to make further request. Councillor Blackwell had circulated the Gas Site Minutes and requested that future agendas show this as matters arising. Councillor S.Turner again raised the subject of the hedge on land adjoining Dothams and agreed to raise the matter personally with Mr. Caley. He also stated that parking was again a problem at the corner of Nottingham Road and Headlands Road. Buses were having problems in passing. Clerk to investigate if yellow lines could be placed on the junction. Councillor Fox wished to record his thanks to PCSO Bainton for his actions in ensuring the safety of children attending the cenotaph on Thursday 8th November. Councillor North stated that he needed a christmas tree for the church and Neil Olsen stated that he could have the pick of two at his father's address 15 Cross Street. Gerry Bond who was also present stated he would seek funding for some new lights. The manhole cover on Sandpits Lane near to Councillor North was in a dangerous condition and a neighbour had recently fallen over it. Clerk to report to ERYCC.

PCSO Bainton addressed the meeting regarding speeding problems and whether his attendance was worthwhile. All agreed that it was and in future Police Matters would be placed on the agenda.

There being no further business the meeting was concluded at 2150 hours.

The date of the next meeting is MONDAY 10th DECEMBER 2012.

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