

**Aldbrough Parish Council
Minutes**

Monday 9th April 2018 7.30pm @ Aldbrough Primary School

Present

Cllrs. Sharlah Cantwell – Chairman

Steve Turner

Mick Robinson

Tim Floater

David Walker

Mally Turner

Paul Woodward

Geoff North

Kevin Blackwell

Ward Councillor John Holtby

Clerk Nicki Salvidge

PCSO Darren Bainton

Debbie Fagan- Engagement Officer for Police and Crime commissioner for Humberside

Chris Mottershaw ERYC Transport Commissioning Manager

Andrea Kirk – press officer Holderness Gazette

50 members of the Public

1. Police Matters

Cllr Cantwell welcomed and introduced Debbie Fagan to all present, attending by invitation of the Parish Council following a meeting of the Police Force, in which Cllr. Robinson attended.

Cllr Robinson explained his 20 year campaign to reduce speeding through Aldbrough and that whilst attending police meeting he voiced his concerns over the current speeding issues especially those close to the village hall and playground and the lack of available information from Safer Roads Humber. However since this meeting a speed survey had been carried out and the results of the speed management procedure awarded the B1242 Aldbrough 27 points which qualifies the village for enforcement. A meeting to be held with Safer Roads Humber regarding tasking site visits, safety audits and risk assessments to be included was taking place on Thursday to which Cllr Robinson will attend.

However issues still with parking in the village and Cllr. Robinson spoke of recent incidents involving issues with parked vehicles and asked Debbie Fagan to help.

Cllr Robinson stated that PCSO Bainton in attendance was very supportive of issues within Aldbrough.

Debbie Fagan explained her role within the office of Humberside Police and crime commissioner for Humberside Keith Hunter. The importance of working with the community to gauge what is needed to help improve involvement and to know where residents can go for help. Since taking over his role Keith Hunter has put in a new management team, recruiting 500 new officers in addition to 160 officers going to be laced around the East Riding including:

36 to Goole, 36 to Beverley, 56 response officers to Bridlington and 32 to be based in Hedon and Withernsea.

Other areas in which work is being improved is multi agency's working together to give the police service that they deserve.

CID to return to improve service following low ratings between 2012 – 2016.

To improve child protection.

Debbie is keen for people to come forward with their concerns to enable her to troubleshoot on their behalf, with the help of the community safety partnership which include, fire, ambulance etc.

Working with the two ridings grant scheme with up to £10,000 is available to help resolve local crime, ie. CCTV on skate parks.

Cllr Floater asked if speeding entering Aldbrough from Hornsea was a police or ERYC issue. Debbie informed those present that it was a police issue and explained a pilot scheme in North Lincolnshire in which residents could do their own speed watch. PCSO Bainton has run this within the village in the past.

Cllr Floater also questioned parking which was explained is an ERYC issue unless it is an obstruction. This is then a police issue.

When asked why a camera sign could not be put up, to try to deter speeders, it was explained as being unlawful.

Cllr S Turner mentioned parking extending down Castle Hill causing additional hazards.

Cllr G North questioned how others seem to get speed restrictions moved and not Aldbrough.

Cllr Robinson asked in police liaison meetings would be re starting- Debbie said she understood it was something that the new inspector was keen to reinstate them.

Neighbourhood Watch was mentioned, which has been tried in the village previously with little success, to re consider starting again.

Cllr Cantwell thanked Debbie Fagan for her time and support.

8.15 Debbie Fagan left meeting.

2. Apologies of Absence

Graham Stuart MP

Bob Rackley EYMS Commercial Manager

3. To suspend the meeting for a period of no longer than 15 minutes for public participation

ERYC Officer Chris Mottershaw introduced by Cllr. Cantwell who thanked him for attending to help explain changes to buses coming into effect as of 8th May and the effect on Aldbrough.

Mr Mottershaw explained that EYMS had made some commercial decisions which would affect many areas in the East Riding. But despite seemingly short notice had acted within the regulations set out.

Mr Mottershaw explained that whilst the bus number 129 Hornsea to Withernsea subsidised by ERYC would continue to run 6 days per week with no change despite rumours saying that this service would end September 2018.

Whilst it was confirmed that 220/221 Aldbrough – Hull was to end as of 8th May due to commercial decision made by EYMS Mr Mottershaw stated that ERYC had invited tenders to cover the commuter run in the morning and evening. Following surveys of the early morning buses between 19th 21st March Hornsea – Hull no body was picked up until Sproatley.

Cllr Walker asked if they would be looking at a 9.30 bus, sadly they are not.

Cllr Blackwell asked when ERYC found out about the loss of services, Mr Mottershaw stated that he had received the statutory 56 day notice in line with traffic commissioner requirements and that 3 key areas where to lose their services, whilst ERYC looking at tenders for all of them they did have a 40% reduction in funding so they had received a poor response, he also agreed that whilst morally wrong EYMS had not acted illegally.

School buses will remain in service following tender renewal in September, these buses can be used by the public.

On questioned what service would be covered by the tender Mr Mottershaw confirmed it would be morning and evening peak times only.

When asked how people would attend hospital appointments, he stated that they must use the Medibus.

Those present voiced their many concerns over visiting patients in hospital, the use of doctors, banks, shopping etc. also college transport for those still in education.

Cllr Cantwell spoke of her utter disgust at the seemingly underhand way in which this has been handled and of how for months previous bus drivers were telling passengers that the bus was to finish and that despite repeated calls to EYMS it took the clerk to go to Peter Shipp direct to get any direct answer.

Other questions asked- would bus passes be allowed on a replacement ERYC service and school bus to which the answer was yes within the regulations of the pass.

On HART bus it was explained that they run on a community licence not commercial, so would not be able to run a replacement service.

Andrea Kirk asked if ERYC reimbursed the bus companies the full amount for pass uses, Mr Mottershaw declined to answer.

Cllr Cantwell spoke of the number of buses leaving Hornsea in a morning to Wilderforce and Bishop Burton College as well as the 240 and 246. Also the cost implications at £8.50 return to Hull.

When asked Ward Councillor John Holtby said that there may be room for smaller operators however this would depend on the results of a consultation being held by the department of transport which closes May. Cllr Holtby said all must write to Graham Stuart MP regarding the haphazard service.

Janet Floater asked if the tenders were too high what would happen? Mr Mottershaw could not comment other than that whilst some routes had received no applications, they had received an application for the replacement for the 220 and that upon closing he would contact the clerk to update. The clerk would inform Mrs Floater who would let others know.

Mrs Floater also spoke of the possibility of people moving and effect a reduced service will have on the new properties being built in the village.

Cllr Cantwell thanked Mr Mottershaw for attending.

Planning - Mr Wastling attended to discuss his application at Springdale following visiting all councillors and neighbouring properties. Cllr Blackwell declared an interest.

Mr Wastling spoke of changes to plans suggested by planning and conservation officers.

Letter from Mr Storey who strongly objects to development changes read out. Other residents spoke of their concerns and effect of additional on street parking for the village.

A new section 106 is currently being drawn up and the council will be issued a copy when complete.

Vote to support development 5 in Favour 3 against 1 declared interest.

- 4. To receive declarations of interest by any member of the council in respect of the Agenda items below.** Members declaring an interest should (A) identify the agenda item and the type of interest being declared & (B) note dispensations given to any member of the council in respect of the agenda items below

Cllr Blackwell – planning at Springfield, Hill Farm and Hornsea Road

Cllr North – planning at Hornsea Road and land north of Crossmere Hill Farm

- 5. To approve last month's minutes held Monday 12th March 2018**

Item 8 planning should read Nick Young not Neil, agreed with changes

- 6. To present the financial accounts**

Approved and signed

- 7. Matters arising – Chair to receive updates on 'Resolves**

Garton Lane footbridge- to be done this week

De Fib box – can be touched up with right paint

Cog update with no further news on money, consultation on footpath starts 25th April report 243 pages long clerk to report back on.

Street scene walkabout – report received on findings Cllr M Turner has volunteered to speak to residents regarding overgrown hedges and trees, leaflets from ERYC received.

- 8. Planning Applications**

Hill Farm – Passed,

Elm tree parking - passed

Gas Tank George and Dragon- objections on safety grounds

Hornsea Road – changes to outline, objections to be put forward to Planning department as before.

Land North of Crossmere Hill Farm, Barn extension – no objections

9. Correspondence

Letter re state of grave on visiting- cllr. S Turner and clerk have written to lady and spoken to Charlie Allott

Notice to say Nottingham Road will be part of the annual surface dressing programme. No exact date programme between 8th May and September.

Use of school renewal- Cllr Woodward to arrange with Mrs Ulph

Consultation for ERYC and Hull Joint minerals plan, clerk to read and feedback

10. Phone Mast

No further news, papers were expected two weeks ago but no update and solicitor now on holiday until 17th April. Cllr Robinson spoke of proof of trustees at Village Hall required by solicitors prior to lease signing.

11. Planning Meeting

To be held at Aldbrough Youth Club Thursday 26th April 7.30pm Clerk to send out agenda

12. Any Other Business

Cllr M Turner and Cantwell spoke of possibility of posts going in triangle at the end of Nottingham road to protect grass and post, clerk to send in request to highways

Cllr Robinson to check which grit bins will need to be filled and report to clerk.

Hedge at Play area needs cutting.

Dyke at cemetery blocked, Cllr S Turner to rod.

Hedge to sewage plant needs cutting back, clerk to report to Yorkshire Water.

Cllr Woodward, Ash Grove residents experiencing problems with the erection of high fence, clerk to look into and report back.

13. To Announce the Date of the next meeting and AGM as Monday 14th May 2018

Meeting closed 10.55pm

Signed _____ date _____