

THORNTON CURTIS PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting held Monday 12th September 2005

Present:- In The Chair:- Cllr E. Davey Cllrs:- W. Crampin, Mrs S. Hargreaves
In Attendance:- Nth Lincs Ward Cllr. P. Clark, Mrs L. Underwood (Clerk)

APOLOGIES

Apologies were received and accepted from Cllrs R. Brixton & G. Gladwin, J. Wardle, D. Wells

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

The minutes from the meeting held 11th July 2005 were agreed correct and duly signed.

MATTERS ARISING

a) Play Area/Deeds

The Chairman had obtained the play area deeds from the solicitors, these were examined but although the boundaries are shown it was not clear who is responsible for the upkeep/maintenance of the boundaries

A letter with a proposal had been received from Mrs J. Dawes. Briefly the proposal was that the council rent out the play area to be used as a small agricultural project providing a day provision for adults with learning disabilities.

The parish council will consider the proposal but will need to first discuss and investigate important issues.

b) Village Sign

A quote had been received from G. Dunderdale of £216 for refurbishment of the village signs.

Cllr Crampin proposed, Cllr Mrs. S. Hargreaves seconded, that the quote be accepted and Mr. Dunderdale instructed to do the work.

c) Village Seat

Not much progress has been made however Cllr Clark explained how Barrow assembled theirs and very kindly offered assistance.

VILLAGE MATTERS

Cllr Crampin mention that kerbstones and a hedge had been planted on the boundary/highway at Station Farm Barn, the clerk will question highways as to the legality of the planting.

HIGHWAYS AND TRANSPORT

Goxhill Road- although bits are being patched, the road remains in an appalling state. The clerk will remind the highways again and Cllr Crampin will contact one of the hauliers who use the road frequently and ask for their support.

Station Road footpath is fast disappearing , G Popple will be contacted to see if any progress has been made.

CORRESPONDENCE

1. Nth Lindsey College – community governor
2. Ulceby Parish Council-traffic issues
3. Environment Agency- flood management plan
4. Sustainable communities bill
5. NLC local housing –transfer of council homes
6. NLC- forthcoming meeting/forward plan
7. BDP – minutes of meeting

AUDIT

The audit report had been received, there were no matters to be addressed.

PAYMENTS

Room hire £10.00, Audit Fees 58.75 these two payments were agreed

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next Parish Council meeting will be held Monday 7th November at 8.00pm