

THORNTON CURTIS PARISH COUNCIL
Minutes of the meeting held Monday 12th May 2008.

Present:- In the chair Cllr E. Davey; Cllrs:- R. Brixton, W. Crampin, I. Whelpton, Mrs S. Hargreaves
In Attendance:- Ferry Ward Cllr D. Wells, Mrs L. Underwood (Clerk)

Apologies

Apologies were received and accepted from Ferry Ward Cllrs P. Clark & J. Wardle

Minutes of the previous meeting

The minutes of the meeting held 10th March 2008 had 3 amendments 1. Cllr Brixton was present at the meeting. 2. Under matters arising- 6. The path in front of Station Farm Barn was discussed at the inspection & W. Hill will find & forward a map. 3. Payments BCCR should read BCCRP. The minutes were then signed as correct.

Matters arising

1. An email had been received from R. Beales to say they are still progressing on obtaining the funding to re-do the footpath on Station Road.
2. No further communication regarding the village entry

Village matters

1. Main Street – sign & sunken grid- will be reported
2. Play area grass cutting, Mr Marsh is unable to cut it; the clerk will hopefully find someone who can.
3. Dam Lane – the grass verges are in need of cutting, in their present state they are a road safety issue. The clerk will contact NLC reminding them that when they are cutting please to be aware we have a newly erected seat.
4. Village seats are in need of painting – Cllr Crampin will contact Mr. Staves

Highways & Transport

1. Cars parked on Main Street partly on the pavement making it impossible to pass with a wheelchair/pram etc. Discussion followed on the best way to approach the problem, Cllr Wells thought that M. Button's department would be dealing with this sometime in the future; the clerk will speak to Michelle Button.
2. Cllr Crampin reported there were potholes in Goxhill Road, near Burnham Beeches, Thornton Abbey, etc etc, these will be reported to W. Hill, copy to D. Wells.
3. A highway maintenance scheme will begin in June on the A15, the diversion will include Main Street, Thornton Curtis.
4. Railway – Cllr Brixton reported on the train option, Thornton Abbey relegated

Planning

2008/0339 Black House Farm “storey extension Granted

Environmental Issues

URSA scoping report – a proposal for a glass insulation plant at East Halton – a public presentation is to be held, date as yet not verified

Correspondence

1. Nats meeting minutes
2. Umbrella
3. Highway encroachment draft policy
4. Humberside airport
5. Police panel

Payments & Finance

1. Allianz insurance £288.99 – they will be informed we have 3 seats
2. Clerks honorarium £375.00 + £8.40 expenses as shown
3. Thornton Hunt Inn £10.00
4. The annual governance statement was completed

It was agreed cheques be signed for the three above amounts

Thanks were expressed to the clerk

Thanks were also expressed to the retiring chairman Cllr Davey who it was agreed had served the council very well during his term as chair.

Date of next meeting

The next parish council meeting will be held Monday 7th July 2008 at 8.00pm in the Thornton Hunt Inn.

This meeting was then declared closed at 9.10pm