THORNTON CURTIS PARISH COUNCIL Minutes of the meeting held Monday 11th July 2005

Present:- In the Chair:- Cllr. E. Davey

Cllrs:- I. Whelpton, Mrs. S. Hargreaves, W. Crampin, R. Brixton

In Attendance: - Mrs. L. Underwood (clerk), Mrs S. Leach

APOLOGIES

There were apologies from our local ward councillors.

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

It was noted that Cllr. Wells attended the previous meeting.

The minutes of the previous meeting were agreed correct and duly signed.

MATTERS ARISING

a) Village seat -The quote obtained was thought rather high, Cllrs will source welders etc. as it was agreed more important to be cost effective than in a hurry.

b) Village entry- A letter and photo representation regarding the entry had been received from North Lincs Council. Parish Cllrs opinion was that this was better than nothing but felt that it needed treatment at both ends of the village. No action has been taken on the 'road narrow' signs or on Station Road footpath, the clerk will contact North Lincs.

VILLAGE MATTERS

Cllr Crampin had been contacted regarding various matters concerning the play area. It was agreed a site visit was necessary. The clerk will also find where the deeds are deposited

HIGHWAYS & TRANSPORT

Highways have improved the problem of water flowing down the drive of 34 Main Street, but because of this improvement the occupants are now unable to close their gates.

The flowers at the pump look very good, a letter of thanks will be sent to Mrs Bostock for doing such a wonderful job caring for them.

A skip appears to have been parked on Main Street for a considerable time, the clerk will find out the legal implications regarding this.

PLANNING

Applications have been granted for the following:- Thornton Hunt Inn:- Illuminated sign & listed building consent for sign. 'Summergates' Main Street, extensions.

ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES

The clean neighbourhood act was read out although the majority does not come into effect until 2006.

CORRESPONDENCE

- 1. Police meeting 20th July
- 2. NLC.- Council housing & homes
- 3. NLC.- re the legality of temporary signage
- NLC.- forthcoming meetings & forward plan
 Airport committee 27th July; Cllr. Whelpton to attend
- 6. Ms McIsaac MP- Natural environment & rural communities bill
- 7. BDP information

AUDIT

The statement of assurance was agreed upon and signed.

PAYMENTS

It was agreed payments be made to the Thornton Hunt Inn, hire of room £10.00, Ehrets-£105.75 planting etc at the village pump.

ELECTION OF VICE CHAIRMAN

It was proposed by Cllr Davey , seconded by Cllr Mrs. S. Hargreaves and agreed Cllr R. Brixton be elected vice chairman for the coming year.

DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING

The next parish council meeting will be held Monday 12th September 2005 at 8.00pm in the Thornton Hunt Inn

This meeting was then declared closed at 9.00pm