

HORSINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF MEETING HELD 8th March 2017

PRESENT: Cllrs, A Clarke, A. Robinson, V Oliver, R Hill

CLERK: Mrs L Needham

MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC:2

1.Chairman's Remarks-

Cllr Clarke welcomed Mr R Hill who had agreed to be co-opted onto the Parish Council

2. Apologies - C Hill, The reason for Councillor Charles Hills absence was discussed and his absence authorised.

3. Minutes of the meeting held on 11th January 2017

The minutes were read and agreed.

4. Matters Arising:

Permission has been given by the Snooker Club and the Defribulator box is due to be fitted on the side of the snooker hut on Thursday 9th March 2017. Training on how to access the defribulator and how to use it will be given the same evening. LN to write a letter to David ? thanking him for getting us a free defribulator.(ACTION)
There will be a small cost involved with fitting the box. This will be paid out of Parish funds.

Church Grant – Unfortunately Cllr Hill also had to declare an interest so once again no decision was made because we did not have a quorum. LN to contact LALC to find a way around this problem. (ACTION)

Although the matter of the cars parking on the verge and over the footpath outside number 1 Tower View has been closed. Cllr Oliver reported that the tenant has now got permission from the housing association, to lay down some gravel for his cars to park on.

It was also brought to the Council's attention that the spoil from the dyke that has been cleaned, just outside of the village, is causing standing water on the road. The Parish Clerk has been instructed to write to the land owner requesting that he reinstates the grips that allow the water to drain off the road into the dyke and also re-seed the verge. (ACTION)

7. Clerk's items

Councillor Vacancy: Mr Rowland Hill has agreed to fill the advertised vacancy and has been co-opted on to the Parish Council.

Appointment of Internal Auditor: Now that the Standing Orders and Financial Regulations are in place An Internal Auditor can be appointed. Linda Blankley, Clerk to Louth Town Council, has agreed to carry out the Audit for us.

8. Correspondence.

An email has been received inviting us to enter the Best Kept Village competition for this year. As there are several untidy areas within the village that the Parish Council has no control over it was decided not to enter.

9. Matters to be included in the agenda for the next meeting

Grant Application

Grass Cutting Tenders

10. Date of next Meeting

This will be the Parish Council AGM and will now be held on Wednesday **17th May 2017** at 7.45 pm in the Village Hall

Meeting Closed at 8.30 pm

Signed: 

Date:..... 13/5/2017