

SYKEHOUSE PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 16TH MAY 2017

Present: Councillor Mr Fox, Councillor Mr Duckitt, Councillor Mr Lee,
Councillor Mrs Lifsey, Councillor Mr Thompson & Clerk Ms Halsall

In Attendance

Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Chairman's opening remarks and Declarations of interest

1. Apologies of absence

None

2. Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 18th April 2017

RESOLVED that the minutes be signed.

3. Matters arising from the minutes

Councillor Fox reported on the 'Danum Trail' Footpath walk that is unpassable due to fly tipping. This is a public right of way.

RESOLVED Clerk to contact DMBC again

No response had been received regarding the potholes thru the village, Cowick Road, Eskholme Lane & North Lane now being urgent

RESOLVED Clerk to contact DMBC again

Councillor Lifsey reported on a hedge at the side of the canal going out of the village over the bridge on Ings Lane is blocking the view for on coming vehicles.

RESOLVED Clerk to contact DMBC again

'SLOW' signs have been done but the main one on the road is missing where the accident spot is.

RESOLVED Clerk to contact DMBC again

Ownership of the small field next to the Village Hall/Cricket Field, clerk has contacted the owners who have said they are looking to get planning permission on the land.

4. Planning

Nothing to report

5. Financial Matters

000466 Zurich £534.25 Annual Insurance

000467 J Halsall £489.40 Clerk Salary April, May & June

000468 HMRC £109.40 Clerk PAYE April, May & June

000469 Land Register Fee £3 Land next to Village Hall

000470 A Bosmans £50 Annual Internal Audit Fee

RESOLVED that the accounts payable be approved and the cheques signed.

The Annual Accounts were agreed and signed accordingly.

RESOLVED Clerk to send to BDO for External Audit

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6 & 7. Correspondence

All Circulated

Another letter received from the Church with regards to the 150 year celebration to be held on Saturday 10th June 2 – 5pm. Will also have a Tea & Biscuit day on Sunday 11th at 2 – 5pm Parish Councillor to attend and arrange a table for presentation of their works to date. A trinity service would also be held on Sunday 11th at 6.30pm. Councillor Mrs Lifsey would arrange the Parish Councils favourite hymns with Dorothy.

8. Projects

Village Green Notice Board – Faulty
RESOLVED to make some small repairs

Councillor Thompson requested the Parish Council look into purchasing a solar panel speed sign for either end of the village
RESOLVED Clerk to look into as no reply has been received

9. Website

All up to date.

10. 'Battles Over' WW1

November 2018 – Details to be arranged

11. Any Other Business

Councillor Thompson requested slow or Horse signs near the canal bridge either side of Broad Lane/Sykehouse Bridge
RESOLVED Clerk to contact DMBC

Councillor Mr Duckitt reported on Cowick Road has been gated of by Environment Agency to help stop fly tipping.

12. Date & Time of next meetings

Dates for the next meeting at the Village Hall commencing at 7pm

Tuesday 20th June 2017
Tuesday 26th September 2017
Tuesday 7th November 2017
Tuesday 5th December 2017

There being no other business the meeting closed at 8.05pm.

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