

# SYKEHOUSE PARISH COUNCIL

## MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2017

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

**In Attendance** Councillor Mr Gilliver (DMBC)

### ***Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting.***

Tour de Yorkshire is coming to Doncaster – 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2018.  
The route for Sykehouse has been published, but doesn't come directly into the village.  
To view details - <https://letour.yorkshire.com> & <http://www.doncaster.gov.uk/tdy>

### ***Chairman's opening remarks and Declarations of interest***

#### **1. Apologies of absence**

Councillor Mr Fox

#### **2. Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November 2017**

**RESOLVED** that the minutes were approved

#### **3. Matters arising from the minutes**

Street lighting requested on Broad Lane has been rejected by DMBC due to the cost & location  
**RESOLVED** to keep on with this requested

The gate and surface to the play area. Cost of £500  
**RESOLVED** to contact DMBC to go ahead with repairs.

Various hedges have been cut back after the recent road closure to work on road repairs.

State of the road on Oak Lane has been reported.

The dangerous branch on the ash tree at 7 Chapel Lane was reported. Councillor White will report this. Power will need to be disconnected for this work. – Still not completed

Parking on Broad Lane was still an obstruction. Dangerous to pull out.

Protected Yew Tree is not looking very healthy after rubbish had been removed around it.

Danum Drainage is still ongoing with regards to the drain maintenance.

#### **4. Planning**

Nothing to report

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## **5. Financial Matters**

000481 £50 Mr Firth – Goodwill gesture for Notice Board Repairs  
000482 £519.10 J Halsall – Clerk Salary Oct, Nov & Dec  
000483 £109.40 HMR&C – Clerk PAYE Oct, Nov & Dec  
000484 £197.78 DMBC - Grounds Maintenance  
000485 £120.00 M Williams – Website host fee  
000486 £28.80 Amy Boost – Website Domain fee  
000487 £20 British Legion Wreath

**RESOLVED** that the accounts payable be approved and the cheques signed.  
Bank Statements checked and signed.  
Budget & Precept was agreed to stay the same

## **6 & 7. Correspondence**

All correspondence and emails circulated.

Christmas tree has arrived and would be put up in the next few days.

Snow wardens leaflet to be passed onto Mr Firth.

## **8. Projects**

Speed cameras are being looked into. Parish council are happy to purchase 2.  
One at either end of the village. More info to be gathered before purchased.

## **9. Website**

All up to date. Domain & Host renewal annual costs agreed

## **10. 'Battles Over' WW1**

November 2018 – Details to be arranged in the New Year

## **11. Any Other Business**

Old Cars dumped on Chapel Lane. Looks unsightly – Councillor Mr Thompson reported he will talk to the owners.

A Crack in the road on Marshall Lane was reported. The road is slipping away into the dyke on the cross roads of Eskholme & Kirk Lane.

Councillor Mr Duckitt reported on the hedge that needs cutting back on Kirk Lane after the canal bridge. Unsure of who the owners of the land are. Details to be found on Land Registry Site.

Councillor Mr Duckitt reported on Pinchoen Green, side of the road has a steep drop off. This section needs stone filling in to avoid any accidents.

## **12. Date & Time of next meetings**

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

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> January 2018

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2018

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2018

Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2018 - AGM

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

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