

MINUTE NUMBER	<p align="center">Minutes of the Meeting of Nocton Parish Council held in the Village Hall, Main Street, Nocton on Tuesday, 14 November 2017 at 7.00 pm</p>	ACTION
	<p>PRESENT: Cllr Ian Goldsworthy (Chair), Cllr MaryAnn Williams, Cllr Michael Kaye, Cllr Neil Faulkner, Cllr Jane Kania, Cllr Graham Jones. Also present: CCllr R Oxby, Ruth Keillar (Clerk)</p> <p>Eight members of the Public</p>	
87	<p><u>PUBLIC QUESTION TIME</u> No questions had been received at this time.</p>	
88	<p><u>APOLOGIES AND REASON FOR ABSENCE</u> Apologies were received from Cllr Elisabeth Murray. District Cllrs Money and Kendrick did not attend.</p>	
89	<p><u>DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST ON ANY ITEM ON THE AGENDA</u> Cllrs Kania and Goldsworthy declared an interest in agenda item 8 (Minute No. 95)</p>	
90	<p><u>MINUTES</u> Minutes of the meeting of the Parish Council held on 12 September 2017 were taken as read and signed as correct.</p>	
91	<p><u>REPORTS OF REPRESENTATIVES</u></p> <p>a) Local Police No representatives were in attendance. The Clerk reported that the Police report had been received for the period 11 October – 14 November: no reported crimes.</p> <p>b) Village Hall Management Committee Cllr Williams reported that a new Bookings Clerk is still to be appointed A new Treasurer has been appointed: A key safe has been purchased. Online booking systems will be implemented</p> <p>c) County Councillor – Cllr Oxby gave a verbal report covering a range of County issues. The Chair drew attention to the problems caused by the large quantities of straw building up in the gutters, etc in both Main Street and Potterhanworth Road which was not only unsightly but interfered with drainage, etc. Cllr Oxby agreed to speak to the appropriate Portfolio Holder at LCC to consider what action might be taken to ensure that the lorries concerned had their loads properly secured to prevent the straw from falling onto the highway. He would also investigate whether the companies concerned might be required to contribute financially to the significant costs involved in removing the straw from the roads.</p> <p>d) District Councillors - None present</p>	
92	<p><u>PARISH CLERK</u> The Parish Council noted the Clerk's report, which had been circulated previously. Report items discussed: 15. An open well in the grounds of Nocton Hall has been reported to the PC; Cllr Jones agreed to contact LEDA to advise them of the potential danger to members of the public.</p>	Cllr Jones
93	<p><u>NOCTON VILLAGE HALL – PROPOSED REDEVELOPMENT</u> The following matters were noted:</p> <p>(a) Cllr Williams reported the outcome of an informal meeting held with Darren Wallace, Design Manager at Simons, prior to the Parish Council meeting. A meeting with NKDC Nick Feltham - Principal Planning Officer, Graham Wilson - Tree Officer and Marianne Porter - Conservation Officer, Darren</p>	clerk

	<p>Wallace and members of the Rebuilding Sub-committee is to be arranged in order to consider how the design, etc of the new Hall can be revised in order to ensure planning permission can be obtained. The outcome of the meeting will be reported to the next meeting of the Parish Council.</p>	
94	<p><u>PLANNING APPLICATIONS AND ISSUES</u></p> <p>The Parish Council considered the following applications:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. 17/1451/HOUS – 5 Lincoln Road - Erection of single storey side and rear extension. (NKDC agreed Extension to comments date until 15.11.17) It was proposed by Cllr Kaye, seconded by Cllr Kania and it was RESOLVED that a comment supporting the application would be submitted. ii. 17/1595/TPO - 10 Nocton Park Road - Tree Group 1 - 5 x Elm - fell; T1 Sycamore (eastern) - fell; T2 Sycamore (western) - reduce crown by 3m and deadwood – no comments made. iii. 17/1432/FUL - Cricket Ground Pavilion Cricket Club, The Bridle Way - Replacement of the existing pavilion and chemical toilets with a new building It was proposed by Cllr Kaye, seconded by Cllr Kania and it was RESOLVED that a comment supporting the application would be submitted. <p>It was agreed that the toilet cubicles, which had been purchased by the Parish Council for the Cricket club, would be recovered and deployed elsewhere. Cllr Kania to contact Nocton School to see if they might be of use on the school playing field.</p> <p>The Parish Council noted the following decisions received:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) 17/1340/DISCON – 17/0634/HOUS – Rose Garden - Approved b) 17/1418/TCA – The Old Post Office – TPO not required c) 17/1461/TCA – The Manor House School Road – TPO not required d) 17/1291/DISCON ref 17/0660/HOUS – High Curley – Approved e) 17/1376/HOUS – 6 Metheringham Heath Lane - approved f) 17/0807/FUL - Land Off Branston Lane - Construction of a new lined and capped digestate lagoon together with retaining bund and 1.8m high perimeter fencing. – Approved 	<p>Clerk</p> <p>Clerk</p> <p>Clerk</p> <p>Cllr Kania</p>
95	<p><u>200 CLUB</u></p> <p>It was proposed by Cllr Kania, seconded by Cllr Williams and it was RESOLVED that an application to the 200 Club from the Nocton Parish Church Fund Raising Committee – for the printing of programmes for the Christmas tree festival at a cost of £50.11 for 500 copies, be APPROVED.</p> <p>It was noted that an application from Rev'd Lorna Brabin-Smith to the 200 Club for support in connection with the installation of a sound system in Nocton Church would be considered at the next meeting.</p>	<p>Clerk</p>
96	<p><u>COMMUNITY POLICE PANEL</u></p> <p>Cllr Jones reported the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) As agreed at minute 84 (d), in preparation for the Community Police Panel of 24 November, where the MP Dr Caroline Johnston will be in attendance, he would be raising the following issues: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Police staffing levels for rural areas; there is currently only 1 x PC and 2 x PCSOs to serve for 18 villages. ii. Request for feedback on reported crimes/incidents <p>Cllr Jones reported that he is able to take any additional issues if they are brought to the attention of the Parish Council prior to the meeting.</p>	

	<p>b) The Community Police Panel had produced a useful booklet, Rural Community Safety Strategy, which will be scanned and put onto the Parish Council website</p> <p>c) The SID is currently at Ashby de la Launde and will be deployed in Nocton during December.</p>	Clerk
97	<p><u>PROGRESS REPORTS OF PARISH COUNCILLORS</u></p> <p>a) Cllr Kania reported that</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. The December issue of Nocton News will be produced/circulated early and that, if there is sufficient material the January 2018 issue will be circulated later that month. ii. The Christmas Tree Festival, at All Saint's Church, Friday 8th to Sunday 10th December 2017, is on schedule and Cllr Faulkner has offered to provide a suitable tree for the Parish Council entry. <p>b) Cllr Kaye reported that clean-up works had started on the site at 72a Steamer Point Road and are being monitored to ensure they are carried out appropriately and timely.</p> <p>c) Cllr Williams reported that following the site visit on Friday 27 October at the Village Green, Lincoln EcoArborists (LEA) have provided a quotation of £180 to include the removal of lowest limbs on T0B33 and T0B34 and the associated application for works in a Conservation area to NKDC. PC permission is required to put in an application.</p> <p>It was proposed by Cllr Williams, seconded by Cllr Kania and it was RESOLVED that permission is given for LEA to submit an application to NKDC for the additional works to be carried out.</p> <p>The remaining works identified in the earlier application for tree works in the village are to be completed shortly.</p>	Clerk
98	<p><u>NOCTON PARISH COUNCIL – DATES OF FUTURE MEETINGS</u></p> <p>It was noted that the next meeting of the Parish Council will be held on 12 December 2017, 7pm.</p> <p>It was agreed to provide wine, soft drinks and mince pies for those members of the public who attend the meeting</p>	Clerk
99	<p><u>Public Session</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) A query was raised regarding the lorry cab which is occasionally parked in the layby in front of the village sign in Main Street. Cllr Jones responded that this issue has been discussed previously and that the vehicle is parking legally. b) A query was raised re the hedge overgrowing into Manor Yard. Cllr Williams responded that she would attempt to contact the resident concerned. c) A member of the Wasps Nest community reported that the heritage telephone kiosk at Wasps Nest has been re-furbished and was due to be installed shortly. Ideas for what might be placed in the box are requested. It was agreed to include this in the Nocton News in January. All feedback is to be via the Clerk. 	Cllr Kania Clerk
	There being no further business the Chair closed the meeting at 8 pm	

Chair.....I Goldsworthy

Date.....12 December 2017