

HALL
CB
8/5/19

PRESENT

Councillor S. Bowles (Chairman, in the Chair)
Councillor R. Hinton
Councillor C. Marsh
Councillor A. Shaw

Councillor C. Skeates
Councillor A. Murray
Councillor C. Raine

IN ATTENDANCE – Clerk

ALSO ATTENDING –

102/18 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

RESOLVED to note that apologies for absence were received and accepted from – Councillor Dalton.

City Councillor Bowman also submitted his apologies to the meeting and thanked members for their welcome and wished them well for the future, adding that it had been a pleasure to represent Farlam Parish Council.

Members put on record their thanks for Councillor Bowman's work over the last 13 years.

103/18 REQUESTS FOR DISPENSATION

RESOLVED to note that no requests for dispensation were received.

104/18 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Councillors were invited to record their interests in the register.

RESOLVED to note there were no declarations of interest.

105/18 MINUTES

105/18.1 MINUTE OF THE MEETING HELD ON 9TH JANUARY 2019 WAS SUBMITTED.

RESOLVED to authorise the Chairman to sign the minutes of the meeting held on 9th January 2019, confirmed as a true and accurate record.

106/18 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

RESOLVED to note that there were no members of the public present.

The following items were raised by members under public participation:-

106/18.1 FARLAM WAR MEMORIAL

An email was circulated from Historic England asking members to comment on a consultation to list the Farlam War Memorial as being of special architectural or historic interest.

RESOLVED to comment that Farlam Parish Council already maintains the war memorial and do not see the need for any additional listing than that which is already in place.

106/18.2 NOTICEBOARDS

Members reported on the noticeboards at Farlam and Tindale.

RESOLVED that Councillor Murray would look at the repairs required for the Farlam noticeboard and that the Clerk would order additional magnets for the board at Tindale.

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106/18.3 MEMBERS

RESOLVED to note that Councillor Bowles wanted to put on record his thanks to outgoing Councillors Shaw and Raine for their work. Councillor Shaw was presented with a certificate and gift as thanks for his 32 years of service to Farlam Parish Council.

Councillor Shaw recounted his work as a Councillor to members at the meeting.

An advert had been placed in the Village News for new councillors. Elections will take place on May 2nd 2019.

107/18 POLICE ISSUES

RESOLVED to note that at a recent police drop-in session at Hallbankgate Hub, the police had confirmed that vehicles should not be parking opposite the school.

108/18 REPRESENTATIVES' REPORTS

RESOLVED to note there were no representative's reports.

109/18 TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING - APPLICATIONS -

RESOLVED to note there were no application to be considered.

110/18 FINANCIAL MATTERS

110/18.1 Bank Reconciliation to 14.02.19

There was submitted a report by the Clerk on the reconciliation of the Council's financial records with its bank account statements.

RESOLVED to receive and note the bank reconciliation and balance to 14th February 2019 of £4,082.48.

110/18.2 Approval of Expenditure

RESOLVED to authorise the following expenditure for payment:-

- £330.32 A. Riddell – net wage to 31.03.19
- £165.20 HMR&C – PAYE
- £226.79 Brampton PC – contribution to copier/stationery/internet/SLCC/ALCC
- £40.00 ICO – data protection registration

111/18 HIGHWAYS ISSUES

RESOLVED to note the following would be reported to highways:-

- Flooding near Farlam
- Utility man holes from Hallbankgate to Tindale requiring repairs
- Soakaways on road near Tindale

112/18 STREET LIGHT AT CROSSGATES

RESOLVED to note that the Clerk would contact the highways department regarding the damaged streetlight at Crossgates being repaired.

113/18 ~~PARKING AT BELTED WILL~~ WEBSITE

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Councillor Hinton reported the current platform for the parish council's website would be discontinued. Costings for alternative platforms were considered.

RESOLVED to note that Councillor Hinton would transfer the website to the 123reg platform at a cost of approximately £60.00.

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114/18 RISK ASSESSMENT

The Clerk submitted the Parish Council's risk assessment for 2018/19 for consideration.

RESOLVED to note and approve the 2018/19 risk assessment.

115/18 PLAY AREA

RESOLVED to note there had been one response following a request for parishioners to form a group to fundraise for the play area.

116/18 CALC

The following correspondence from CALC was received and noted:-

116/18.1 CALC CIRCULARS – February and March 2019

RESOLVED to note that Councillor Bowles would include an article on litter and dog fouling in the June edition of the Village News.

116/18.2 CARLISLE CULTURE – Email from CALC.

116/18.3 LOCAL COMMITTEE WORKING TOGETHER – Email from CALC.

116/18.4 TOUR OF CUMBRIA EVENT – Email from CALC.

116/18.5 LAKE DISTRICT WORLD HERITAGE SITE – Email from CALC.

116/18.6 PARKING SURVEY – Email from CALC.

116/18.7 CARLISLE VOLUNTEERING FAIR – Email from CALC.

117/18 CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED BY THE CLERK –

RESOLVED to note the following correspondence had been received:-

117/18.1 680 BUS SERVICE – Email from Cumbria County Council.

117/18.2 A689 SLAGGYFORD EDGE STRENGTHENING WORKS – Email from Northumberland County Council.

118/18 LITERATURE AVAILABLE FROM CLERK –

RESOLVED to note the following literature was available from the Clerk:-


118/18.1 NOTICE OF EXECUTIVE KEY DECISIONS – 1st March 2019.

118/18.2 CLERK AND COUNCILS DIRECT – March 2019

119/18 AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING

RESOLVED to note that any further items for consideration should be submitted to the Clerk on or before 1st May 2019.

120/18 DATE OF NEXT MEETING - Wednesday 8th May 2019, Hallbankgate Village Hall, 7.30pm. Please note this will include the Annual Parish Meeting and the Annual Meeting of the Parish Council.


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