#### PARTNEY AND DALBY PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL

#### Held on the 11th March 2019

**Present:** Mr. J Boulton (Vice Chairman), Mrs. B Dawson, Mrs. J Oliver, Mr. N Blanchard, Mr. D Morris, Mr. L Sharp, Mrs. E Middleton, 2 residents of Partney

#### **1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

None were received

## 2. TO RECEIVE ANY DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND TO CONSIDER ANY REQUESTS FOR DISPENSATIONS.

There were no declarations of interest.

#### 3. <u>TO APPROVE AS A CORRECT RECORD THE NOTES OF THE MEETING OF THE</u> <u>COUNCIL HELD ON THE 7TH JANU ARY 2019</u>

The minutes were approved as a true record and signed by the Chairman (pages 210 - 211).

#### 4. TO ADDRESS ANY ACTIONS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES:

<u>Clearing of the Beck.</u> A resident has written a reply and this was read out.

**Speeding and signs at Dalby.** The Parish Clerk will contact Highways to review this issue. **Footpaths at Monks Lane.** The Parish Clerk has contacted the Council and has received no response. A follow up email will be sent.

**Gates at Dalby to Church.** The Parish Clerk has made various contacts. This will be revisited at the next meeting. It is keypad entry, not public highway, always possible to get it open. This is down to the Church to fight the matter further. Gates are blocking the Highway.

War Memorial Grants. The Parish Clerk has sent the application off.

**Councillor Grants.** The £300 is the final amount so now to be spent on a bench.

**Dalby Crash Barrier.** A follow up email will be sent with regards to the erosion. This is half way up the hill.

**Broadband.** Further phone calls are to be made to get this sorted.

# 5. Planning Matters: Church Cottage - N/136/02372/18

The application has been approved.

**<u>6. Financial Matters:</u>** The accounts were circulated. Savings accounts £1, 956.43 and current account £5,947.78.

**Payments** approved for filing cabinet of £215.00, Victory Hall donation of £270.00, Victory Hall Rent of £90.00, Anglian Water of £12.10, Parish Clerk wages of £329.41, LALC of £81.57 which will be post dated 1 April 2019.

The records were discussed and we are going to keep them for 7 years which is the Government statutory period.

# 7. CORRESPONDENCE

- A letter has been received from Community Lincs Insurance regarding the insurance now being dealt with direct by Zurich.
- Keep Britain Tidy by holding a Spring Clean day in your village. Litter pickers and bags are available from East Lindsey District Council. We set the date for our as 27<sup>th</sup> April 2019. Teas and coffees will be available. A poster is to be made. 10am start.
- Email to be sent to Highways regarding litter picking on A158 and A16 to make the bypass immaculate.

- Policies to be updated and Mrs. J Oliver, Mr. J Boulton, Mr. L Sharp and the Parish Clerk are meeting on 11<sup>th</sup> April 2019 at 7pm to make a start on this.
- A letter has been received from ELDC regarding the planning application on Land at Fair Field, Scremby Road, Partney has been withdrawn on 20 February 2019. The Parish Council are to write a letter to the landowner regarding the piece of land to be handed to the Parish Council in the original application. This was proposed by Mrs. B Dawson and seconded by Mr. J Boulton.
- Cemetery upkeep Following on from the tender for this we have received a quote on a hourly basis. We would prefer this to be a fixed yearly fee. It was agreed that the week before the tidy up day ask him to come and do a cut. We are looking at a figure of around £700.00 for the year based on 18 cuts.
- Public Footpath orders at Dalby Hall John Nuttall has put an application in to divert a footpath along an alternative route which is very pleasant. Some councillors attended a meeting with others for this to be discussed. Chairman of Ramblers was concerned about public having to walk through stock in the future. The application is currently in with the County Council and we will eventually be asked to send our views. Can this please be given some thought ready for when we are asked to submit our comments. The new path will exclude the church and the ancient reason for the path was to allow people to go to church. The new route goes uphill and close to the road.
- Parish Council Elections the relevant packs were handed to the Dalby Parish Councillors. Mrs. J Oliver is collecting extra packs tomorrow for Partney Parish Councillors and will drop round at everyone's house. The completed papers need to be back with Mrs. J Oliver by 25<sup>th</sup> March 2019 to allow an appointment to be made for returning the paperwork and having them checked.

## **8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

Mr. N Blanchard is to get the Parish Clerk and Mr. J. Boulton a key cut for the village hall in case they ever need to access any of the paperwork.

The Meeting Closed at 8.52pm

Date of Next Meeting 13<sup>th</sup> May 2019 at 7.30pm which is the Annual General Meeting.