

HUNSONBY PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the ordinary meeting held at Hunsonby Community Centre on Wednesday 8th July 2015.

- PRESENT Mrs J Baker (Chair) Mrs H J Teasdale (Clerk)
 Mr J Holliday Mr D Banks (EDC)
 Mr A Graves
 Mr A Renvoize
 Mr N Preston
- 15/07-1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE
 Mr B Fearon
- 15/07-2 MINUTES
 The minutes of the meeting held on 14th May & 18th June 2015 having been circulated, were signed as a correct record.
 Proposed by N Preston , seconded by A Renvoize
- 15/07-3 DECLARATION OF INTEREST
 No interest was noted
- 15/07-4 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION
 9 members of public were present
 One member of the public commented on the lack of road markings at Road Head & Mount Pleasant (Gilbert Walkers) – clerk to email highways to request that they be redone.
- 15/07-5 MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES
 The clerk has received one email regarding the vacant position on the council for a member of the public in Little Salkeld. Clerk will email back and invite them to the next meeting.
 Following the last meeting, the new play area was discussed following the quotes that have been received and grants that are being applied for. Some of these require signatures from councillors before the deadline in September, so councillors agreed the next meeting will be before this.
- 15/07-6 PLANNING DECISIONS AND APPLICATIONS
- 15/07- 6b D BANKS – EDC
 New council & executive
 Penrith & Alston Hosptal – lots of new houses
 Single site at Town Hall
 Joining up Carlisle, EDC Allerdale & South Lakeland councils – the savings would be huge.
 Lots of training – for Cllr Banks
 Street Lighting – EDC have dealt with it the best, but what lights are on the list we should get.
- 15/07-7 CORRESPONDENCE AND REPORTS
 Clerks & Councils Direct – Newsletter
- 15/07-8 FINANCE

The clerk reported that the bank balance stands at - £8077.38

Receipts –

VAT repayment - £20.00

HM Treasury – War stock redemption - £19.99

Payments -

H Teasdale – Salary - £341.80

H Teasdale- Expenses - £32.06

N Preston – Grass Cutting - £450.00

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ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Hedge at Garth House -was raised as concern as it was out into the road, the owners property were contacted & the hedge has now been cut back.

Little Salkeld playing field hedge – N Preston will do this in August sometime

The council received the report for Winskill play area done by K Stout, the areas that didnt pass were discussed & several areas need monitoring.

Rhona Mackinnon from Wjel Medical gave a breif talk on the possibility of getting a Defibrillator for the parish and the training available. This was well received by everyone attending the meeting and the clerk to put something in the Memo.

The clerk advised the council about the new requirement for the council –

Transparency Code and what needs to be done. It was unaimously deiced the CALC option for displaying this information was the best option for a council of this size and most cost effective.

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DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Tuesday 25th August 2015