

MINUTES OF THE TARSET AND GREYSTEAD PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON
WEDNESDAY 18TH MAY 2016 COMMENCING 7.30PM IN THE VILLAGE HALL,
LANEHEAD, TARSET, NORTHUMBERLAND

PRESENT: Councillors D McCracken (Chair); M Walton, R Ward

IN ATTENDANCE: n/a

CHAIRMAN'S OPENING REMARKS

APOLOGIES

Cllr S Walton, Cllr J Morrison-Bell, C Miller (Clerk)

DECLARATION OF INTEREST

None

VACANCY

D McCracken to consult with the Clerk with regards to co-opting Mr Kathiravel to the Parish Council.

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

The minutes of the previous meeting held on Wednesday 20th April 2016 were agreed as a true record.

MATTERS ARISING

- a) Road improvements: Some roadworks and tarmacking has recently taken place, C Miller (Clerk) to write to Northumberland County Council to give thanks for the work.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

n/a

HIGHWAY MATTERS

- a) Consultation regarding timber extraction from Highgreen: Ongoing.
- b) Lanhead signage update: D McCracken had visited Mr Anderson with regards to a Hawthorn bush which had been damaged to resolve the matter. D McCracken had suggested to Neil Snowdon to remove the sign as there is no suitable location, nor was it deemed necessary.
- c) Lampost in Lanehead
- d) Greenhaugh traffic calming.
- e) Kielder sports signage at Lanehead junction: The sign has since been removed.
- f) Dog bin location: D McCracken to relocate the bin.

FINANCIAL MATTERS

- a) To consider the most recent financial accounts: Accepted.
- b) To authorise invoices for payment: Done.
- c) Grant applications under Section 137 of the Local Government Act 1972: C Miller to arrange £50 donation upon return.
- d) To authorise any future expenditure: none.
- e) BDO Annual Accounts 2015-2016: Following R Cooper's audit, for which the Parish Council is grateful, D McCracken to instruct the C Miller to contact HMRC with regard to paying back the VAT amount advised by R Cooper.
- f) Additional Bank signatory: R Ward requires the bank form to complete.

CORRESPONDENCE

None.

PLANNING

- a) To receive planning applications: No objections to the application submitted from Redheugh.

REPORTS

None received.

NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

Ongoing, the Parish Council is waiting for the National Park to respond.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

None.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Wednesday 15th June 2016 7.30pm.