

**Knayton cum Brawith Parish Council** [www.knaytonparishcouncil.org.uk](http://www.knaytonparishcouncil.org.uk)

**Minutes of the meeting held in Knayton Village Hall at 7.15pm on September 2<sup>nd</sup> 2019.**

**Present.** Parish Councillors M. Cowton, L. Gibbon. B. Scott and K. Smith. County Councillor G. Dadd and District Councillor. A. Robinson attended the meeting along with six members of the public.

**19.104 Members of the Public.** Repairs to the seat at the cross roads were praised.

The Clerk reported that following notification of another water leak on Moor Road by a member of the public, east of the Vicarage, Yorkshire Water implied it was a spring. Council instructed the Clerk to insist that excavations are carried out. It was disappointing that many villagers and the Council had not been advised about current roadworks in preparation for eventual surface dressing. Concern was raised about the gradient and drop off curb of the new ramp outside Moor Rise, with observations that it was an accident waiting to happen for a pram pusher, disabled person or wheel chair user. It was felt that there was sufficient space where the gradient was less steep.

Cllr. Dadd agreed to find out future plans for surface dressing in the village as it was apparent that the present work was preparation only.

**An update on plans to repair the Woundales Bridge would be requested.**

19.105 There were no apologies for absence.

19.106 There were no declarations of interest in items on the agenda.

19.107 The minutes from the Ordinary Meeting of the Council and the extra-ordinary meeting on July 1<sup>st</sup> 2019 were approved and signed.

**19.108 To receive HDC report from Cllr. A. Robinson,** and update on Planning

There was no update on Enforcement Issues at the former Transport Café Site.

Cllr. Robinson reported that one electric charging point had been installed in Thirsk Market Place near the Fruit Shop and six more were planned.

Comments on the soundness of the Local Plan were invited.

Plans were in place to provide a Crematorium in the Thirsk area.

Electronic means would be used as a deterrent against fly tipping.

Council Tax would be reduced for low income families from 2020.

Northallerton would host the World Cycling Championship on 25th September. A discussion about recycling ended with the decision to arrange a visit to Allerton Park Incinerator for villagers in November.

**19.109 To receive NYCC report from Cllr. G. Dadd.** Additional funds from Government would help provide long needed funding for additional Elderly and Social Care.

**19.110 Clerk's Report and Correspondence.** *See below.*

**19.111 Financial Matters.** a. Community Account Balance as 11 August 2019, £2874.26

b. Deposit Interest Business Account. 0.98p July/August 2019.

c. Business Account Balance as 11 August 2019, £5,787.22 (of which £1,523.62 is Restricted Funds.)

d. Payments. HDC. Election recharge. £100.00. Cheque 100330. Approved.

K. Smith. 2 noticeboards. £500.00. Cheque 100331. Approved.

Information commissioner £40.00. Cheque 100332. Approved.

MD Simpson. Caretaker Expenses. £495.00 Cheque 100333. Appr.

IC de Wet Clerks wage July-Sept. £323.63 cheque 100255. Appr.

IC de Wet Clerk's travelling £19.50 Cheque 100256. Approved.

HMRC Q2 £80.80 Cheque 100257 Approved.

IC de Wet. Paper £3.35. Cheque 100258. Approved.

Powerpoint repair to mower £62.52. Cheque 100259. Approved.

19.112 **Planning.** Decisions. 18/01997/FUL Property Adjacent to Penhill. Approved  
New Applications. 19/01633/FUL Knayton Moor Grange. Change of use  
to domestic land of existing paddock and side field + construction of a  
private use tennis court facility. Wish to see approved.

19.113 **Village Caretaker.** Following a suggestion from Cllr. Cowton, it was agreed to ask  
the Caretaker to cut the Green until the end of the season. He felt it would give the  
Council the opportunity to ascertain likely costs of employing a contractor for the  
future. A parishioner had reminded Council on the day of the meeting that he had  
cut the grass in the past when Cllr. Cowton was unavailable. The Caretaker would be  
asked to do some work on the overhanging branch of a tree near the Borrowby  
bridge, although Cllr. Robinson had cut some of the lower parts off himself. He  
would also be asked to investigate the rubbish which was being dumped on the A19  
sliproad.

19.114 Cllr. Scott gave a brief report from Hambleton Parish Liaison Meeting. There had  
been reports on Public Health, the Local Plan, the Friarage Hospital and Waste  
Management.

19.115 Fly tipping on the southbound slip road of A19 was discussed. CCTV and signage  
would be considered.

**Date of next meeting: October 7<sup>th</sup> 2019.**

#### CLERK'S REPORT AND CORRESPONDENCE.

Website Accessibility Statement to be prepared and published by 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2019.

Notice from resident that water still leaking following recent YW repair near Vicarage.

Report from parishioner footpath volunteer re state of access of path from Knayton to S. Kilvington.

Report from Borrowby PC about overhanging tree limb near Bridge just past the school.

YLCA White Rose Update. Circulated.

YLCA Revised Model Financial Regulations.

HDC. Local Plan Update. Circulated.

Use of Business Account Funds. October agenda.

Work done on Back Lane would be acknowledged.