**KNAYTON CUM BRAWITH PARISH COUNCIL**

**Minutes of the Annual Village Meeting Held in Knayton Village Hall**

**on Monday 15 May 2023**

**Present**: Cllrs B. Scott, K. Smith, J. Peckitt, R Croisdale

**Clerk:** Liz Foster

**Villagers:** 4 people

1. Chairman read the notice convening the meeting
2. Parish Councillors in attendance were introduced
3. Apologies received from Cllr Cook who was on holiday
4. Chairman read out her annual report (published on the Council’s website)
5. **Items raised by villagers present:**

a. The Parish Councillors were thanked for their work over the past year

**b. Speeding in the village:** *what is the view of the Council of reducing the speed limit from 30mph to 20mph? traffic of all kinds – agricultural and domestic speeds through the village and it was acknowledged that most offenders are residents*.

Cllrs shared the concerns expressed.

20s plenty wasn’t well supported generally and by Cllr Dadd

This matter has been discussed by the Council in the past as follows:

Sleeping policemen/rumble strips rejected due to the noise created by passing tractors/trailers

A matrix was looked at in the past but was costly to rent/purchase

Police carried out an average speed check and found that on the whole speeds in the village were not too bad

Police advised that staggered parking would slow down traffic

Enquiries about reducing the current 40mph to 20/30mph past Knayton school had revealed that there was insufficient distance from the existing 40mph after the A19 slip road to reduce speed further

**AGREED**

* **Clerk to contact Highways to enquire about a speed matrix**
* **Village Hall Committee will look at installing a security camera on the village hall**
* **Clerk to include on agenda for June 2023 meeting**

**c. Information board for the village green:** the Council would like to proceed with this

**AGREED**

* **Clerk to include on agenda for June 2023 meeting and to obtain quotations**

**d. Drainage outside the village hall:** the problem has occurred again following recent rainfall

**AGREED**

* **Clerk to contact Highways**
* **Clerk to include on agenda for June 2023 meeting**

**e. Plants under the village sign near the A19:** there is a large slab of concrete there so a planter would be required; a villager present offered to take responsibility for watering the plants

**AGREED**

* The people responsible for flowers in the village will look into this

There being no further business the meeting closed at 7.52pm