

MINUTES of Wing's Annual Parish Meeting held on Wednesday 24th May 2017 in the Village Hall.

01/17 Attendance Register: Cllr's Spooner (deputy chair), Clark, Curley, Dejardin, Newsham & Seviour,

County Councillor Edward Baines
11, members of the public

02/17 Apologies for Absence: All present

03/17 To approve the minutes of the Parish Meeting held on Wednesday 25th May 2016: Proposed by Cllr Dejardin, seconded by Cllr Newsham, that the minutes were a true record of the meeting, unanimously agreed.

04/17 Audited accounts 2015 – 2016: The Clerk presented the audited accounts by the external auditors Grant Thornton, and 2016 – 2017 accounts audited by the internal auditor John Hackett. The 2016 – 2017 accounts will be forwarded to Grant Thornton. No questions were raised.

05/17 Precept and estimates 2017 – 2018: The presented the estimates for the forthcoming year. No questions were raised.

06/17 Chairman's Report:

Richard Tulloch resigned as council chair and councillor on 3rd May 2017 but has presented his report herewith for the year 2016 – 2017.

I am sure the Speed Indicator Device at the end of the village is of benefit to the residents of Wing in that area, especially to the children playing as they do. Drivers do take notice of their speed on entering the village but we should be aware that when they exit the village towards Morcott they tend to speed up sometimes quite dangerously. The total cost of the SID was £5,607npaid out of Wing Parish Council funds.

Susan, our clerk was very instrumental in securing grants for the new play equipment. The old swings had served the village wellbeing 45 years old and unfortunately the rust at the base of the supports was eating into the metal. A grant of £12,000 from Grantscape and £3,000 from Cory enabled us to replace both the swings and the multiplay. The multiplay designed for young children is cheerful and bright and is proving to be popular.

The Parish Council, through a leaflet drop around the village asked residents if they would care be involved with the task of creating a Neighbourhood Plan for Wing. At the first public meeting, around 60 individuals joined Parish Councillors and the representative for Rutland County Council Colin Dunigan for an initial outline for the Neighbourhood Plan, an amazing turnout. Those people who wished to be on the

steering group meet for a second meeting to select their officers. Nicky Lyttelton was elected as Chairman, Joanne Beaver as Vice, Angela Harding as secretary for a six-month period. Mark Dyas has also been extremely supportive. He and Angela undertook the task of a second leaflet drop this time with a more personal touch. The group is now well established with several people undertaking to head various aspects of the plan. (End)

Council requested a letter of thanks to Richard Tulloch
The clerk was thanked for obtaining grants for the new play equipment.

07/17 Questions raised by members of the public.

Following advice from the LRALC names will not be applied to questions.

- a) Water leak – the residents of Church Lane are determined to pursue Rutland County Council for a solution to the water leak and dreadful material used for kerbstones.
- b) A request to transfer the bin surplus to requirement to the bus shelter.
- c) Wing Hollow – the road is narrow and the hedge is impeding the view for vehicles and needs urgent attention. The hedge/tree is privately owned but Rutland County Council Highways department be requested to take action.
- d) Bins outside Top Lodge – Rutland County Council had suggested that the bins would be removed on 5th May 2017 but this did not happen. It seems there is a drainage problem at Top Lodge and until this is resolved the bins cannot be returned within the house boundary:
See the following from Rutland County Council:

To further clarify this matter there is an issue at the property on Top Street which means the customer there cannot presently put the bins onto the property. Until the matter is resolved the customer will have to keep the bins where they are. Rutland County Council is aware of this issue.
- e) Planning application 5, Glaston Road, Wing. Objections raised (agenda item at the following Parish Council meeting).

Meeting closed at 7.35 pm.