ANSTON PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL HELD AT THE PARISH HALL, 15A RYTON ROAD, NORTH ANSTON ON TUESDAY 18TH APRIL 2023

Present: Councillors Diane Graham (Chairman), Marie Wilkinson (Vice-Chairman),

Ben Bentley, Shaun Concannon, Clive Jepson

In Attendance: Yvonne Colverson (Locum Clerk). Four members of public

Public Participation:

There were no questions from the public in attendance

39/23 APOLOGIES

A apologies noted from Cllr Wright & Cllr Powers

CII Matthews unable to attend due to ill health

RESOLVED That the apologies sent from Cllr Matthews is approved

40/23 CO-OPTION

Council considered an application for co-option from Colin Tawn who had previously served on the council.

CIIr Graham asked Mr Tawn why he would like to serve on the Council again after previously resigning. Mr Tawn replied that he left due to a problem with a member of staff.

Cllr Graham asked Mr Tawn if he would take up Councillor training. Mr Tawn replied he would if he thought it necessary

CIIr B Bentley moved that Mr Tawn is co-opted

Recorded vote:

CIIr B Bentley - for

Cllr S Concannon - For

Cllr C Jebpson - For

CIIr D Graham - Abstained

Cllr M Wilkinson - Abstained

RESOLVED That Mr Colin Tawn is co-opted to the Council

DECLARATION OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY AND OTHER INTERESTS

(a) TO RECEIVE DISCLOSURES BY MEMBERS OF ANY DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS FOR THE PURPOSES OF SECTION 31 OF THE LOCALISM ACT 2011 AND ANY OTHER RELEVANT INTERESTS UNDER THE MEMBERS CODE OF CONDUCT

None

(b) TO RECEIVE AND DECIDE UPON REQUESTS FOR DISPENSATIONS TO COUNCILLORS TO TAKE PART IN DISCUSSIONS AND VOTES WHERE THEY HAVE DECLARED DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS

None.

41.23 Minutes

RESOLVED: Minutes of the meetings held on Wednesday 21st March 2023 are approved as a true record of the proceedings.

42.23 REPORTS

a. Clerk's Report

Actions taken and updates since 21st March 2023

Hillcrest – Email sent to Johnathan Marriott regarding the lease for Hillcrest. No reply received to date.

NOTE: Cllr Graham reported that Cllr Tarmey has asked Philip Horesfield that the clause restricting use of Hillcrest to Pre-School is removed.

Fencing on Ryton Road – quotation to carry out work to fencing on Ryton Road.

Andrea Pearson is checking with the Community Safety and Street Scene department who will contact the Council

Van – The van has been in a minor accident that did some damage to the power steering which has left it unusable. A claim through the insurance has been made and we await the outcome, however it is likely that the van will be written off.

The Green – Roger Taylor, Solicitor, reported that he has had no response from the complainant's solicitor, so he now considers the case closed.

RESOLVED: That this information be received

b. Ward Councillor – Council received the following report from Cllr T Wilson

The Covid memorial on Greenland Park is now complete

A community fridge will be set up at Woodland Drive Centre

RESOLVED: That this information be received

c. Chair's report

Cllr Graham reported that she had attended the recent CAP meeting where the following issues were discussed.

Crime figures are now being reported quarterly so have little relevance. Cllr Graham will ask, at the next meeting, if this can be monthly in future.

Mill Lane, Wilberforce Road and Sheffield Road. The storage compound for housing improvements will be removed in August.

A Fly-tipping clean up on the A57 is due to take place

Plans for Mill Lane are moving ahead

There is still a problem with vehicles and electric vehicles parking outside the school. Cllr Graham will ask for this to be put on the next agenda

RESOLVED: That this information is received

43.22 ITEMS TO BE CONSIDERED IN THE ABSENCE OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC:

RESOLVED; That items 7a, 7c, 8a, 8b & 8d be discussed with members of the press and public excluded

44.22 PLANNING:

RB2023/0288: Burial Ground Sheffield Road South Anston – Change of use of land to form extension to cemetery with associated access & car park

RESOLVED; That the Council will enquire if the appropriate ground and water course tests have been carried out before this application is considered

RB2022/1203: Common Farm Bookers Lane Dinnington – Installation and operation of a solar energy park and associated infrastructure.

The Council do have some concerns regarding construction traffic however are confident the Planning Authority and Highways Authority will be aware of issues.

RESOLVED: The Council will make no comment regarding this application

RB2022/1384 – Land at Worksop Road Lindrick – Retrospective application for improvement to site entrance, security fencing and gate

The Clerk reported that she has spoken to the planning officer who has confirmed that, due to the complexity of the application, this will not go to community until June 23 at the earliest. As the Council has previously made comments they will be contacted when a date for committee is agreed.

RESOLVED: That this information has been received

45.23 ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION AND RESOLUTIONS

a. Hillcrest

See item 42.23a. Cllr Tarmey has requested that the lease on Hillcrest has the clause restricting use to pre-school removed.

RESOLVED: That this information is received

b. Notice boards

As no quotations have been provided CIIr Graham moved this item is deferred to the Finance and General-purpose committee

RESOLVED: That the Finance and General-purpose committee will consider this item

c. Steam Rally

Council were asked to consider action to be taken to eleviate the issues with traffic experienced in previous years

RESOLVED: That a letter will be sent to the organisers of the Steam Rally asking them to provide traffic marshals for the whole time of the rally

d. Old Library

Council considered quotations for consultancy work including design, quantity surveying, procurement process and project management.

RESOLVED: That CS Surveying will be employed to do this work

46.23 CORRESPONDENCE

None received

47.23 ITEMS OF INFORMATION

None received

48.23 ITEMS FOR THE NEXT AGENDA

Councillor allowance

Accessibility of recreation ground

49.23 DATE AND VENUE OF NEXT MEETING

RESOLVED: That the next ordinary meeting of the Parish Council take place on Monday 5th May 2023

Meeting closed 8.50pm

Yvonne Colverson Locum Clerk to Anston Parish Council 19th April 2023

