

# North Kyme Parish Council

## Minutes

Date: Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> September 2013	Venue: North Kyme Village Hall	Time: 7.30 p.m.
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Present: Cllr G Pout (Chairman)	Cllr J Dring	Cllr R Wright
Cllr A Yeomans	Cllr G Panton (Vice Chair)	

**Absent:** Cllr L Mayhew      Cllr G Bailey  
In attendance:                      K Handley (Clerk)  
   District Councillor Ogden      District Councillor Powell  
Parishioners:                              0

### **46/09/13 Apologies**

Cllr L Mayhew              Cllr G Bailey

### **47/09/13 Chairman's Opening address:**

The Chairman welcomed all to the meeting in the new Village Hall. The opening, the Chairman reported, had gone very well as had the evening entertainment.

### **48/09/13 Minutes**

The notes of the previous meeting were agreed as a true and accurate record. Proposed by Cllr R Wright and seconded by Cllr J Dring.

### **49/09/13 Declarations of Interest**

None

### **50/09/13 Feedback on action points**

**SID-** the clerk informed the meeting that a quote had been received for the repair of the SID for £762. **Action:** The clerk was asked to contact the insurance company and CA Traffic management with the go-ahead to fix the SID.

**Highway issues-** the Village Walk summary (attended by the Clerk and Cllr Dring) had been emailed to each Councillor. As yet no action but the junction of Vacherie Lane and Church Lane had been marked out for repair. The clerk informed the meeting that no road closure at Speedway corner was due until after 13<sup>th</sup> September.

**Training Course-**Cllr L Mayhew was due to attend a course on 12<sup>th</sup> September for new Councillors run by LALC but due to other commitments is unable to attend. A new date will be arranged for Cllr Mayhew, Cllr Wright and Cllr Yeomans.

### **51/09/13 Planning applications**

None received.

### **52/09/13 Financial Report**

The clerk presented a summary of finances for which a copy is attached.

The clerk asked that any groups who wished to benefit from a donation to write to the Council with any requests.

### **53/09/13 Cluster Meeting**

The cluster meeting took place on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July at Billingham Village Hall. Cllr G Panton attended for North Kyme and reported that it was well attended (19). Issues raised were the proposal to build 24,000 new homes in and around Sleaford, issues over vandalism from the Police and from Rowan Smith, an increase in the number of potholes reported to LCC. These will be dealt with by hot melt repairs in October/November.

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### **54/09/13 New Village Hall-summary of spending**

The Chairman provided a written summary as requested at the last Parish Council meeting (attached to minutes).

So far, cheques for £43,000 have been written but until the written summary had been completed no more cheques had been issued to ensure that there were enough funds to cover the costs.

The road still needs to be completed but hopefully a grant from LCC will be acquired.

### **55/09/13 Clerk's correspondence**

- Open Day for Local Councils and Community Groups 19<sup>th</sup> September
- Email from Jenny Bailey regarding the fixing of the Dog Bin-apparently collectors had complained that the bin not fixed correctly.

### **56/09/13 Issues from the Public Forum**

- Play equipment for playing field-this is a Village Hall Committee issue
- Picnic area-old benches need to be removed. **Action:** Cllr Wright to action and look at costs of replacing for the next meeting.
- Bus Shelter-Councillors to inspect and report back at next meeting
- Flower tubs-agenda item for next meeting

### **57/09/13 Date and time of next meeting**

The next meeting will be Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> October 2013 at 7.30 p.m.

### **58/09/13 Close of meeting**

The meeting closed at 8.48 p.m.