

Minutes of North Cotes Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 14th November 2022 at 7.30pm at The Village Hall

Present: Councillor Hicks, Councillor van der Horst, Councillor Marsh, Councillor Shipman, District Councillor McMillan, Councillor Daniel McNally and several members of the public and members of the Village Hall Committee.

Apologies: Councillor Brearley.

1. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING – The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

2. MATTERS ARISING

2.1 Rural Safety Partnership – Speed Watch Scheme Update – No further updates or news. **Action:** Parish Clerk to chase for volunteers in the new year.

2.2 Village Hall – update – The Chair of the Village Hall Committee provided the group with an update on the hall. It was noted that there were still some issues with the snooker club and that there was no news on the football field/football club. The Committee have a bingo evening planned for the 4th December

2.3 Church – update – It was note that the church would no longer be closing and that a war memorial service had been planned. The church Also had some activities planned for the coming Christmas period. A craft fair to be held on the 10th December at the Village Hall had been organised to help with the cost of roof repairs.

2.4 Overview of Crime – There was currently no crime noted. Please remain vigilant and report anything suspicious to 101

2.5 Parish Councillor Applicate - It was noted that Mr David Ball had applied for a position of Parish Councillor. Mr Ball Introduced himself to the committee. Mr Balls Application was supported by Councillor Marsh and Seconded by Councillor Shipman. Councillor Ball was welcomed to the Parish Council. **Action:** Parish Clerk to provide all the paperwork for Councillor Ball to complete.

2.6 Poors Land Trust Houses – It was noted that a notice to vacate had been received by a Tenant from one of the Trust Houses. This would be in the new year. The Clerk of the Trust Houses would shortly begin a process of advertising an finding a new local tenant

3 CORRESPONDENCE

None had been received

4 FINANCE

4.1 The following cheques were authorised:

A Hicks – Wreath Memorial – Cheque No: 357

Clerks Wages – Cheque No: 358

5 AOB

5.1 Parking – it was note that the parking situation at the village hall was causing a few worries. At the previous Parish Council Meeting in September it was agreed to allow a member of the Parish to park his vehicles in the car park as the current parking of the vans was deemed a potential hazard. It was agreed to keep an eye on the parking to ensure that no obstruction was caused to accessing the Village Hall or defibrillator.

5.2 Horseshoe Point – It was notes that Asbestos and other rubble and junk had been dumped down at Horseshoe point. This has been reported.

5.3 Sheep Marsh Lane – Thanks were given to Highways as the road had had some much needed improvements.

5.4 Tetney Bottle Bank – Due to the introduction of Glass recycling in the grey bins and previous fly tipping incidents at Tetney. Tetney Parish Council had taken the decision to remove the bottle and clothes banks from here.

The date for the next meeting - was fixed as Monday 19th January 2023 at 7.30pm. The meeting will be the held at The New Tribes Mission.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 9.25pm