

# Londesborough with Easthorpe Parish Council

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Minutes of the meeting of Londesborough Parish Council held on Monday 14th December 2015 in the Reading Rooms, Low Street, at 7.30pm.

Present Cllr G Brotherton, Cllr Fisher(chair), Cllr G Stephenson, Cllr H Wood  
J Green (clerk)

Cllr Fisher welcomed everyone to the meeting.

**Public Session:** there were no members of the public present

**85/15 Apologies** were received from Cllr I Bessey, Cllr O Southgate, Cllr A Hutchinson, Cllr K Watson and Cllr A Wells

**86/15 Declaration of Interest :** there were no declarations of interest.

**87/15 The minutes of meeting held on 9th November 2015** were adopted as a true and correct record and Cllr Fisher signed them as such on behalf of the council.

**88/15 To receive the clerk's report on matters being progressed from previous meetings:**

**Arrangements for viewing electronic versions of plans:** a projector had been provided by ERYC to enable the parish council to view electronic versions of planning applications.

**Website:** councillors asked that details of the Market Weighton Farmers market should be put on the parish council website.

**Pensions Auto- enrolment:** Autela, the payroll bureau had asked the council to select a pension provider. There were 3 companies who were compatible with the software which Autela use. Councillors selected the People's Pension provided there were no charges involved. The clerk was to check the position regarding charges before notifying Autela.

**89/15 To consider the arrangements for winter road salting:** a volunteer had done a run with the towable salt spreader and it had taken 6 bags of salt. There were about 30 bags left. It was agreed that a pallet load of 25kg bags of salt should be re-ordered if the number of bags in stock fell to 10. It was noted that ERYC had not yet replenished the salt bins and piles of salt around the parish. The clerk was to ask for this to be done as soon as possible.

**90/15 To set the precept for 2016/17:** the clerk presented a budget for 2016/17. Cllr Fisher proposed, Cllr Stephenson seconded and it was agreed that the precept should be set at £2500.

**91/15 Highways matters** : a letter had been received from Nunburnholme and Kilnwick Percy Parish Council regarding their concerns about the large lorry traffic being generated by the quarry on Partridge Hill. It was agreed that the clerk should write to the quarry operators and to ERYC expressing the concerns of this parish, especially the problems of damage to road edges and verges which make it difficult to pull off the road when meeting a lorry.

There was a large pothole at the bottom of Intake Hill, which the clerk was asked to report.

It was noted that ERYC had cut back the hedges on Shiptonthorpe Lane.

### **92/15 Accounts**

Bank balance: Current a/c £ 1906.68

Savings a/c £748.67

The payments below were approved:

clerk's salary December	£96.33
ERNLLCA clerk's training	£22
Society of Local Council Clerks	£22.89
Autela payroll services	£36.50

### **93/15 Correspondence**

East Riding Parish News - November, December

Humberside Police Bulletin - December

ERYC consultation re changes to Dog Control orders etc

ERYC review of winter services policy: the clerk was asked to comment that Intake Hill, which is on the secondary network for treatment is rarely salted.

ERYC asking for suggestions for Overview and Scrutiny Committee topics: it was agreed to suggest broadband provision as a topic.

ERYC -Rough Sleeper count: there were no known rough sleepers on the night in question.

ERYC - Village Taskforce survey: the survey was completed showing that the parish council was pleased with the Village Taskforce arrangements and would like them to continue.

ERYC - Connect to Support website

ERYC - Chairman's awards

Make Time for Winter booklets

Letter from the police inspector regarding community policing.

### **94/15 Councillors reports**

Cllr Wood reported that the Neighbourhood watch group was up and running. There had been a slight delay regarding the siting of the relevant signs.

It was reported that there was an ongoing problem with dog fouling in the village. As there was no newsletter to go out in the near future Cllr Fisher offered to produce a notice for the notice-board and website, to include this issue.

### **95/15 Date of next meeting Monday 8th February**

The meeting closed at 8.30pm.