MINUTES of the Meeting of Haxby Town Council held on Monday 10 December 2018 in the Memorial Hall, Haxby, at 7.30 pm.

PRESENT Cllr D Rice (Chairman) Cllr M Guilford

Cllr M Harrison
Cllr S Newton
Cllr I Craven
Cllr T Richardson
Cllr M Preston
Cllr D Lee
Cllr B Samuel
Cllr I Craven
Cllr N Wyatt
Cllr R Cousans
Mark Scott (Clerk)

PCSO Andy Smith was also in attendance.

# **APOLOGIES**

 Apologies were received from Cllr M Crawford, Cllr D Harkess and Cllr C Mulholland.

#### MINUTES OF FULL COUNCIL MEETING

2. <u>RESOLVED</u> that the minutes of the meeting held on 12 November 2018 be confirmed as a true and accurate record and signed by the Chairman.

# **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

3. None

## HAXBY HALL

4. Prior to the meeting starting the Councillors had received a briefing from Laurence Garton, Development Director of Yorkare Homes Limited and Vicky Japes from City of York Council about plans to redevelop and improve Haxby Hall Care Home. The Council then discussed the plans and concluded that it was generally in support of the improvements but that it did have concerns over the proposed re-siting of the ambulance station.

#### POLICE WARD REPORT FOR NOVEMBER 2018

5. The Police report for November 2018 was <u>RECEIVED.</u> PCSO Andy Smith then gave a report to the Council about levels of crime in the village and how the police were manned to cope with it. He stated that despite a number of issues in and around the Calf Close area, levels of crime in the village were low. Cllr Lee then raised concerns over the number of cyclists (adults and children) riding around the village on dark evenings with no lights on their bicycles. Cllr Guilford then gave feedback that residents were informing him that the police non-emergency phone number 101 was now working much better. He added that he was also being informed that there was a lack of police visibility within the village.

# **CASH CHECK**

6. Two Councillors had carried out a Financial Cash Check on 6 December 2018, checking, cash held, transfers between bank accounts and online direct payments. Everything had been found to be in order.

# FINANCIAL STATEMENT - NOVEMBER 2018

7.

Details		Amount
Receipts to 30 November 2018		
Sarah Trivett - Nursery Rent Haxby Netball DAC Beachcroft		520.00 200.00 100.00
	_	820.00
Payments to 30 November 2018		
Haxby Memorial Hall - Rent North Yorkshire Pension Fund HMRC Npower Salaries Talk Talk Cash (Petty Cash) Dean Landscapes R Fitch Complete Business Solutions Complete Business Solutions Yorkshire Home & Property Sports Turf Services York Gas Company	DP DP DP DD DP DD 106795 106796 DP DP DP DP DP	304.00 1540.64 1125.84 61.00 4114.73 23.31 32.35 1123.20 60.00 34.12 22.39 740.00 1008.00 336.00
	_ _	10525.58
Balance as at 31 October 2018 Receipts Payments	_	96369.21 820.00 97189.21 10525.58

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<u>RESOLVED</u> that the financial statement as at 30 November 2018 which detailed payments totalling £10525.58 inclusive of VAT be approved.

### HAXBY & WIGGINTON SCOUT GROUP

8. The Clerk read out an email from the local Scout Group asking for permission to allow 3 non-scouting groups to use the Scout Hut. This being a requirement under their lease.

**RESOLVED** that the Council had no objections to the request.

# COMMUNICATIONS WITH YLCA

9. None

## PEDESTRIAN CROSSINGS

10. Cllr Newton suggested that due to the proposed incorporation of the library within the Scout Hut, that it may be appropriate to have a crossing on York Road near to the building. The Council agreed that the Clerk should write to City of York Council making them aware of the proposed new location of the library in order to see if a crossing would be appropriate.

# CARNIVAL COMMITTEE REQUEST

11. <u>RESOLVED</u> to grant the Carnival Committee £2000 towards the staging of the 2019 Haxby Carnival.

## **NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN**

12. The Neighbourhood Plan Group reported that they are working on the details of the policies with a view to sharing the draft plan with key stakeholders early in the new year, which will include Haxby Town Council.

## HAXBY LIGHTS

13. It was agreed that the Christmas lights switch on had been a fantastic evening and was well attended by residents of all ages. The Council asked for the Clerk to send a letter of thanks and congratulations to the Haxby Traders Association.

### PARISH LIASON GROUP

14. It was agreed that consultation with local parish councils was a good idea and that the Clerk should find out the dates of the proposed meetings in order that Cllr Rice could attend.

### CITIZENS ADVICE

15. The latest report from Citizens Advise York was **RECEIVED**. The Council suggested that the Clerk should ask Citizens Advise for an article for the next edition of the Town Crier.

# PLANNING SEMINARS

16. <u>RESOLVED</u> to send Cllr Samuel and Cllr Craven on the 2019 Planning Seminar at a cost of £115 per person.

# **AMENITIES COMMITTEE**

17. The minutes of the meeting held on 26 November 2018 were received.

# CEMETERY COMMITTEE

18. The minutes of the meeting held on 3 December 2018 were received.

# MATTERS FOR INCLUSION ON THE NEXT AGENDA

19. The Chairman reminded Councillors that matters for inclusion on the Agenda should be with the Clerk 7 days prior to the date of the meeting (Standing Order 4.1 as amended above).

The meeting closed at 8.35pm	
	Chairman

(These Minutes are displayed 'unsigned' and are subject to correction at the next Council meeting.)