Minutes of the Roos Parish Council meeting held in the Memorial Institute, Roos on Monday 9th August 2021

Present: Cllrs D Winter (Chair), W Ainley, A Dodson, M Maltas and K Tyson.

An apology for absence was received from Cllr B Nisbet.

1. Consideration of Councillor's declaration of interests

There were no changes declared by members to the register of interests.

2. Minutes of the meeting held on 14th June 2021

These were agreed as a true record and signed by the Chair.

Matters arising from the minutes

3. Local Paths

The Clerk reported that he had been advised by ERYC that its contractor had been in contact with the landowner of the land on path 4 to agree and arrange access once the crops were harvested in order to provide the necessary replacement bridge.

Correspondence

The Clerk reported that he had previously circulated to members an ERYC draft Local Plan update, Police & Crime Commissioner consultation, Tunstall coastal scheme road closure, East Riding CCG newsletter and ERYC planning liaison meeting presentation notes.

Planning

Erection of single storey extension to side with garage following demolition of existing garage, construction of window to first floor side at The Bailey South End Roos - 21/02705/PLF

It was agreed that no objections be made to the above application.

4. Treasurer's report

The Treasurer reported that there were no accounts for payment.

5. Councillor vacancy

It was agreed to co-opt Thomas Cook of Owstwick onto the Council and to invite him to attend the next meeting.

Any other business

6. Pinfold seat and notice board

It was reported that the Pinfold seat had now been repaired and that Cllrs Dodson and Tyson would be attending shortly to the repairs to the notice board.

7. Dog fouling stencil

Cllr Dodson confirmed that he would be utilising the stencil on the Eastfield Estate in the near future.

8. Standing orders

Cllr Ainley commented that the standing orders required updating to take account of bi-monthly meetings as is the case at present and that the Council may decide if necessary to hold meetings virtually in the event of a crisis such as the Covid19 pandemic.

9. Emergency Plan

It was reported that progress was being made in updating the contact details and information in the Emergency Plan.

10. Facebook page

Comment was made by Cllr Ainley that links to the ERYC website needed to be more specific to the locality such as surgery opening times and refuse collections and not items posted by ERYC Ward Cllrs which were not deemed relevant to the local area. He also suggested that members of the public should be invited to become involved in future via Facebook in taking part in the ERYC Taskforce visits where they could suggest areas requiring remedial works to be carried out.

11. Rathlin Energy Ltd

The Clerk sought the Council's approval to support the Parish Councils in the vicinity of West Newton who were objecting to the company's planning application to create six new wells for the exploration of fossil fuels by raising concerns in line with those authorities about the application with ERYC.

It was agreed to make appropriate representations and the Clerk thanked the Council for their support in the matter.

Next meeting

The next meeting to take place in the Memorial Institute on Monday 11th October 2021 at 7.30pm unless otherwise advised.