

Minutes of Meeting held on 10th January 2013.

Present: Councillors: J W Graves, (Chair), Mrs C Fossey
Messrs: F Armstrong, I Currie, S Dumbill, A Firn, I McCambridge, W Nixon
Mr Eddie Martin, C C C Representative

Apologies: Mr A Firn
Tony North, Allerdale Borough Council Representative
Mrs Nicki Cockburn Allerdale Borough Council Representative

Minutes: The Chairman signed as a correct record the Minutes of the Meeting of the Council held on 13th December 2012.

Police

It was requested that we contact the Police regarding the speeding through Dovenby on the A594 as we have received a letter from a resident of Dovenby. Clerk to Contact

Tallantire Wind Farm

No report as there has not been any further meetings. The Legal Agreement has not been received.

Footpath at Dovenby School

Currently drawing up designs. Street Lighting also necessary -pavement is to be from the School to the lane leading to Sawmill Cottages.

CALC

CALC - Circular, ABC Concurrent Grants, Allerdale Area Working Proposals, Parish Precepts, CALC Executive meeting - MRWS - will this go to stage 4 ie to allow 60,000 test bore holes Mr Eddie Martin advises he will be speaking. The meeting when a decision will be taken is on 30th January. Broadband meeting - when, where and how to roll out superfast broadband.

Allerdale Borough Council

Email received re Local Support for Council Tax.
Precept - this will be £6,500 + £211 grant for grasscutting.
Mr Harry Dyke, Allerdale Borough Council Chief Executive is taking early retirement in May.
New boundaries have been published and will come into effect at the next election in May.

Cumberland County Council

Letter received re Local Revenue Scheme Grant asking us to confirm acceptance of the offer.
Form signed and returned.
Draft Budget Proposals given to Councillors to respond.

Correspondence

Invoice received from Mr Morgan for grasscutting - payment agreed. Also send tender for 2013.
Lake District National Park - Allocation of Land Minerals and Safeguarding Areas.
Several thank you cards and letters received for the biscuits.
Thank you from Mike Rollison for the gift of wine.
Invoice for Notice of Parish Meeting in Parish magazine £25 - all agreed to pay.
Response received re flooding in Tallantire - residents are to obtain a price for the work to be carried out at the driveway entrance.

A O B

Confirmation from Vodafone that DD has been set up.
Bushes need to be cut back on the road leading from Coach Road into Bridekirk Village - Clerk to contact residents.
Potholes on road by pinfold land.
Water still running down Tallantire Hill road.

Planning Applications

Consultation on planning application: Mr & Mrs I Cousins, Acre Cottage, Tallantire, Cockermouth - Removal of single storey extension and rebuild two storey extension -No objections.
Consultation of planning application: Infinergy - Land at West House Farm, Dearham - Erection of a single wind turbine up to 77m blade tip and associated ancillary equipment. Mr John Graves declared an interest in this planning application. - 'There should be no more turbines in Cumbria due to the cumulative landscape and visual impact, particularly in view of the erection of the Windfarm at Flimby. Developers know they cannot hope for another wind farm this close to the villages so they are trying to develop one turbine at a time. It is felt that this is turbines by stealth. Tallantire village will have turbines both to the east and the west of it, thus it will have the effect of the village being a wind farm. This is a reason previously established at Public Inquiry for refusal'.

Costs

£100.00 ` HMRC
£7.50 C C C
£98.00 G Morgan Grasscutting
£74.15 KE Gibson
£25.00 Parish News Magazine

Meeting closed 8.50 p.m. Next Monthly Meeting on 14th February 2013 - 7.30pm

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