

**Minutes of Bridekirk Parish Meeting held in  
Bridekirk Dovenby School**

**10<sup>th</sup> September 2015**

**Attendees:**

**Councillors:** Mr J Graves (part) Mr S Dubmill (Chair); Rev M Jackson; Mr W Nixon, Mr R Coy; Mr F Armstrong

**Clerk:** Mrs D Cosgrove

**Allerdale Borough Council:** Cllr N Cockburn ; Cllr J Farebrother

**Cumbria Constabulary:** Nobody present

**Cumbria County Council:** Nobody Present

<b>No.</b>	<b>Item</b>	<b>Action</b>
1.8	<b>Apologies received:</b> Mrs C Fossey; Cumbria Constabulary	
2.8	<b>Minutes of the meeting held on 16<sup>th</sup> July 2015</b> approved and signed as a true record. Proposed: Mr F Armstrong & Seconded Mr I McCambridge	
3.8	<b>Declarations of interest in the items on the agenda –</b>  None declared	
4.8	<b>Suspension of the meeting for members of the public to speak –</b> covered in the Dovenby Beck item on the agenda	
5.8	<b>Accounts for payment and discussion:</b>  No payments this month  Bank Balance £7,402.01  Receipt for Precept received £3,250	
6.8	<b>Reports from outside bodies</b>  <b>Police report –</b> previously circulated, but did not include the theft of diesel that some Cllrs had been aware of at	

	<p>Papcastle and Broughton area. People should remain vigilant.</p> <p><b>Cumbria County Council – No report</b></p> <p><b>Allerdale Borough Council –</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cllr Cockburn talked about the idea of getting rural parishes together Papcastle, Broughton, Brigham, Greysouthern, Dean and Bridekirk. Ad hoc support, no meetings. Greysouthern/Dean would like Bridekirk to support by objecting to wind turbine @ Springfield Farm. Grounds – cumulative impact with other sites.</li> <li>• Cllr Farebrother new ABC rep – lives at Brigham. United Utilities – main concern is the United Utilities moving pumping station to Williamsgate. MP Sue Hayman is meeting with UU at her offices.</li> <li>• Cockermouth road closure 29/30 September</li> <li>• Bus services – up to £10k funds, no formal solution. Concerns raised that 6<sup>th</sup> form bus now having to be paid for.</li> </ul>	
<p><b>7.8</b></p>	<p><b>Planning applications</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>2/2015/0499</b> Mr C Scammell <b>Proposal</b> Outline approval for 3 dwellings. <b>Location</b> site near Bonny Hill. Noted concerns raised by son of neighbour as reported to clerk. It is outside the village envelope. PC comments as previously submitted. Ribbon development; insufficient detail; access issues; outside curtilage.</li> <li>• <b>2/2015/0523</b> Mr Harper <b>Proposal</b> silage pit. <b>Location</b> West House Farm, Dearham. No objections</li> <li>• <b>Consultation on p/a PB/2015/0076 Applicant:</b> Mr J Sherlock <b>Proposal</b> Removal of phone and replace with defibrillator inside kiosk. <b>Location</b> Phone box adjacent to Smithy Croft, Tallentire Cockermouth. Confirm to planners that Tallentire already has a defibrillator. Object to the loss of a local amenity.</li> <li>• <b>2/2015/0564</b> Mr R Faulder Messrs J D Faulder <b>Proposal</b> Proposed agricultural general purpose building. Resubmission of Planning</li> </ul>	

	application 2014/0759 <b>Location</b> Croft House Farm, Dovenby No objections.	
<b>8.8</b>	<p><b>Clerks Report &amp; Correspondence</b></p> <p>HMRC problems continue with lengthy discussions with various offices, still not resolved.</p> <p>Defibrillator training. Proposed for the 21<sup>st</sup> September, nobody put name forward as yet. Clerk to write and confirm that this should take place after the defibrillator is located in Bridekirk.</p> <p>Connecting Cumbria – new cabinet enabled that gives a small part of the parish the potential for superfast broadband.</p> <p>Infinergy letter – asking if the PC is willing to take on the Community Benefit fund from this. Clerk to write to find out more details.</p> <p>Defibrillator siting – next to community notice board – it is only disconnected, not removed. Electric supply is still there.</p>	
<b>9.8</b>	<p><b>Dovenby Beck</b> – Update. Mr Buckley has been working with ABC and Highways are currently doing works on bridge. A solution appears to have been found. Remodelling wall to allow water to flow otherwise from wall. 6 weeks works and checks will be made afterwards. ABC also approached the Hurds regarding Packhorse Bridge, but not keen on modifications if no evidence to help demonstrate he would accommodate. Not a total fix. Pushing for full financial investment.</p>	
<b>10.3</b>	<p><b>Parish Maintenance Issues</b> –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nothing to update.</li> </ul>	
<b>11.3</b>	<p><b>M Sport</b> No decision yet. Deadline 12<sup>th</sup> October for comments on noise to go back to JR. Great Crested Newts have been found and information sent to Julie Ward at ABC.</p>	
<b>12.3</b>	<p><b>Cumbria Community Foundation</b> – Contact made with A Beeforth, he has suggested C Howard to come to next meeting. Feedback from C Fossey that it all seemed cut</p>	

	and dried and just went through on a nod. C Howard to be invited to the next meeting.	
<b>13.3</b>	<b>Noted date of next meeting Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> October 2015 7.30pm</b>	

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