

EASTON PARISH COUNCIL

A Parish Council Meeting was advertised and held on 30th November, 2017 in St Peter's Church, Easton.

Apologies: all Councillors present, chair Mike Baker. Apologies received from the clerk for non-attendance.

Declaration of financial or personal interest: to receive members' declarations as to personal and/or prejudicial interests and the nature of those interests in relation to any agenda item – Phil Trussell – Dog Control Orders.

Minutes: The Minutes of the meeting held on 11th October 2017 were read, approved and signed as a correct record.

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Matters arising:

War Memorial: concern again expressed at the time being taken to carry out this work. It was agreed Mr Burton would contact Easton & Cook to find out if they do intend to complete the work.

A14: Mr Greenhill of Highways England had advised that he would be in a position to indicate at the end of November when the presentation meeting could take place. Despite a reminder he had not confirmed anything.

AWA Pumping Station entrance: Mr Trussell had reported the side wall required repair immediately after the meeting on 11th October. This has been inspected and the repair should be made soon.

Verge Cutting: the clerk had asked Four Seasons to make an additional cut (meeting 8/11/17) but Mr Abbs had intended to do this but had not been able due to the wet weather.

Playing Field: repair of climbing frame – Mr Burton had obtained Quotation 32961 from Fenland Leisure Products Ltd. For site preparation and removal of the existing end £76.00; the cost of the replacement end is £300.00 and £375.00 to install in concrete. It was agreed to have this work completed.

Three Shires Way: entrance to track to Spaldwick - Mr Thomason reported this is now in an extremely bad condition. The Spaldwick end now has a stone surface and it was agreed to contact Spaldwick Parish Council to ask how this had been achieved. Mr Baker will speak to Mr Picton about the possibility of using some of his hardcore which Mr Burton offered to spread.

Dog Control Orders: A Public Space Protection Order (PSPO) entered into force on 20th October 2017 replacing previous Dog Control Orders, to help manage irresponsible dog ownership. A report of dogs from Village Barn Farm attacking a dog from the village being walked on Stonely Road had been recently received. It is understood the correct procedure had been followed by the dog owner and this attack had been reported to the Community Protection & Enforcement Officer at Huntingdonshire District Council who had escalated the incident and informed the Community Resilience

Mike Baker 18/10/18

