

Minutes of Parish Council Meeting Monday 12 May 2025 at 6.30pm

Present

Councillors Cllr E Broddley (Chair), Cllr K Boyington, Cllr Greenwood, Cllr Woolass, Cllr Holley

Clerk: Hannah Hepworth

2 members of the public.

Public Participation:

A parishioner mentioned concern regarding pollution from the PRAX in the village and concerns about the hedgerow that has been cut down.

The hedgerow is a security directive which has been recommended. There was a sooty flare 2-3 weeks ago; the steam supply was low which meant that there was the soot produced. The refinery is within the flaring limits and remains compliant. Flares are key safety features for the refinery.

A parishioner stated that the prevailing wind was not helping and felt that from the explanation from PRAX it appears they are doing everything they can with regards to this.

Speeding vehicles – speed indication device down refinery end is needed.

Mains Gas – is the village likely to get mains gas? The Clerk will contact National Gas to see if this can be considered.

2505/1 Apologies were received from Cllr Peter Clark, Cllr David Wells, Cllr Richard Hannigan and Cllr Russell

a) To receive declarations of interest under the Localism Act 2011 – being any pecuniary or non-pecuniary interest in agenda items not previously recorded on Members' Register of Interests.

Cllr Greenwood – Personal Interest in PRAX

2505/3 Proposed: Cllr Boyington, seconded Cllr Woolass

Resolved: The minutes of the meeting held in April were agreed as a true record – unanimous

2505/4 Proposed: Cllr Boyington, seconded Cllr Woolass

Resolved: Cllr Broddley was voted as chair - unanimous

Proposed: Clir Holley, seconded Clir Broddley

Resolved: Cllr Boyington was voted as vice chair - unanimous

Proposed: Clir Holley, seconded Clir Broddley

Resolved: Cllr Boyington, Cllr Russell, Cllr Woolass will form the Personnel Committee - unanimous

Proposed: Clir Holley, seconded Clir Broddley
Resolved: The Clerk will be the NATs rep - unanimous
Proposed: Clir Holley, seconded Clir Broddley

Resolved: The Clerk and Cllr Broddley will be the ERNLLCA reps-unanimous

Proposed: Clir Holley, seconded Clir Broddley

Resolved: The Clerk and Cllr Broddley will be the NLC reps-unanimous

2505/4 To receive any reports from external organisations

1) Reports by Prax LOR

Shut down has now completed. Signs will be looked at down the bottom

2) Reports by Ward Councillors

No reports from Ward Councillors. The Clerk will email the Ward Councillors with the feedback on the Bus Service Clerk to email North Lincs about the bus shelter issue with the ivy.

2505/6 Finance

Proposed: Cllr Woolass, seconded Cllr Boyington

Resolved: The schedule of payments for May were approved – unanimous

Proposed: Cllr Woolass, seconded Cllr Boyington

Resolved: The quote for £3500 is accepted if this can be done prior to the 550 Reunion Weekend - unaimous

The payments for April were noted

2505/7 Planning - applications / decisions received.

Resolved: PA/2025/308 – the Parish Council have no comments Resolved: PA/2025/521 – the Parish Council have no comments

2505/8 Parish Matters

a) Newsletter - no update

- b) Speed Sign- Clerk to download data
- c) Bins / Dog Bins Clerk to send another email to David Rose Clerk to email Richard Hannigan / NLC waste
- d) Pot holes these will continue to be reported as they are not 40mm PAT testing the Clerk is working with the church and SKPC
- e) Park Gate –
 LNP Fab and Weld will get back with confirmation in writing of it conforming to standards

2505/9 Correspondence – none

2505/10 Items for inclusion on the next meeting agenda

Caretaker / cleaner contract / hours

Hall insurance / policies Charges for hall hire Annual playground inspection

Waste on the airfield

2505/11 Date of Next Meeting Annual Parish Council – 9th June 6.30pm

Meeting close: 19.30