

# **BARTON IN FABIS PARISH COUNCIL**

Minutes of the Meeting of Barton in Fabis Parish Council held on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2015  
at 7:30 p.m. in Barton Village Hall

## **PRESENT**

Allan Kerr (Chairman), Bill Harrison (Vice Chairman), Julian Coles, Helen Fletcher and Diane Harrison.

## **IN ATTENDANCE**

Bev Angell (Clerk) and Rushcliffe Borough Councillor Stuart Matthews

Apologies were received from County Councillor Andrew Brown.

### **958. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING**

Minutes of the meeting held on 14<sup>th</sup> May 2015 were approved and signed by the Chairman

### **959. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND CODE OF PRACTICE.**

No declarations were made.

### **960. DISTRICT REPORT**

It was reported that Rushcliffe Borough Council has signed the contract for the new Civic Centre. The Rushcliffe Core Strategy is now going through the development planning process.

### **961. A 453 UPDATE**

The date for the opening of the A453 has been set for 20<sup>th</sup> July 2015, when the dual carriage way in both directions would be open for use. The opening ceremony will be carried out by the Right Honourable Patrick McLoughlin, Secretary of State for Transport. At the same time, the naming of the road as Remembrance Way would also take place. Councillor Bill Harrison will be representing the Parish Council at an event hosted in Thrumpton Hall .

A number of questions remain to be resolved, which include further tree planting in front of the wooden screens, responsibility for verge maintenance on what is now Green Lane, the removal of obsolete signage, litter picking and tree maintenance. The site compounds remain to be closed down.

### **962. MINERAL AND GRAVEL EXTRACTION.**

A scoping proposal, linked to the application has now been sent to the County Council, outlining matters that the developers should include as part of their proposals. A Village meeting will be held on 29<sup>th</sup> July 2015 to organise a campaign of letter writing to members of the County Council Environment Committee prior to the matter being determined and a newsletter will be issued to publicise the event.

### **963. RUSHCLIFFE BOROUGH COUNCIL CORE STRATEGY**

This has now been published on Rushcliffe Borough Council's website.

### **964. COMBINED CORE STRATEGY – JUDICIAL REVIEW**

A statement of costs and contributions was circulated and the contents noted.

### **965. FINANCE**

The clerk circulated a statement expenditure and income against the current year budget, the contents were noted.

Cheques totalling £3,820.00 were approved for payment.

**966. CORRESPONDANCE AND CLERK'S BUSINESS**

A letter had been received from the Boundary Commission, inviting views on its proposals to change ward boundaries for the County Council. The proposal was to include Barton in Fabis, along with Ratcliffe on Soar and Thrumpton in a new ward that would include Ruddington. Comments were required to be returned by 10<sup>th</sup> August 2015. It was agreed that the Parish Council's objections to the proposal would be sent to the Boundary Commission.

It was reported that a planning application relating to The Barn, Grange Farm, Chestnut Lane, Barton in Fabis had been rejected by Rushcliffe Borough Council

**967. DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The dates of the next two meetings were set for Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2015 and Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> November 2015, both commencing at 7:30 p.m. in the Village Hall.

The meeting closed at 9:35 p.m