

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF  
TOLLERTON PARISH COUNCIL**

***Held in the Village Memorial Hall on 1 June 2004***

*Present:* Councillors: Mr R Williams (incoming Chairman), Mrs S Jackson (outgoing Chairman), Mr F Wade, Mrs A Thompson, Mr A Haugh, Mr R Spark and Mrs E Rogers (Clerk).  
3 members of the public.

1. Apologies - none
2. The amended minutes of the meeting held on April 27<sup>th</sup> and those of the meeting held on May 18<sup>th</sup> were agreed as correct and duly signed by Mrs Jackson.
3. Election of Officers – Mr Williams accepted his election to the Chair and signed a Declaration of Acceptance of Office which was also signed by the Clerk as witness. Mrs Jackson stood down at this point and Mr Williams chaired the remainder of the meeting.
4. Matters Arising
  - a) Revised Standing Orders – the councillors all signed individual copies of the revised standing orders and returned them to the clerk.
  - b) The Hardy's footpath – the Hardys have requested that the remedial work required to make the ash trees safe (which overhang a public footpath) be carried out and paid for by the Parish Council. The Clerk is to continue trying to contact the footpaths officer at NYCC to ascertain the position.
  - c) Mrs Thompson asked if a wheelie bin had been obtained for use at the playing field. Mr Wade confirmed he is still trying to obtain one.
5. Planning Applications
  - a) 2/04/162/0238C – Ms S McIntyre, Ings View House, Ings View – change of use of agricultural land and building for equestrian use – refused. Mr Williams declared his interest in the application as a neighbour of the applicant. The application was refused unanimously on the grounds that the access to the property is via a residential area. Prop. Mrs Jackson, sec. Mrs Thompson. (Ms McIntyre arrived at this point and asked the progress of the application. Because the matter had already been dealt with she was advised to wait until the meeting was opened to the public).
  - b) 2/04/162/0215C – Mr & Mrs Peschke, Holly Barn, Tollerton Road, Huby – retrospective application for the construction of entrance gate and walls – approved – prop. Mrs Thompson, sec. Mrs Jackson.
6. Planning Amendments
  - a) None
7. Planning Decisions and Appeals
  - a) None
8. Financial Matters
  - a) Cheques were signed as follows: Mr W Pratt £92 re: grass cutting, Mr E Kitchen £100 re: pest control. Clerk is to distribute.
  - b) Clerk reported balances as: Treasurer a/c £3,637.92 and Money Manager a/c £3,490.02. Clerk is to arrange a transfer of £2,500 from the Treasurer account to the Money Manager account.
9. Correspondence
  - RAF Linton – response to letter regarding the increased aircraft noise following the change in visual flying circuits – noted.
  - HDC – response to same letter as above – noted.
  - The Boundary Committee – Local Government Review of the Two-Tier Area in Yorks. and The Humber: Final recommendations - circulate

Approved: .....  
Chairman

10. Parish Plan  
Mrs Thompson presented a summary of the information obtained and which is to be presented in a communication to parishioners. Three quotes are to be obtained for a print run of 500 copies and a layout draft of the planned document should be available for July.
11. Any Other Business
- a) Allotments – no contact has been made by Mr Tenniswood to accept allotment no.3 and allotments 6 and 7 have been given up. Mr Kitchen (pest control) had requested one as had Mr Pratt on behalf of Sam Stone (a young villager). Clerk is to contact both with relevant paperwork.
  - b) Robinsons sponsored street party – Robinsons (the squash makers) plan to sponsor a street party in Tennis Court Lane on June 26<sup>th</sup>. This would involve children’s entertainment and refreshments and tie in with the first week of Wimbledon. Councillors agreed this would be a positive thing for the village.
  - c) Mrs Thompson advised that a large number of daffodil bulbs were being made available to the village if required. Councillors agreed to accept them and Mrs Thompson is to arrange for the collection and distribution for later planting around the village.
  - d) Mrs Jackson thanked Mrs Thompson for arranging the photograph / presentation afternoon which was a great success.
  - e) Mrs Jackson noted the success of the litter pick.
  - f) Previously Mrs Jackson had been asked about the possibility of a train station for the village. Clerk had found the correspondence relating to this matter from 2002 and is to place in the circulation.
  - g) Clerk is to write to Mr John Thompson, Greenview, again regarding the ditch running alongside the allotments.

The Meeting was opened to the public

Mr Pratt queried whether the drinking trough is to be planted this year. Mr Pratt has undertaken the task previously and the councillors unanimously requested that he do so again prop. Mr Haugh, sec. Mr Wade.

Mr Russon advised that he would be willing to plant some of the daffodil bulbs along the Oldway.

Mr Russon advised that he now has a promising source of funding for the fencing around the playing field and is to apply to Yorventure for a grant of £5000. As the fencing quotes were higher than this he requested that the Council provide a letter in support of the application approving the work and confirming that financial backing will be available for the cost of the project in excess of £5000. The Council have approved this previously and Mr Russon is to liase with the Clerk regarding the letter and copies of the fencing quotes.

Ms McIntyre enquired as to the outcome of her planning application and the reason for the refusal. Mr Williams advised that he had declared an interest in the application and could not be involved in the decision. Ms McIntyre was advised that the Council did not think that the access (through a residential area) was appropriate for horses and that the Council disapproved of the arrangements not the horses themselves. The land is attached to a domestic dwelling and its proposed use is inappropriate.

Meeting closed 8.00pm

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Chairman