Minutes of Barnoldby le Beck Parish Council, public meeting held as virtual via Microsoft Teams on Wednesday 31st March 2021 at 7pm.

Present: Councillors, Hood, Plaskitt, Bratton, Bradshaw and Chapman. Ward Councillors Hasthorpe, and Hudson. Engagement Officer NEL Katrina Goodhand, two members of the public and the Parish Clerk.

(members present by audio and visual access, except Cllr Bratton who was present via telephone) (Clerk as minute taker present by audio access and two members of the public present by audio

access)

01.03.2021 Declaration of Interests:

(a) To record Declaration of Interest by any member of the Council in respect of the agenda items listed below. None received.

(b) To note dispensations given to any member of the council in respect of the agenda below: None received.

02.03.2021 To receive any apologies from Members not able to attend the meeting: None received.

03.03.2021 Open Forum:

Two members of the public attended the meeting and addressed the council regarding the road speeds since the chicanes were removed. Resident referred it to a race track and raised grave concerns. The Chair said that NELC highways department have completed speed trials and are aware of the need to address the speed concerns through Barnoldby, however there is no time scale at the present. The roundabout at the junction to the A18 is being built in May so the roads through Barnoldby may be quieter. Ward Councillor Hasthorpe reported that the highways department is currently looking at a few options. The resident said he was told that the Parish Council agreed to the removal of the chicanes due to maintenance costs. The Chair said the Parish Council were not consulted and had no say in the matter, the Parish Council were told that the chicanes would be removed by NELC highways department. The Chair thanked them for attending and reconvened the meeting.

04.03.2021 To consider and approve the Minutes of the Meeting held on 8th March 2021.

RESOLVED: The Minutes of 8th March 2021 were approved as a true record and the Chairman confirmed to be signed virtually.

05.03.2021 Planning items:

(a) To discuss any Planning Matters:

(1) **DM/0217/21/FUL**, Milchester House, Main Road, Barnoldby le Beck. Erect single storey extension to rear, create covered patio, alterations to roof of existing single storey extension and raise eaves to create additional accommodation at first floor with various alterations.

RESOLVED: The Parish Council reviewed the plans and recommended approval of this application.

06.03.2021 Clerks Report and correspondence received since last meeting:

(a) Litter Picking Kits have been delivered and distributed.

(b) The Audit for 2020-2021 is due for completion by 2nd July.

RESOLVED: Clerk to action necessary paperwork and schedules to comply with the audit process.

07.03.2021 Pavements/Street Lighting/Highways:

(a) To receive information in respect of 'Children Playing' signs - Councillor Plaskitt reported that he has received and paid for the 'Children Playing' signs cost of £65 per sign. **RESOLVED: The Parish Council discussed and agreed where to site the signs.**

08.03.2021 Village Projects/Improvements:

(a) To receive an update from Councillor Bratton regarding the church gates - Councillor Bratton said that he has spoken to Gordon Smith who has taken photo's of the church gates and is currently in contact with Kimberly Bohan (Vicar). The Chair advised that an email has been received from the Vicar who has thanked the Parish Council for considering funding the work on the gates and said if they were replaced like for like with no changes, it should be straight forward. In order to proceed the church would need to apply for a Faculty, the church equivalent of Planning permission which should be a fairly simple application. Kimberley Bohan is currently busy with funerals and after Easter she suggested a discussion to talk through the procedure. The Chair said that this would give plenty of time to place an application for funding from Laceby Solar Farm Community Fund.

RESOLVED: The Parish Council agreed to place in abeyance until the Diocese has confirmed this project can go ahead.

(b) To receive information from Councillor Bratton regarding the church car park -Councillor Bratton reported that the church car park ground is for burial requirements. He said that a 'Champion' is needed to manage this. The way forward is to send out a circular to residents informing them of the procedures that would need to be undertaken.

RESOLVED: The Parish Council agreed to leave this matter in abeyance until clarity has been sort to who is requesting the need for a 'Champion' and that further discussions should take place with the Vicar.

09.03.2021 Future Dates:

(a) Planning Committee virtual meeting via Microsoft Teams, Wednesday 28th April 2021 at 9.30am.

(b) Town & Parish Liaison Committee Meeting via Microsoft Teams, Thursday 15th April at 7pm. Clerk reported that any agenda item is required by 2nd April. Ward Councillor Hasthorpe advised that if Parishes do not send any item for agenda this meeting will not take place.

(c) Highways meeting outdoors at Councillor Bratton's house - Tuesday 13th April at 1pm. The Chair said he would try and attend but if he were unable for the Clerk to mention to Debbie Swatman that he still has the email that the Parish Council were not consulted on the removal of the chicanes. Ward Councillor Hasthorpe advised that it was the Portfolio who approved the removal of the chicanes.

(d) Next Parish Council Meeting - Monday 10th May 2021 at 7pm

10.03.2021 Accounts for Approval:

(a) To receive a list of accounts payable up to 8th March 2021 and approve their payment:

Bank Transfer	То	For	£
Online	Kim Kirkham	March Salary	126.50
Online	Jon Plaskitt	Children Playing Signs	260.00
RESOLVED: The accounts were approved as per the list above.			

11.03.2021 Any other business:

(a) Clerk mentioned that Katrina Goodhand (Engagement Officer NEL) has joined the meeting. Katrina Goodhand advised that she had no specific agenda and that her boss had sent her an email to attend the meeting. She said if the Parish Council have any issues to let her know.

With there being no other business the Chairman closed the meeting at 7.35pm.