



Lound Parish Council

Draft Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on Tuesday 26th March 2019 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

Present: Chair: Cllrs J. Powell, A. Perkins, A. Jones, P. Sheehy.
County and District Cllr: T. Taylor.
Clerk: C. Challenger

Residents & Members of the Public: 0

03.19.01 Apologies for absence:

Cllr R. Austin
Cllr M. Holgate
Cllr J. Wilkinson.

03.19.02 Meeting adjourned for Public Discussion, and Police Report

Crime report:

4 Crimes reported for Lound for the month of January.

3 on or near Town Street being:

Anti-social behaviour (1)

Includes personal, environmental and nuisance anti-social behaviour

Details, case timelines and current statuses are not provided for anti-social behaviour.

Burglary (1)

Includes offences where a person enters a house or other building with the intention of stealing

Investigation complete; no suspect identified

Criminal damage and arson (1)

Includes damage to buildings and vehicles and deliberate damage by fire.

Investigation complete; no suspect identified

1 on or near The Paddocks being:

Other Theft which includes theft by an employee, blackmail and making off without payment. The

Investigation is noted as "complete; no suspect identified, there is insufficient evidence to bring anyone to justice at this time. The investigation may be reopened if more information becomes available

03.19.03 Declarations of Interest and Confidentiality

None.

03.19.04 Minutes of Meeting

Previous meeting minutes signed by Cllr J Powell as a record of true and accurate proceedings.

03.19.06 Reports from County and District Councillor -

Interactive Sign: petition presented to TT, who presented the report at the December cabinet meeting. The petition was reviewed in March and a response from BDC given (detailed below).

Bassetlaw District Councils Response to the Petition regarding junction improvements and signage at Town Street crossroads, Lound (Ref: 2018/0330):

63.A 180 signature petition was presented to the County Council by Councillor Tracey Taylor on behalf of Lound Parish Council. The petition requests significant safety improvements at this junction; their preferred option is for an interactive 'Give Way' sign to be installed on Daneshill Road to highlight the junction ahead.

64.This junction is within the 30mph limit, with traffic on Daneshill Road required to 'Give Way' and Chainbridge Lane drivers instructed to 'Stop'. There are advance 'crossroads' signs on Town Street for both north and southbound traffic, an existing advance 'Give Way in 100 yards' sign on the north side of Daneshill Road and two large 1.2 by 1.2 linear metre illuminated 'Give Way' signs at the junction with the appropriate road markings which were refreshed in April 2018.

65.On Chainbridge Lane there is an advance 'SLOW' road marking and an illuminated 'STOP' sign with the associated road marking. The junction is street lit and all but Chainbridge Lane has a footway. Additionally, there is an 18tonne environmental weight limit on Town Street with associated illuminated signage.

66.The current data held indicates that two road injury collisions occurred at this junction in the 3.75 years up to 30 September 2018. The collisions occurred in June and July 2017 and both involved vehicles overshooting the Daneshill Road, travelling east bound.

67.It is currently considered that the junction is adequately and clearly signed and, in comparison to other sites, this junction has a low level of accidents and therefore this location would not currently be prioritised for any casualty reduction measures. Via EM Ltd monitors reported road traffic collisions throughout the county and develops appropriate engineering, enforcement and education measures to address patterns of road traffic collisions. Reported road traffic collisions will therefore continue to be monitored as part of this process and an accident remedial scheme will be considered should a pattern of treatable collisions occur.

Clerk to email BDC in response citing the Parish Councils disappointment in the decision.

Action Clerk

Highway related project request - Lound has put forward Daneshill Road near the crossroads for consideration due to the disrepair and damage caused each winter to the gully's etc. TT believes that as this has previously been listed as works, that subsequently appear to have vanished from the works order, that in effect the work should have already been earmarked for competition, TT will investigate why this no longer listed on the works order and report back accordingly.

Action T. Taylor

03.19.07 Health and Safety, GDPR, and Policy

Playground Assessment performed by: Cllr A Jones.

The play /gym equipment is in need of a clean, A Jones to complete once weather permits.

Next review: Cllr J Powell.

The Annual Playground Inspection report: has been received. Cllr R. Austin has now reviewed and provided support and recommendations on the next steps. This has been included in the correspondence folder for all to read and consider and then to be discussed at the next meeting.

Cllr R Austin to provide replacement signage, required at the gate due to out of date information on the current sign.

Action R. Austin

03.19.08 Finance

The LPC Bank Reconciliation was reviewed.

The expenses signed off for the month were:

Playground Repair works	£ 340.00
Clerks Wages	£ 657.77
Grass Cut & Lengthmans	£ 613.75
Keys	£ 10.25
	<u>£ 1,621.77</u>

A **New Bank Account** has been opened, Clerk to progress with funds transfer.

Action Clerk

Linghurst Lakes.

No movement reported on expenses.

A tree was reported as down following the high winds, this has been removed.

The PC ask that the LL committee assess the remaining trees along the area between the kissing gates as its believed that a few of these may be diseased and require attention.

03.19.10 Tree Warden & Footpath Wardens.

Tree removal: J. Wilkinson to progress with the remedial action required for the Ash tree.

Clerk provides clarification that work can be under taken on the tree in line with the previous planning application up until October 19.

Action J. Wilkinson

The Footpath warden, Cllr A. Perkins reports a sapling requiring removing from the footpaths at Linghurst Lakes as it is causing an obstruction.

The roots (and trees) are discussed on the pathway between the 2 kissing gates as being in need of assessment.

03.19.10 Correspondence

VIA – asking that the PC work with them on guiding farmers to maintain the right of way accesses through farm land (etc)

Mayflower Oaks project asking whether we are interested in the project.

BDC response to petition as detailed above.

03.19.11 Planning issues Applications:

None

03.19.12 Reports from Other Committees

Rural Conference – attended by Cllr A. Perkins:

Very few attendees reported

Mayflower Pilgrim Oaks Project discussed.

A presentation on managing flooding is given.

The draft Bassetlaw Local plan has received circa 500 responses.

Cllr P. Sheehy to attend the next Idle Valley Committee meeting.

03.19.13 Village Update / Matters to Report

Clerk to look into Muddy Forks/ Rhubarb Farm and Community Payback for possible progression with Village Green work.

The Best Village Competition is discussed but it agreed that the village is not ready to compete in this year's event. It to be added as a discussion point at the Annual Parish Meeting.

AGM & APM date set for Saturday May 18th – Agenda to be agreed next month.

Mayflower Pilgrim project discussed and all agree that we are interested in the offer of potentially planting a Pilgrim Project Oak within the village.

Action: Clerk to reply

03.19.14 Date of the next Parish Council Meeting

Tuesday 23rd April 2019 – 7.30pm

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NB: Minutes subject to approval at the next meeting

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