

Minutes
of the
Seascale Parish Council Meeting
held on
Wednesday 6th December 2017
In the Methodist School Room Seascale

Present:

Deputy Chair	Cllr David Moore
Councillors	Cllr David Halliday Cllr Catherine Harvey-Chadwick Cllr Ken Mawson Cllr Liz Mawson

Clark/ RFO	Ms Jill Bush
------------	--------------

Public	Ms Brenda Parsons Mr David Ritson
--------	--------------------------------------

The meeting was recorded for minuting purposes

ITEM

1. Apologies
Cllr Craig Ashton
Cllr Eileen Eastwood
Cllr Brian Goulding
Cllr Fiona Robinson
2. **Announcements from the Chair**
None
3. **Declarations of Interest by Councillors in respect of Agenda items**
Cllr Liz Mawson
4. **Minutes of the previous meeting of 5th July 2017**
Minutes Proposed Cllr Moore and seconded by Cllr Halliday. Ratified and signed off
5. **Matters Arising**
 - 5.1 F &G WG will commence prior to the full meeting
 - 5.2 The St Joseph's Carol Service will commence at 4:00pm
 - 5.3 Christmas Lights switch on will take place at 5:00pm
 - 5.4 School Planning Consultation meeting proved to be a disappointing event. Whereby the construction modular was presented; the school will be of a smaller construction and the remaining land will not be considered to facilitate parking or a drop off & collection point. No consideration has been given to vehicular access to the school, which will result in exacerbate the existing traffic issues. The PC are of the opinion this meeting could not be considered a consultation. The planning application has not yet been submitted.
 - 5.5 Two potholes in the car park have been repaired.
 - 5.6 Viking Way – see 7.3 below
6. **Public Participation**

- 6.1** Ms Parsons complained about the car park and Morgan Sindall. The clerk reminded Ms Parsons a point of order had been raised at a previous meeting and unanimously agreed that unless the car park is on the agenda it will not be discussed.
- 6.2** Ms Parsons referred to a correspondence from the MP about a parishioner's complaint about the car park and was advised this would be brought up under the correspondence item. Ms Parsons requested a copy of the MP's response and was advised if she wished to know the details of the MP's response to a parishioner's complaint she should contact the MP.
- 6.3** Ms Parsons asked how much the funding was for the play area. Cllr L Mawson advised it was £130,000.
- 6.4** Mr Ritson raised a concern about the A595 junction, which the Viking Way crosses and could the PC contact Cllr Paul Turner of CCC. Cllr K Mawson agreed it was a problem before and would become more so after the official opening of the Viking Way. The PC agreed Cllr Turner can be contacted however also believed a letter should be sent directly to highways.
Mr Ritson believed the lighting at the junction was inadequate as were the white lines. The PC also agreed. The letter should also encompass this concern.
Mr Ritson noted the number of complaints that have been raised regarding this junction. Cllr K Mawson and the rest of Council agreed there have been numerous complaints and the letter should bring the growing concern raised by numerous people regarding the unsatisfactory state of this junction should be brought to highways attention. Clerk to action. Actioned

7. Reports from the Councillors & Working Groups

- 7.1** Community Plan – will be deferred until the next Full Council meeting.
- 7.2** The Christmas lights have been put up, tested and are working well, however some of the lighting support brackets will need to be replaced.
- 7.3** Viking Way – as the invitations have been sent out it will open as previously reported – Cllr Harvey Chadwick who mention the details onto the Gosforth and Seascale facebook page.
- 7.4** Cllr Halliday recommended the clerk is paid for the 30 hours work carried out in the summer responding to complaints a parishioner made about the car park to several external bodies. Carried unanimously.
- 7.5** Cllr L Mawson asked if the Council would agree to write a Letter Of Comfort up to £15,000 to underwrite the landscaping of the beach front community area (not the play area) to satisfy other funders. Unanimously agreed.
- 7.6** The PC have received a response from the library business case from CCC who have requested some specific information. The clerk is to resend the response to the Cllrs who will provide the information for the clerk to forward on. Cllr Paul Turner has expressed an interest in holding his monthly surgery in the library and this will be included in the response. Clerk to action. Actioned

8 To Consider any Planning Issues

03/11/2017	CH/4/17/2300/OF1	Mill part demolition & redevelopment	No Objection	06/11/2017
02/11/2017	CH/4/17/2325/OF1	Car Park A - Sellafield	Objection - Remain as temporary until as such times Sellafield propose an adequate travel to work plan	06/12/2017
02/11/2017	CH/4/17/2326/OF1	Car Park B - Sellafield	Objection - Remain as temporary until as such times Sellafield propose an adequate travel to work plan	06/12/2017
02/11/2017	CH/4/17/2327/OF1	Car Park C - Sellafield	Objection - Remain as temporary until as such times Sellafield propose an adequate travel to work plan	06/12/2017
02/11/2017	CH/4/17/2328/OF1	Car Park D - Sellafield	Objection - Remain as temporary until as such times Sellafield propose an adequate travel to work plan	06/12/2017
02/11/2017	CH/4/17/2329/OF1	Car Park F - Sellafield	Objection - Remain as temporary until as such times Sellafield propose an adequate travel to work plan	06/12/2017
02/11/2017	CH/4/17/2330/OF1	Car Park G - Sellafield	Objection - Remain as temporary until as such times Sellafield propose an adequate travel to work plan	06/12/2017
02/11/2017	CH/4/17/2331/OF1	Car Park I - Sellafield	Objection - Remain as temporary until as such times Sellafield propose an adequate travel to work plan	06/12/2017
03/11/2017	CH/4/17/2333/OF1	Waste Collection Facility - Sellafield	No Objection	06/12/2017
03/11/2017	CH/4/17/2334/OF1	Separation Area - Sellafield	No Objection	06/12/2017
07/11/2017	CH/4/17/2333/OF1	3 Storey Prefab. Building - Sellafield	No Objection	06/12/2017
07/11/2017	CH/4/17/2343/OF1	2 Storey Modular Building - Sellafield	No Objection	06/12/2017
06/11/2017	CH/4/17/2352/OF1	46 Santon Way Extension	No Objection	06/12/2017
29/11/2017	CH/4/17/2395/OF1	Demolition of existing utility room & construction of single storey extension	No Objection	06/12/2017

9 Finance

- 9.1** RFO balance read out the reconciled Cash Book Balances of £41,890.41 for October and £37,914.44 for November.
- 9.2** Payment requests approved.

10 To Consider matters pertaining to Parish Assets

- 10.1** the Toilet block – Cllr L Mawson is arranging a plumber to assess the work to be carried out and will also fit and supply in the cost and submit this to Council for approval.

11 To consider matters relating to the Highway and Transport

- 11.1** Drigg Level by Kirkstone House. There should be a warning sign of blind dip. There have been 6 accidents there in recent years. The PC believes these could have been avoided. A request to Highways for this warning sign. Clerk to action. Actioned
- 11.2** Drop kerbs for disabled access. Plans were submitted approximately 12 months. A request to highways on an update on status of this. Clerk to action. Actioned

12 Correspondence

- 12.1** The Open Space Contract to be added to the January meeting agenda. Clerk to action. Actioned
- 12.2** Clerk to advise Cumbria Bridleways Society the PC do not know who cleared the PROW, however, this may have been possibly for agricultural purposes. Clerk to action. Actioned

13 Urgent items raised by Councillors

- 13.1** Cllr K Mawson reported the contractor Morgan Sindall has now fitted the disabled handrails at the Church and has donated to the charity Hospice at Home. They are to be commended for getting involved and contributing to the local community.

14 Dates of forthcoming Meeting

Full Meeting Wednesday 3rd January