

Minutes
of the meeting of
Seascale Parish Council
held on
Wednesday 5th November 2014 at 7pm
in the Methodist School Room, Seascale

Present	Chair	Mr David Moore
	Councillors	Mrs Eileen Eastwood Mr Kenneth Mawson Mr Philip Taylor Mr David Ritson Mr Brian Goulding
	Clerk	Absent due to illness

Item

1 Apologies

Mr Ian Turner, Cllr Andrew Woollass, Cllr David Halliday, Cllr Craig Ashton, Cllr Christopher Taylor, Cllr Andrew Williams

2 Announcements from the Chair

The Chair announced that due to the illness of the Clerk, he would be happy to write the minutes, albeit in a truncated form.

3 Declarations of interest by councillors in respect to agenda items

None

4 Minutes of the previous meeting of 1st October 2014

Due to the absence of the Clerk, no minutes were supplied to the meeting for scrutiny.

5 Actions arising from the previous meeting of 1st October 2014

Due to no minutes being present, councillors requested that the Chair ask the Clerk to update them as soon as he is able. The Chair **agreed** to do this.

6 Public participation

None.

7 Reports from committees and representatives

7.1 The Parish Council received a report from the Finance and General Purpose Committee.

7.2 The Chair reported that the matter of Persimmon Ltd's donation to Copeland Borough Council's flood defence scheme is still ongoing.

7.3 The Clerk had informed the Chair that the Cumbria County Council Dell improvement grant report had been completed.

7.4 Cllr Ritson was glad to report that the refurbishment of the bus shelter at Cross Lanes was now in hand.

8 Finance

Due to illness the RFO was not able to submit a report on the finance of the Parish, however the Chair was able to confirm that payments had been passed by the Finance and General Purpose Committee the previous week.

9 Planning

- 9.1** Upon re-considering the Planning Application 4/14/2347 for a new dwelling at Parkstone, The Banks, the Council voted to unanimously reject the application due to concerns over the size of the dwelling in relation to the site.
- 9.2** Regarding the Planning Application 4/14/2422 for alterations to the Calder House Hotel, the Council unanimously decided to allow the work with no reservations.

10 To consider the proposed formal Policy on the use of the Seafront Amenity Area following it's acquisition by the Parish

Due to the absence of the Clerk, there was no policy document to discuss.

11 Correspondence

- 11.1** Councillors deferred writing a letter to Northern Rail and Network Rail in support of Cumbria Rail User's Group's campaign to update the information provision at Seascale Rail Station pending more information from the Clerk

12 Urgent items raised by councillors

The Council discussed the proposal's by Reay's Coaches regarding withdrawal of bus services.

13 Dates of forthcoming meetings

The next full meeting of Seascale Parish Council will be on Wednesday 3rd December at 7 pm in the Methodist Schoolroom in Seascale.