

SNETTERTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of a Meeting of Snetterton Parish Council held at Tyrells Restaurant, Snetterton Race Track on Monday 4 October 2021 at 6.30pm.

Present: Councillors: Lesley Goldsmith, Jacqueline Romero, Amanda Skinner (vice-Chair)
Clerk: Nicola Ledain

Also present: 4 members of the public

- 1 Election of Chairman:** Lesley Goldsmith was duly elected for the ensuing year.
- 2 Apologies for absence.** All parish councillors were present. Apologies had been accepted from District Cllrs Sarah Suggitte and Philip Cowan.
- 3 Declarations of interest.** None
- 4 Minutes.** The minutes of the last meeting held on 15 March 2021 were **agreed**.
- 5 Election of vice-Chairman.**

This was not applicable, and Cllr Amanda Skinner remained vice-Chair until May 2022.

6 Co-option of Councillors

The notice of vacancy would be published and providing there was not 10 electors who requested an election, co-option of councillors would take place at the next meeting.

7 Public participation session.

The public raised the issue of flooding in the village as there had been significant flooding in the village last winter. It was acknowledged that the water table levels were higher than normal last winter, however, the County Cllr would take it forward. Landowners in the village had checked their ditches and it was worth checking with other landowners that they had carried out similar. The PC would send a letter. It was also suggested that villagers were generally asked if they had problems with flooding at any point, and SA would take it forward with the Highway Engineer.

The public also asked about speeding in the village. It was suggested that the Parish Partnership Scheme could give funding for a SAM2 speed monitor. It was also suggested that a speedwatch could be set up. It was advised to speak to the Highway Engineer who would need to approve any applications for funding, and then discuss the options at the next meeting.

8 Planning

- 8.1.1 **3PL/2021/0987/VAR** Snetterton Primary Harling Road NR16 2JU: Variation of Condition 2 (approved plans) on permission 3PL/2020/1390/F to make following amendments: omit basement; switch room taller by 1.37m; remove second transformer blast wall and part of gabion wall – NO OBJECTIONS
- 8.1.2 **3PL/2021/1121/F** Land adjoining southern boundary of Snetterton Business Park and Land east of Park View, Harling Road: Erection of new commercial unit with associated hardstanding – NO OBJECTIONS
- 8.1.3 **3DC/2021/0217/DOC**: Snetterton Business Park Eccles NR16 2JU: Discharge of Condition No's 7, 8 & 10 on 3PL/2021/0291/F – NO OBJECTIONS
- 8.1.4 **3PL/2021/1309/F** Snetterton Park, S Tek Fabrications Harling Road NR16 2JU: Extension to existing S-Tek building to the north – NO OBJECTIONS

Update on Agri Mill application

Cllr AS reported that building would start in two years time, but there had, at time of writing, been no application for a permit, and this should have been in progress. Sam Fuller at the Environment Agency would look into it.

9 County Broadband Update

There had been no update, and the Chair agreed to chase it up.

10 Snetterton Business Liaison Committee

The Council would be engaging with all the businesses to increase cooperation and make effective relationships in terms of planning applications and day to day business.

11 Snetterton Bio Mass Plant

Cllr Skinner reported that she had met with representatives of the Bio Mass Plant. She reported that they had had two problems with omissions but the Environment Agency was not concerned with the levels. There was also a noise complaint on 9th January and a survey had been carried out since which had been submitted to the Environment Agency.

When the lights have been left on, they had been turned off quickly after being notified. The trees still had not been planted at the North End of the plant and As would remind them.

There was new ownership and they were keen to hear views of the village.

The next meeting was planned for March 2022.

12 Highways Issues

Verges

Highways had confirmed that they would come to review the verges and repair what damage had been done. The Council hadn't heard anything since the last meeting so this would be chased up.

Surface Dressing

Cllr Jacqueline Romero reported that she had made a complaint regarding the surface dressing and had been told that it wasn't finished as the brushing had not taken place. This would be chased up.

13 Finance

The following payments were agreed;

Nicola Ledain (Clerk) salary for June, July, August and September: £939.28

HMRC: £11.60

14 Autumn Community Event

It was agreed that there should be a community event sometime in the future, and Cllrs agreed that the World Horse Welfare could be involved. They would be spoken to.

15 Litter Pick

There were several villagers who litter picked regularly.

16 Lasting Memorial for Parish and Town Councils

The Clerk confirmed that she had responded to Norfolk Alc regarding the plaque for work done in the community throughout the pandemic of Covid-19 and the associated lockdowns.

16 AOB

There was no other business.

17 Items for next agenda

Village sign, verges, World Horse Welfare, Parish Partnership Scheme

18 Date of the next meeting was NOTED as Monday 15th November 2021 at 6.30pm

Meeting ended at 7.50pm

Confirmed:

15 November 2021 (Chairman)