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 **BRINTON PARISH COUNCIL**

 **Minutes of a Meeting of Brinton Parish Council held by Zoom**

 **on Friday 5th February 2021 at 7.30pm.**

1. **Welcome and Apologies :**

**Present : Chairman, Cllr Mrs. D. Hyslop, Cllr. Peter North, Cllr. Robin Hyslop and Cllr. Mrs. M.**

**Bishop.**

**Also present were County Councillor Dr. Marie Strong, District Councillor. Mr. Andrew Brown and Parish Clerk Louise Stevens.**

**There were three members of the Public present.**

**Apologies were received from Cllr. E. Harland and Cllr. Liz O’Kane.**

**The Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting, which was being held remotely by Zoom,**

**due to the Covid 19 Coronavirus regulations. Meetings are expected to held in this format**

**until restrictions are removed.**

**2. Declarations of interest and requests for dispensations:**

**There were none.**

**3. To Approve the minutes from the last Parish Council Meeting held by Zoom**

 **on Thursday 14th January 2021 :**

**The Clerk had circulated the minutes by email to all Councillors, and it was Agreed that they were a true copy of the meeting.**

**Proposed by Cllr. North, and seconded by Cllr. M. Bishop.**

**The minutes will be signed in person by the Chairman at a later date.**

**4. Matters Arising from this minutes :**

**Cllr. North thanked County Councillor Dr. Strong and District Councillor. Andrew Brown for**

**their support with the Stopping Up order in Church Street, Brinton. The Hearing is due to take place on March 3rd 2021.**

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**The Chairman and Cllr. Liz O’Kane had met with the farm manager from Albanwise**

**when they had discussed the amenity value of the village pond. The farm manager**

**had agreed to clear some branches and debris which were overhanging the pond**

**and allow more light in. He would also clear some of the pond situated behind the**

**bench to improve the area.**

**The Clerk has contacted UK PowerNetwork to report overhanging branches on the telegraph pole at Jubilee Corner. Job Reference Number : CALL 366756Z**

**The pothole outside Cedar House has also been reported to Highways : Enquiry 900175566**

**District Councillor Andrew Brown informed members that he is still waiting for a Decision**

**from the Enforcement Department, concerning Knockavoe.**

**The Chairman mentioned that the ongoing matter of the Parish Council’s Complaint to**

**North Norfolk District Council, about the Planning process and that it has still not been addressed.**

**5. To receive reports :**

**County Councillor Dr. Strong circulated her report to all members by email earlier.**

**District Councillor Andrew Brown gave members updates previously during the meeting.**

**6. Planning : Planning Application NP/21/0142 Hawthorns, Thornage Road,**

**Sharrington.**

**The Applicant was invited to join the meeting to give a report.**

**Mr. Riches explained why he felt it was necessary to extend his current shed arrangement**

**and build a larger shed with a concrete floor and block work. His small holding had increased in size and now comprised chickens, 1 donkey, 2 goats, 1 duck and 2 kittens. He explained his rat problem and that the shed was used for shelter in bad weather.**

**Mr. and Mrs.Riches left the meeting.**

**The Chairman explained the Councils position on the previous applications on the site.**

**Policies EN4 and EN2 applied. The site was previously meadowland and lies in a sensitive**

**landscape with any development having an impact on the landscape.**

**The Councillors discussed the Application and each put forward their comments. Concerns**

**had been received from Councillors not present. Two Councillors supported the Application.**

**District Councillor Andrew Brown commented that Residential development would not be allowed in the foreseeable future. The Parish Council voted to OBJECT to the application.**

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**7. Finance :**

**Louise reported that there were no payments since the last meeting, with a balance of**

**£4,928.37 held in the Current Account.**

**No payments to Approve this evening.**

**8. Public Participation:**

**None.**

**9. Any other business :**

**It was Agreed that Draft Minutes would be published on the Councils website before**

**they are Approved at the next meeting, with Agendas and Audit Documents.**

**10. Date of next meeting :**

**Thursday 18th March 2021**

**There being no further business the meeting ended at 8.35pm.**

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**Chairman. Date.**

**Cllr. Mrs. Debbie Hyslop.**

**Louise Stevens**

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