

**ELLOUGHTON-CUM-BROUGH TOWN COUNCIL
MINUTES OF A VILLAGE ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON
WEDNESDAY 13 DECEMBER 2017 AT THE TOWN COUNCIL OFFICE
60 WELTON ROAD, BROUGH**

Present: Councillors Credland, Mrs. Duckles, C. Duckles, Mrs Galbraith, T. Galbraith (Chairman), Luckraft and Ms. Rowe (Vice-Chairman)

Public Participation: One Member of the public attended the meeting and spoke on the Rapid Relief Trust who help with voluntary work within the community.

1. **TO ACCEPT APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE** – Councillor P. Duckles
2. **TO ACCEPT MEMBERS DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY AND NON-PECUNIARY INTERESTS RELATED TO ITEMS ON THE AGENDA** – No declarations of interest received.
3. **TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES OF THE VILLAGE ENVIRONMENT MEETING HELD ON 11 OCTOBER 2017**
It was proposed by Councillor Luckraft, seconded by Councillor Ms. Rowe and agreed unanimously to approve the minutes of the meeting held on 11 October 2017 as a true and accurate record and authorise the Chairman to sign.
4. **TO CONSIDER MATTERS RELATING TO ELLOUGHTON-CUM-BROUGH IN BLOOM**
 - 4.1 **To decide on seat destroyed by fire**
Following discussion it was agreed in principle that the Town Council will replace the furniture destroyed by fire. The Deputy Clerk to provide prices for seats and picnic tables at the next meeting of this Committee.
5. **TO CONSIDER MATTERS RELATING TO PLAY AREAS**
It was reported that the RSS monthly Inspections have now increased to £50 per month.
6. **TO CONSIDER MATTERS RELATING TO STREET FURNITURE**
 - 6.1 **Litterbin – Blackburn Avenue/Skillings Lane**
Now replaced by ERYC.
 - 6.2 **Seat – Saltgrounds Road/Yacht Club**
The seat has now been repaired.
 - 6.3 **Saltbin – Lowerdale**
Councillor Credland that the Town Council Saltbin on Lowerdale is in need of replacement. It was agreed unanimously that this be renewed.
7. **TO DECIDE ON MATTERS RELATING TO FOOTPATHS**
 - 7.1 **Footpath – Spindlewood to Elloughton School**
Following complaints about the trees along the footpath, the Tree Contractor visited the site and reported that the trees were fine.
Councillor Galbraith to speak with the PCC and ERYC with regard to improving the surface of the footpath.
Alan Bent has been instructed to work a few hours each week to clear fallen leaves from footpaths.

Signed as a True and Accurate Record by the Chairman Date

8. TO CONSIDER MATTERS RELATING TO OPEN SPACES

8.1 To consider the Manor Road Play Area

Felt the area is unsuitable for allotment purposes. The area is well looked after and it was agreed that the area remain as is.

9. TO NOTE VILLAGE ENVIRONMENT BUDGETS - Noted

10. TO NOTE THE DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING – Wednesday, 14th February 2018