

# NYMET ROWLAND PARISH COUNCIL

**Minutes of the 172nd meeting of the Parish Council, held on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2019 at 7.30 pm.**

Present:- Councillors Anthony Odhams (Chair), David Gruncell (vice Chair). Babs Channing, Viv O'Dell, Winnie Rookes, Clerk Roger Cooper, MDDC Councillor John Daw. MOP Roland Smith.

Questions from Members of Public. There were no questions at this point.

The minutes of the meeting on Wednesday 22nd May 2019 were approved and signed.

Matters Arising:-

1. Pothole/road maintenance. DG reported that a team had visited the village and had filled in some of the potholes on Barton Hill but missed others. There are too many for Oliver Williams to fill in with the very limited amount of materials he has been given. JD suggested using the website to report the potholes, DG will speak to Margaret Squires. The damage to Hawkridge Bridge has been acknowledged by DCC but it is not known when repairs will be carried out.
2. Snow warden scheme. RC is still checking who is administering this, it is not an MDDC matter probably DCC.
3. Hedge cutting. The overhanging hedge at 9 Higher Ley is the only item remaining. RC has been advised by MDDC that if necessary, the PC should notify the DCC of the problem.
4. Annual litter pick. DG has carried this out.
5. Planning condition enforcement at Nymet Barton Farm. JD (as MOP) confirmed that he has organised the erection of the new fence and will be re-planting the Beech hedge in November.
6. JD (as MOP) committed to ensure that the repair to the drainage culvert at the middle entrance to the field adjacent to Barton Hill would be completed by mid September '19.
7. Officer/councillor training. It was agreed that this would not be necessary, most of the information needed is in "The Parish Councillor's Guide" and help is easy to obtain from D.A.L.C. and DCC.

Finance Report.

RC reported the bank balance at £1,894-68, no outstanding amounts, we usually make donations to the Hall and Church at this time of year, DG asked him to write to them to ask if there are any particular projects with which they need help.

New Business.

There is a Planning Application at Nymet Mill which should have been notified to the PC, RC to check.

Date of next meeting:- Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> September 2019.

The meeting closed at 8-36pm.