**Minutes to the meeting of Middleton-on-the-Wolds Parish Council held in**

**The Reading Rooms, Front Street, Middleton on the Wolds**

 **Monday 7th October 2019 at 7.00pm.**

**Present:**  Cllr J Eastwood (Chair); Cllr M Kelly (Vice Chair); Cllrs K Bentley; T Walker; J Pratt; J. Fisher; N Jones; Dave Carlin; J Lund; A Lowsley and Sandra Morrison (Clerk to the Parish)

**Guests:** Ward Cllr Kevin Beaumont; one member of the public

**1055. Apologies –** Cllr Wilson-Dodd

**1056. Declarations of Interest (Code of Conduct 2012)**

(a) Pecuniary – Cllr Walker Item 9 on the agenda Reading Rooms

(b) Non- Pecuniary Interests - Cllr Fisher Item 11 (c) on the agenda - (the Recreation Club) (b) Dispensations issued – none

**1057**. It was proposed by Cllr Kelly and seconded by Cllr Carlin, that the minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 2nd September 2019 be accepted as a true record. All agreed.

Meeting Closed to welcome Ward Cllr K Beaumont.

Cllr Beaumont has received an email from a concerned resident regarding the ongoing traffic issues on Front Street, and is liaising with Traffic, Parking and Street Scene Services at East Riding.

The member of the public addressed the Council over concerns regarding GDPR legislation, overhanging bushes in the village, Awareness training and Community Transport. All issues noted and to be addressed.

Meeting reopened 7.30pm

**1058. ERYC**.

1. The issues with drains and flooding in the village and response from ERYC has been taken up by Ward Cllr Greenwood. Clerk to liaise.
2. The laurel hedging along Chapel Lane/South St has now been cut back
3. It was agreed that the clerk wold liaise with the school in response to Village Walkabout and ERYC Traffic and Parking, on the traffic issues around the school.

**1059. Planning application 19/03205/TCA**

**Proposal:** MIDDLETON CONSERVATION AREA - Lime tree (T1); crown lift to 8m

and crown thin 15%. Beech tree (T2); crown lift to 6m and crown thin 15%.

Beech tree (T3); crown lift to 5m and crown thin 10%. Apple tree (T4); crown

lift to 3m. Apple tree (T5); remove dead limb to south. Fell Beech tree (T6, T7).

Beech tree (T8); crown lift to south to 5m. Beech tree (T9); crown lift to north to

6m. Beech tree (T10); crown lift to south to 5m - All works to clear building

roof, remove overcrowded trees and allow more light into garden

**Location:** Rosedene 45 Front Street Middleton On The Wolds East Riding Of Yorkshire

YO25 9UA

**Applicant:** Mrs Stella Goodrick

**Application type:** Tree Works in Conservation Areas

It was proposed by Cllr Walker and seconded by Cllr Lowsey that no objections be raised to this application. Passed

**1060 . Correspondence for consideration and resolution**

* + 1. Suggestions for VE Day 75 celebrations are still being discussed. The school wish to be involved and Cllr Kelly to liaise with the Recreation Club and then set up a community meeting.
		2. The ERNLLCA August & September Newsletters were circulated and Cllr Lund advised that she would be interested in training on the Management of Allotments
		3. Cllr Wilson-Dodd proposed to attend the ERNLLCA 2019 conference
		4. Cllr Wilson-Dodd to be approached as the Parish Transport Champion
		5. The clerk attended the Community Led Housing Event 5th October. North Dalton follow up Survey Report to be recirculated.
		6. The offer of free training in safe use and monitoring of AED equipment is to be accepted subject to prior discussions with the village defib group.
1. It was agreed that a quote will be obtained for the cutting back of vegetation around the sluice area of the village pond along with the bushes and hedges
2. Several volunteers have now come forward to form a Community Speed Watch Group, and North Dalton Parish Council have also shown an interest in joining us.
3. **Reading Rooms**
	1. It was agreed that the Reading Rooms should be listed with the Land Registry. Clerk to action.
	2. The minutes to the meeting held on 24th September had been circulated and it was agreed that there needs to be full liaison with the village hall committee to ensure no overlap or conflict with events. Cllr Lowsley to do survey on building prior to sanctioning repairs and repaint. Next committee meeting 31 October.
4. **Finance**
	1. It was proposed by Cllr Pratt and seconded by Cllr Kelly that accounts to datebeapproved. That the payment of schedules 1 & 2 be approved, including the funding request from The Recreation Club, for support towards the cost of grass cutting. Passed
	2. It was agreed that the rose bed in the crematorium should be filled with more compost up to the top of the edging. Clerk to progress, once satisfactory, finalisation of outstanding payment relating to work done at the cemetery can be made.
	3. The increasing cost of printing Middleton Messenger was discussed, and it was agreed that more advertising space should be sold if possible.
5. **Village updates and outstanding issues**
6. The land exchange has been verbally agreed. Cllr Eastwood to obtain something in writing for clerk to progress to legal.
7. Drawings of proposed new/refurbishment play/activity/sports areas at the recreation Ground are being finalised, prior to community discussion.
8. Awaiting firm quote regarding the resurfacing of the footpath leading to the Orchard Drive playarea. Clerk to progress and look for funding.
9. As an alternative to the proposed trod down Beverley Road, the clerk to enquire if the grass verge could be included in the 3 weekly grass cutting programme, thus allowing use of the verge as a footpath.

Meeting closed 9.00pm

These minutes agreed as a true record

Signed Date:.

Chairman.