

THORNHAUGH PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Second Meeting of the 2015/2016 Parish Council
held at 7.00 pm on Tuesday 8th September 2015
in St Andrew's Church, Thornhaugh

PRESENT

William Rogers (Chairman)
Liam Higgins
Ashleigh Kewney
Louise Molesworth
Brian Watts

IN ATTENDANCE

One of the Public
Deirdre McCumiskey, Clerk to the Council

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

There were apologies for absence from John Holdich.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no Declarations of Interest.

3. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

The Member of the Public raised the following issue:-

- A recent Planning Application in the village

4. POLICE MATTERS

There were no police representatives present. The Chairman had spoken to the police recently and had invited them to the meeting.

5. MINUTES of the First Meeting of the 2015/2016 Parish Council held on 13th July 2015 were reviewed, approved and signed by the Chairman.

Proposed by:- William Rogers **Seconded by:-** Brian Watts

6. MATTERS ARISING

i) **Home Farm Matters**

See under ii)

ii) **Dog Foul Bin at Home Farm**

It was agreed to have a Dog Foul Bin rather than an ordinary Waste Bin. It was agreed that the Dog Foul Bin will be erected on a post on the grass triangle near the noticeboard.

iii) **Grit Bin**

It was noted that the Grit Bin has been ordered.

7. CORRESPONDENCE

All correspondence had been e-mailed to the Parish Councillors.

8. FINANCE

- i) Statement and Bank Reconciliation at 31st August 2015 was reviewed and approved as presented
Proposed by:- William Rogers **Seconded by:-** Brian Watts

9. ADJOURNMENT

i) **A1 Footpath**

It was agreed to obtain clarification as to whether the A1 Footpath from Wansford to Carpenter's Lodge was a designated cycle route. The Clerk will contact the Highways Division.

ii) **Corner by Thornhaugh Hall**

It was agreed to request that the bollards on the corner by Thornhaugh Hall need replacing as they have been mown down. The Clerk will contact the Highways Division.

iii) **Sharpley's Grain Store**

It was noted that the Parish Council had no objections to the Planning Application for a new Grain Store and were disappointed that a village resident had distributed somewhat malicious letters appertaining to be from the Parish Council regarding this Planning Application.

iv) **Queen Elizabeth's 90th Birthday**

It was agreed to organise a Village Street Party to celebrate the Queen Elizabeth's 90th birthday in 2016.

v) **Speeding Within the Village**

It was agreed to remind all motorists of the 20 mph speed limit within the village as many cases of dangerous driving have been reported.

10. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The Third Meeting of the 2015/2016 Parish Council will take place **at 7.00 pm on 18th November 2015 in St Andrew's Church.**

11. CLOSURE

There being no further business to discuss, **the Chairman** closed the meeting at 8.00 pm

SIGNED

Chairman

DATE

18/11/15