

DRAFT MINUTES OF A MEETING OF
SCOTTON PARISH COUNCIL
HELD ON MONDAY 24TH SEPTEMBER 2007
IN THE VILLAGE HALL, SCOTTON AT 6.00PM

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PRESENT: CLLR J TERRY (CHAIR); CLLR MRS L WETHERALL (VICE CHAIR);
CLLR MRS B HILL; CLLR S SMITH; CLLR M LANGFORD;

APOLOGIES: CLLR P GALLOWAY;

DECLARATION OF INTEREST – CLLR J TERRY - RENEWABLE ENERGY

ADJOURNMENT : NONE

THE VICE CHAIR CLLR L WETHERALL TOOK THE CHAIR

1 **MINUTES – 30TH AUGUST**

THE MINUTES WERE SIGNED AND AGREED

PROPOSED: CLLR S SMITH; SECONDED: CLLR B HILL; UNANIMOUS

2 **MATTERS TO BE DISCUSSED**

2.1 **LOCAL DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK** –

The Council agreed to respond to Questions 8.b; 12.c; 14.c stating
'These are the options Scotton Parish Council prefer'.

2.2 **STREET CLEANSING** –

Following a letter from WLDC the Council agreed that Cllr S Smith and
Cllr B Hill would meet with Operations Manager Mr G Pilkington on Monday
8th October 07.

2.3 PARISH CALM AND PARISH LINK – L.R.S.P.

The Chairman, Cllr J Terry had been negotiating with L.R.S.P. with regard to
speeding vehicles in the village. A complaint had also been received from a
parishioner and hopefully the L.R.S.P. will provide some equipment, either the
Archer, the S.I.D. or a camera in the near future.

2.4 **VILLAGE HEALTH CHECK**

The Council had carried out a Village Health Check, the findings to be reported
to LCC and WLDC.

2.5 RISK ASSESSMENT & ASSET MANAGEMENT PLAN

These will be formulated soon.

2.6 LALC AGM

There were no Councillors able to attend on this date.

2.7 BEST KEPT VILLAGE

Marks have been received and will be read out at the Annual Parish Meeting.

2.8 **STAGECOACH BUS STOPS**

It was agreed to write to Stagecoach and LCC pointing out that the bus is now
dropping passengers round the bend towards Scotton on Laughton Lane. The
area is very dark and passengers who wish to be on Scotter Road have to walk
back round the bend where there are no footpaths.

2.9 AREA FORUMS

The Gainsborough Forum will be held at The Guildhall on 9 October at 7.15pm.

2.10 CO-OPTION

The Council are waiting to hear from WLDC before they can co-opt.

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3 **PLANNING**

3.1 12098 PROPOSED STABLE BLOCK – No comments

3.2 ADDRESSING OF PROPERTY – No comments

4 **FINANCE**

4.1 CLERKS SALARY - £475

4.2 DAUBNEY SERVICES – SEAT MAINTENANCE - £70

Action Daubney Services are ceasing to trade and the Council will be looking for new contractors.

Clerk 4.3 AUDIT – £164.50

5 **COMMITTEE AND OTHER REPORTS**

5.1 VILLAGE HALL - report given by Cllr S Smith

The new Play Park sign has been erected. This has been paid for by the Village Hall.

5.2 DIARY DATES

It was agreed to keep to the last Monday of the Month. There will be a Police Forum at Market Rasen on 31October and Cllr J Terry will attend.

6 **OTHER BUSINESS**

6.1 RURAL FIZZ FUND

There is grant money available and the Council are looking at projects for the village.

6.2 CHILDREN'S LINKS

A copy of the Parish Plan is to be returned to this organisation.

6.3 NEW VICAR FOR PARISHES

Action The group of parishes welcomed Rev Mike Bursen Thomas to the area.

6.4 FAULTY STREET LIGHT

Clerk It was reported that there was a faulty street light on the snicket.

8 **MEETING CLOSED** – 7.07PM

9 **DATE OF NEXT MEETING** – MONDAY 29TH OCTOBER, IN THE VILLAGE HALL AT 6PM