

**MINUTES OF A MEETING
OF SCOTTON PARISH COUNCIL
HELD ON TUESDAY 3RD MARCH 2015
IN THE VILLAGE HALL AT 6.00PM**

DRAFT MAY BE SUBJECT TO AMENDMENT

- 1 PRESENT: Cllr B Hill (Chairman); Cllr M Clarke (Vice-Chairman);
 Cllr C Wood; Cllr M Langford; Cllr P Mirkin; Cllr L Wetherall:
ALSO PRESENT: County Cllr L Rollings; District Cllr P Mewis; Clerk Di Millward.
- 2 APOLOGIES: Cllr M McCague – reasons noted and accepted. Dist Cllr C Day
 All Councillors were furnished with Election Forms
- 3 ADJOURNMENT PERIOD - Cllr Rollings spoke about the new Safeguarding Group. This is an
 initiative to ensure that young and vulnerable people are properly safeguarded. LALC
 will be hosting a conference to discuss these issues.
- 4 DECLARATION OF INTEREST - NONE
- 5 MINUTES - FEBRUARY 2015
 Proposed: Cllr M Clarke; Seconded: Cllr L Wetherall
 Agreed and signed as a true record.
- 6 MATTERS TO BE DISCUSSED
 - 6.1 BROADBAND PROVISION AND WELL BEING
 District Cllr C Day had provided some leaflets which will be available to residents in
 the Village Hall. Broadband provision has not yet been provided but is ongoing.
 - 6.2 W.I. A thank you letter to be sent to Scotton W.I. re the Centenary tree planting.
 - 6.3 BROWNS HOLT WIND FARM
 Proposed: Cllr M Clarke; Seconded; Cllr P Mirkin:
 Resolved: Scotton PC. Intend to object on the following issues:
 Visual Impact; Efficiency; Archaeology; Ecology; Heritage; Transport; Sound;
 Impact on listed buildings.
 Clerk to contact the Clerks of Willoughton; Northorpe; Corringham; Blyton;
 Laughton and Hemswell to ascertain what their Councils intend to do.
 - 6.4 INVITE RE OPEN CHURCHES WEEKEND
 Resolved that the Council should provide information for this event.

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- 7 HIGHWAYS AND FOOTPATHS
- 7.1 STREET LIGHTS – Agreed that a Health Check should be carried out
Clerk to find website link in order that parishioners can report these problems.
- 7.2 Horse Signs – 2 ordered at a total cost of £41.
- 7.3 DOOKS CLOSE SALT BIN – This has been replaced. A resident is still asking for a salt
bin to be situated on the junction of Crapple Lane and Church Lane. Highways
say there is no adequate place for it to be situated.
- 7.4 POTHOLES – Highways are coming to look at the whole area
- 8 FINANCE
- 8.1 LALC – cheque authorised for £237.44
- 8.2 INCOME RECEIVED – BACS for VAT refund £167.60
- 8.3 INCOME AND EXPENDITURE – in hand as at 03/03/15 - £8277.98
- 9 COMMITTEE AND OTHER REPORTS
- 9.1 VILLAGE HALL REPORT - given by Cllr M Clarke. The Annual Village Hall meeting will
be held on 26th March.
- 10 MEETING CLOSED – 7.15PM
- 11 DATE OF NEXT MEETING – TUESDAY 7TH APRIL AT 6PM

2015: January 6th; February 3rd; March 3rd; April 7th; May 5th June 2nd July 7th
September 1st October 6th November 3rd December 1st

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