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MINUTES OF GLAISDALE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING held at The Robinson Institute, Glaisdale, on Thursday 16th February 2012.

PRESENT: Cllrs : N Hopwood (Chair), Mrs K MacDonald, P Thurlow, C Pearson, R Norris, M Foord .
C/Cllr WH Tindall.

APOLOGIES : Cllr SW Thompson, D/Cllr T Lawn.

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST : None.

1. **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING** were presented, agreed and signed as a true record.
2. **MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES**
 - 2.1 Police attendance and report.
 - **No Police presence & no police report presented.**
 - 2.2 Affordable Housing occupancy – update on occupancy issues.
 - **Members informed that since the last meeting two of the applicants for the seven rental properties at Glaisdale have withdrawn their applications and YCH have re-advertised the properties. Latest information received from YCH is that two further applicants (both from within the parish) have been identified and their details passed to Sanctuary Housing for these applications to be processed.**
 - 2.3 Annual Assembly & March meeting of the council – change of venue.
 - **Members informed that the venue for this years Annual Assembly has had to be changed to the Robinson Institute as the Ley Hall has been pre-booked every Thursday on a long term basis. Clerk has amended all previously printed information on notices etc. to reflect this change.**
 - 2.4 2012 Parish seating maintenance – appraisal returns.
 - **Work lists received from Members in readiness for preparation of invitations to tender for this work.**
3. **PLANNING**
 - 3.1 **Applications :**
 - 3.1.1 **NYM/2012/0073/FL :** Application for construction of replacement bay window classroom extension at Lealholm Primary School, Lealholm.
 - **Application supported.**
 - 3.2 **Referrals**

None.
 - 3.3 **Results :**

None.

Signed as a true record :(Chairman)

DATE :

4. FINANCE

No matters for consideration.

5. CORRESPONDENCE

5.1 Action / Reply

5.1.1 Millennium Oak Tree & Seat – Glaisdale Green – future care.

- Members informed that Mr Simon Rhodes has expressed his willingness to carry out occasional work to maintain the tree in good condition on the proviso that it is understood that any such work is done on a voluntary basis and without obligation. Members agreed to this principle and expressed their gratitude to Mr Rhodes.
- The bench seat surrounding the tree is in need of attention to maintain it in a safe condition for the public to use and, so far, efforts to identify its ownership have not been successful. It was proposed that the bench be adopted by the parish council and its upkeep be incorporated into the annual seats maintenance contract. Clerk suggested that this intention be advertised throughout the parish and that any objectors or individuals with information on its provenance be given the opportunity to declare on this action. Members agreed and Clerk to post appropriate notices.

5.1.2 NYMNPA – proposed Trod clearing works at Glaisdale Dale

- Members informed of this work, planned by NYMNPA, to clear off the surface of the trods which run between the school drive and the end of the school path at Glaisdale on the 38R Dale road. No Objections were raised and so no action proposed.

5.1.3 Scarborough branch YLCA – New Standards Framework presentation.

- Members informed of training presentation relating to the forthcoming new Standards Framework for Councillors in public office. Noted.

5.1.4 Timber Transport Routes – consultation.

- Noted - no issues revealed - consultation to be returned without objections.

5.1.5 SBC – Training opportunity – ‘Neighbourhood Plans’

- Members informed of training opportunity for councils proposing to produce a ‘Neighbourhood Plan’ As this council has produced a Parish Plan in the recent past it was not thought necessary at this stage to take advantage of this process.

5.2 Minutes & Reports

None received.

5.3 For Information

None received.

Newsletters received :

RAY ‘Country Air’ – Winter 2012

Publications received :

None received

Other items of communication were received.

6. REPORTS OF MEETINGS ATTENDED

No reports to present.

7. MATTERS OF INTEREST RAISED BY MEMBERS

No matters raised which require immediate action.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING : Will be on Thursday 15th March 2012, immediately following the Annual Assembly for 2012 (commencing at 7.00pm) which will be held at The Robinson Institute, Glaisdale.