

**Buckden Parish Council
Minutes
Monday 8th August 2016**

**Present
Cllr Schofield (Chair)
Cllr Clark
Cllr Thompson
Cllr Breen
Cllr Huck**

**Clerk
1 x Elector**

1. Minutes

The minutes of July were signed as a true and accurate record

Proposed by Cllr Breen

Seconded by Cllr Clark

2. Apologies

Apologies received from Cllr Marshall

3. Declaration of interest

Declarations of interest were made from Cllr Schofield and Cllr Clark in relation to discussions of the proposed campsite

4. Matters Arising

1. Highways

- Village Signs - No further updates so item to be carried over to next meeting
- It was advised that there were some railings missing by Hubberholme church that would cause a great problem if the river is in flood - reported no further update
- Also the trees and bushes at the top of Stubbing Lane are so overgrown you cannot see onto the B160, both matters to be reported to highways - reported no further update
- It was also reported that the sign at Greenfield was broken - It was resolved that the Clerk would chase all of these items up with Highways

2. Local Plan

The councillors are happy with the proposals and all agreed to remove from the agenda

3. Parish Plan

Richard Barlow advised he would assist with the reading of the information in the boxes and the Clerk was to ask democratic services for their advise as to how long information is kept, no further updates with this item and to be carried forward to next meeting.

A response was received from Grassington Neighbourhood plan and it was agreed that Cllr Breen would attend their meeting when a date was given.

It was also resolved that a draft of the village plan would be available for the next meeting.

4. Chairman

Cllr Schofield advised that he would be stepping down from the chairmans role in September, other councillors are asked to decide who would take on this role - It was resolved to carry this item forward to the next meeting.

5. Brexit letter

Cllr Clark raised the matter of Brexit and how it will effect farmers in the future. A letter to the YDNPA will be drafted between the councillors and sent to them as well as forwarding on to other PC's in the area - It was resolved to discuss this item at the next meeting.

County and District councillor update

There were no further updates from Cllr Marshall or Cllr Graham

5. Finance

The statements of account at 18th July 2016

Community Account 4761.72

Business Savings Account £1353.88

Liabilities this month are

Clerk £127.24

Shaun Close Grass cutting £280

HMRC £94.00

Proposed by Cllr Breen

Seconded by Cllr Schofield

6. Planning

Heber Farm planning application was being brought in front of the planning committee on 9th August 2016 at 1pm. The outcome to be reported at the next meeting.

7. Correspondence

- Lady Annes Way - The council resolved to decline the request for funding for this project

8. Any Other Business

- A parishonner had raised the issue of asking BT to re paint the phone box in Buckden and to organise a speed trap outside of the village to encourage motorists to slow down. All the councillors agreed to this and the clerk would send the requests to the appropriate departments.

9. Matter raised by the public

With no other business discussed the meeting closed at 20.36
Date of next meeting Monday 12th September

Future item

Sale of Low cost Housing

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