

MINUTES of the Meeting of the Parish Council held 1st April 2015

Present: D Palmer (Chairman), M Bell, C Hagger, C Smith P Taylor T King

Apologies: S Linsell, T Connolly, H Campden

In attendance: Jo Downton - Clerk.

Declaration of Interests: None

Minutes: The minutes of the parish council meeting held on the 4th March 2015 were taken as read and signed as correct.

Matters arising:

The Clerk reported the litter problem in the surrounding lanes of the village and this matter had been attended to by RCC. The notices of the elections had been received and posted. The clerk had delivered some application forms to councilors and other interested parties. The Chair reported that he had noted all the comments from council regarding the Windfarm Woolfax project and objections had been sent to planning. This issue came about between meetings of the council and the deadline was prior to this meeting hence the Chairs actions. The Chair also reported on the on site meeting held regarding the cycle path between Cottessmore and Exton Coach Path and reported that all matters had been resolved and the work would go ahead as planned.

Terry King reported on recent changes to farm stone outbuildings and the changes in respects to planning. He also asked should anyone have any problems with Broadband would they please let the Clerk know and this would be reported to RCC.

Defibrillator: The Defibrillator session held by Sarah Linsell had been reported as a great success and our sincere thanks go out to Sarah.

Items requiring action only:

EON Contract alterations. The Chair reported that Eon had just put up its prices for the first time in nine years for unmetered supplies. Eon supplied a list of other potential sources and the Chair had explored these without much success. A key issue is the size of our community and many companies are not interested in supplying to such small scale concerns. The one which agreed to supply us was cheaper than EON but would not give a final definitive price. Terry King suggested we contact RCC and see who is there supplier and whether we could arrange something with them. This matter to be followed up by the Chair.

Planning Applications: Various Works Leylandii Tree 9 The Green Exton – No objections.

Authorisation of Cheques:

EON £111.49

EON £36.09

Items for the agenda of the next meeting of the Parish Council – 12th May 2015:

NONE