Whittington Parish Council

Minutes of the meeting Tuesday, 20th July 2015 In Whittington Village Hall

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1220. Present: Cllrs Eric Pelter, Stuart Close, Barbara Atkinson, Colin Hall, Ted Lawson, City Cllr Peter Williamson, 12 members of the public and the Clerk Gillian Hodgson.

1221. Minutes of the Parish Council meeting 26th May 2015 were read and signed as a true record by Cllr Pelter.

1222. PACT No crimes were reported during April and May. The link to local crime figures online www.police.uk Lancashire Constabulary > Upper Lune Valley, enter your postcode. Contact Us: PC Rob Barnsley or PCSO 7109 Sarah Shepherd can be contacted on tel no 101 or you can email us at carnforth.npt@lancashire.pnn.police.uk (please do not use this email to report crime or suspicious incidents – please ring in and ask for a log to be created). If you would like to receive local & relevant information regarding police issues you can register online at www.registration.lancashire.police.uk/registration/ or http://www.lancashire.police.uk/intheknow

1223. Clerk's Report (matters arising):

Potholes continue to be a problem at Docker Hall Cottages (Ref:33979) and Burrow Mill Lane bridleway (Ref:33977). Cllrs completed Declarations of Acceptance of Office and Notification of Members Pecuniary and Other Interests. Proposed dates of meetings were agreed. Traffic speed through village: speed strips fitted on highway by Crosslands; acknowledgement from QES that students are regularly reminded of the legislation regarding travelling to and from school.Chairperson Eric Pelter

1224. Finance

Cllrs agreed on the following payments: 476 Bruce Blackburn strimmer upkeep £8.00; 477 Post Office Ltd HMRC PAYE £75.00; 478 Getmapping Parish Online £91.20; 479 Gardening competition prizes £180.00;

Current balance of accounts: Current Account sheet 257 9th June £2,834.27

Bonus saver Account sheet 46 22nd May £143.20

1225. Planning

15/00261/LB Listed Building application for the installation of 3 roof lights and the removal of an internal wall to facilitate the conversion of the garage to ancillary accommodation associated with 2 Cross Cottages for Mr&Mrs Ian Hunter, 2 Cross Cottages, Main Street, Whittington, LA6 2NX Listed Building consent granted

15/00538/FUL Creation of an enclosed porch below existing entrance canopy for Mrs Julie Graham-Clegg, Swallow Barn, Kirkby Lonsdale Road, Newton, LA6 2NZ Permission granted

15/00001/REF Erection of a 80 metre high wind turbine from ground to blad tip, transformer, substation, temporary construction area, new access track and alterations to existing access arrangements for Mr James Hopkins, Sunny Bank Farm, Kikrby Lonsdale Road, Arkholme, LA6 1BG This appeal is against a refusal of planning permission. Planning applications available for public viewing at http://planapps.lancaster.gov.uk/publicaccess/

1226. Correspondence received & discussed

LALC Future meeting date 28th July venue to be confirmed. Annual General Meeting Friday 16th October 10.00 am County Hall, Preston. Lancashire City Council A Guide to Electoral Procedures for Parish Council Elections. Licensing Act 2003 - review of statement of licensing policy. Lancashire County Council June Parish Champion Newsletter. LCR Summer issue; Clerks & Councils Direct magazine July issue 100.

1227. Business introduced by Councillors

Planning Application 15/00876/FUL Installation of arrays of 2.7 metre high PV panels, underground cabling, inverter and transformer cabinets, control room, 2 metre hih deer proof fencing and CCTV mounted on 3.5 metre high masts, together with construction of internal access roads to form a solar farm for Mr Alexander Miejimolie, Delta Solar OPDE, land north of Saddler Nook Lane, Whittington.

Date of next meeting. Monday, 28th September 2015 7.30pm in Whittington Village Hall.