

GROSMONT PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of the meeting held at 7.30pm on Wednesday on 13 July 2016 at
The Old School Coffee Shop, Grosmont

Present: Cllrs N Moore, D Templeman, M Beesley, P Naylor, R Wootton, I Smith and
C Williamson; L Fletcher, Clerk.

1. To receive apologies and approve reasons for absence

None

2. Declarations of interest in respect of any of the agenda items to be discussed:

None

3. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING for information only:

The minutes were read, agreed and signed a true record, proposed by
Cllr D Templeman, seconded by Cllr I Smith.

4. MATTERS ARISING for information only unless defined:

The NP planning decision re Station Tavern was made after the Council's objection to
the manner of stone cleaning. The Clerk to contact the PA to ask what their plans are.

5. POLICE REPORT:

Circulated.

**6. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION - members of the public are invited to address the
Council:**

No-one present.

7. PLANNING APPLICATIONS:

None received.

PLANNING DECISIONS:

**7.1 NYM/2016/0119/FL Application in respect of installation of oil tank at
The Hollins Institute, Institute Row, Grosmont. Grid Reference 482904 505267.
*Approved with conditions.***

8. FINANCE:

8.1 Bank Statement, still awaited.

8.2 Debit - Clerk's fees and expenses, £107.19, cheque no 677, proposed by
Cllr M Beesley, seconded by Cllr D Templeman,

8.3 Debit – R Wootton for new Grosmont sign supplied by "Street Signs Direct", £81.60,
cheque no 678, proposed by Cllr M Beesley, seconded by Cllr N Moore.

9. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION:

- 9.1 Local Housing update, ongoing.
- 9.2 "Grosmont" village sign, this has now been purchased and will be put up shortly.
- 9.3 HGV signage at Fairhead, ongoing. The Clerk to remind the Highways Dept. of their assurance that the footpath from Front Street up to Fairhead would be resurfaced this autumn. Also, the verge at The White House has been gouged out by NYCC lorry's and not re-instated.
- 9.4 Flooding on Priory Park road, remedial works by Winn Darley still awaited.
- 9.5 Public Toilets, still awaiting structural engineer's report from SBC.
- 9.6 Wood carvings - Application for "Sharing Heritage" Grant, permissions being sought from landowners.
- 9.7 "This Exploited Land", ongoing.
- 9.8 Dog fouling, the Dog Warden has visited the village and placed signage.
- 9.9 Noticeboard, D Parker to be asked to make new noticeboard.

10. CORRESPONDENCE for information or decision:

- 10.1 NYCC – Introduction of Waiting Restrictions – C56, Grosmont, circulated.
- 10.2 NYMNPA – Management Plan 2012 – 2027, circulated.
- 10.3 NYMNPA – Design Awards 2016, noted.
- 10.4 YLCA – Queen's Awards for Voluntary Service, noted.
- 10.5 Rishi Sunak MP – Coast to Coast Walk, reply in support to be sent.
- 10.6 YLCA – Updated edition of "Being a Good Employer – A Guide for Parish and Town Councillors", as the Clerk is the only employee this was not felt to be applicable.
- 10.7 YLCA – Transparency Fund, N/A.
- 10.8 Quality Council, because the expense of Councillors attending training is prohibitive it will not be possible to attain Quality Council status.

11. MINUTES OF MEETINGS:

None.

12. FORTHCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS:

- 12.1 (Police and Crime Commissioner Advice Surgery from 11.30am – 1.30pm on Thursday 7 July at Whitby Library).
- 12.2 NYMNPA – River Fly Monitoring Workshops, Tue 2 and Wed 3 August from 10.00am to 3.30pm at The Moors Centre, Danby. Poster on display.

13. PUBLICATIONS/NEWSLETTERS:

- 13.1 YLCA Annual Review 2015/2016, circulated.

14. CHAIRMAN'S QUESTIONS

None.

There being no other business the meeting closed at 9.00pm. The next meeting will be held at 7.30pm on Wednesday, 14 September 2016.