**Monday 5th October 2015**

Present: Councillors Wilson (in the Chair), McCormack, Moss, Johnson, Granville-Fall, Humphreys, and Taylor. Councillor Clark entered the meeting at 7.42pm.

Clerk: Mrs S Taylor (formally Primmer)

The Parish Council met at the Community Hall, Wetwang. The meeting commenced at 7.30pm.

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| **Public Forum** | Members of public were in attendance. An update on the works on Weeton Drive road surface was requested. Fracking was also discussed. |
| **Police** | Relevant information was read from the October newsletter.  Councillors were informed that PCSO Laura Hudson would be holding a ‘drop in’ surgery at Wetwang Community Hall on 13th October, 10th November and 15th December 2015 between the hours of 10.30am and 12pm. Residents are invited along to discuss any issues they have. |
| **76/15** | **Notice of meeting** – it was confirmed notice had been given in accordance with Schedule 12, Paragraph 10 of the Local Government Act 1972. |
| **77/15** | **Apologies** – all members of the Parish Council were present. |
| **78/15** | **Declarations of interest** - There were no declarations of interest |
| **79/15** | **Correspondence** - Correspondence was received and read from the following:   1. ERYC – removal of recycling bank at Pulham Lane. 2. POWER action group – Cuadrilla briefing. 3. Wetwang Warblers – Thursday afternoon singalong   Resolved. a) That the Parish Council monitor the recycling site and report any debris/refuse to ERYC following the removal. Residents are advised that a second or larger blue bin can be requested free of charge. b) That a member of the Parish Council attends the next meeting if possible. |
| **80/15** | **Matters Arising** – Resolved. The Parish Council received an update from the clerk with reference to matters arising. No further actions were required. |
| **81/15** | **Approval of Minutes** – Resolved. a) That the minutes were approved as a true and accurate record.  Proposer: Councillor Humphreys  Seconded: Councillor Granville-Fall |
| **82/15** | **Reports from Committees and Representatives**  Community Hall – There is to be a public consultation regarding the reduction in the Post Office service.  Wetwang Primary School – No correspondence was received. |
| **83/15** | **Planning Applications:**   * Erection of a Biomass Power Plant, ancillary equipment, on-site infrastructure, ground preparation including extraction of chalk spoil and associated works following outline permission 12/04441/STVARE (Appearance, Landscaping, Layout and Scale to be considered)   Resolved. a) That the clerk contacts the landscaping officer at ERYC to request a meeting prior to ERYC Planning Committee to raise concerns with their report. b) The clerk was requested to contact ERYC regarding building works at the land North of 30 Main Street. |
| **84/15** | **Parish Council Facilities:**  Allotments – Resolved. a) That the clerk requests a quotation for the replacement of the gate post at Northfield allotments. b) That Hawthorn trees are ordered to fill in the gaps in the hedging at Northfield allotment. c) It was agreed that the tenant of plot 5, Northfield allotment is allowed to place a shed no larger than 6 feet by 4 feet to be placed in line with those already in situ and the clerk is to advise them of this decision.  Pit Area – No issues  Cemetery – No issues.  Play Area –Resolved. a) That the clerk seeks additional quotations for the works detailed in the inspection report.  Bus Shelter – No issues |
| **85/15** | **Finance**   1. Resolved. The payment schedule was approved.   Proposed: Councillor Moss  Seconded: Councillor Clark |
| **86/15** | **Maintenance of the Village** – Resolved. a) That the clerk reports the street light outage at the corner of Southfield Road. b) That the clerk contacts ERYC with regards to the unacceptable finish of the resurfacing of Sledmere Road. ERYC Councillor Andy Burton also to be made aware. |
| **87/15** | **Transparency Code –** Resolved. a) That the clerk submits a grant application for the setting up of a Parish Council website, additional hours and equipment needed to satisfy the transparency code conditions. |
| **88/15** | **Agenda for the next meeting:**   1. Gameslack Farm Biomass plant 2. External Audit 3. Payment of Poppy wreath |
| **89/15** | **Date of the next meeting** – The next meeting of Wetwang Parish Council will take place on Monday 2nd November 2015 at 7.30pm. |

The meeting closed at 8.15pm.

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