CLIPSTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of a Parish Council Meeting held on Wednesday 4th January 2023 held at the Village Hall, Clipston at 7.30pm

Minutes taken by Felicity Ryan (Clerk/RFO)

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Present: Councillors Amanda Wilford (Chair), Robert Burnham, Angela Fellowes, Peter Warren, Caroline Kemsley-Pein, Unitary Councillors Kevin Parker and Jonathan Harris.

In attendance: Felicity Ryan (Clerk/RFO)

No members of the public in attendance.

111/22 Apologies: It was RESOLVED to accept apologies from Cllr May and Cllr Price.

112/22 Declarations of Interests: None declared

113/22 Comments from the Public: None present

114/22 Updates from Unitary Councillors: Cllr Harris reported that in relation to the 59/60 bus service and it was unclear as to the level of funding that would come from West Northants Council.

Cllr Parker confirmed that he would look into the fix my street repairs that were outstanding.

115/22 Minutes : It was **RESOLVED** to approve the minutes from the meeting held 7th December 2022

116/22 Action Points from the last minutes:

Councillor Vacancy – Ongoing **Village Hall ownership –** Clerk to request Cllr Price to chase update.

117/22 Finance

It was **RESOLVED** to approve the payments as follows:

E-ON (maintenance for period ending 30.12.22) - £134.75 Clipston Village Hall hire (July – December 2022) - £96.00

Bank balance as at 1st January 2023 = £35,346.72

118/22 Budget 2023/24 - It was RESOLVED to approve the budget as circulated.

119/22 Precept request 23/24 - Based on the agreed budget, it was **RESOLVED** to request a precept in the sum of £22,500.00.

120/22 -Planning Applications :-

WND/2022/1090 Felling of tree in a conservation area at Barton House 9, The Green, Clipston, Northamptonshire, LE16 9RS – It was **RESOLVED** to offer **NO OBJECTION** to this application.

Decision notices:

WND/2022/0947: TREE PRESERVATION ORDER

Nut Cottage, Naseby Road, Clipston, Northamptonshire, LE16 9RZ

Works to a tree subject to Tree Preservation Order DA 200 : Approval

121/22 Village Maintenance:

Kelmarsh Road bend hedges fix my street ref - 3901095 - In progress

Harborough Road – Blocked drains – Completed

Pothole and road subsidence near Gravel Pit Farm – fix my street ref 3901101 – **ACTION** : Clerk to update the photographs on fix my street sent by Councillors.

Pothole on Station Road : ref : 4006830 : **ACTION : Clerk to update the photographs on fix my street sent by Councillors.**

Village sign repairs estimates for replacements – Await work to be carried out.

Potholes on Church Close – fix my street ref 3901104 - **ACTION**: Clerk to update the photographs on fix my street to be sent by Councillors

Overgrown hedge at the Paddocks - **ACTION** : Clerk to chase

Streetlights – Quote accepted and work awaited for streetlight at the village hall. **ACTION**: **Clerk to monitor.**

- overgrown vegetation fix my street reference 3901102 – In progress

Naseby Road and Gold Street site - Item deferred to next meeting.

Leaves on the Jetty - Reported

Streetlight 8 in need of repair - Reported

122/22 Consultations:-

West Northamptonshire draft budget consultation 23 24- Comments by 31st January 2023 – Noted

123/22 Correspondence -

Environment Agency/RAIN correspondence - Noted

124/22 Any Other Business (for discussion only no items can become decisions)

A request had been received by the Village Hall regarding a block booking and requesting that the Parish Council moved their April meeting to the Orbell Room.

Meeting Closed 8.00pm