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**Minutes of a Meeting of Harling Parish Council**

**Held in Harling Old School Hall on Tuesday 27th June 2023**

**PRESENT**

Cllr P Edge (Chairman) Cllr J Denniss

Cllr A Hayward Cllr G Denham

Cllr Jacobs Cllr H Mackenzie

Cllr S Blades Cllr G Jubb

Mrs K Filby (Clerk)

There was one member of the public present, Lorraine Varney Community Enabler from Breckland District Council.

**1. APOLOGIES WERE RECEIVED AND ACCEPTED**

Cllr B Copping, Cllr K Rayner, Cllr J Denniss, Cllr L Mould, District Cllr W Nunn

**2. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 23rd May 2023**

 None raised

**3. MINUTES SIGNED AS A TRUE AND CORRECT RECORD BY THE CHAIRMAN**

**4. PUBLIC FORUM**

The Chairman closed the meeting and opened the floor up to the public for comments.

a) A resident queried the ownership of the riverside area, mainly the area across from the river, the Chairman confirmed that this particular area is private land.

b) A resident reported that the hedges in Middle Harling are overgrown.

c) A resident reported that the white junction lines coming from Rusina Fields onto the Kenninghall Road have completely faded.

**5. DECLARATION BY COUNCILLORS OF ANY DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY**

 **OR PERSONAL INTEREST(S) IN ANY AGENDA ITEMS**

 Item 6b & 6C– Cllr Blades

 Item 6d – Cllr Edge

**6. PLANNING**

a. 3PL/2023/0380 (The Birches, Gallants Lane)- No objections raised

b. 3PL/2023/0581 (The Old Oak, Cheese Hill) – Retrospective application

c. 3PL/2023/0545 – (The Telephone Exchange) A vote was taken by show of hands with a 6/7 Councillors voting no objection to this application

d. 3PL/2023/1417 – (Pear Tree Cottage) – No objections raised

**7. ACCOUNTS**

1. Npower £310.46
2. BT - £67.93
3. Staff costs - £3613.83
4. TT Jones - £244.79
5. Rix Petroleum - £304.50
6. ROSPA Play Safety - £303.60
7. Halfords - £24.99
8. Safetysigns4less- £21.37
9. Amazon - £7.34
10. Newton Press - £302.00
11. Agrikel - £417.57
12. Thurlow Nunn - £19.15
13. URM - £47.52

The Parish Councillors were presented with copies of receipts of payments and bank reconciliation showing year to date spending and balances for main current account

**8. COUNCIL POLICIES**

Council approved and adopted 1. Publication Scheme 2. Health & Safety Policy

 Financial Regulations and Standing Orders reviewed and updated where required.

**9. COUNCIL DROP IN EVENT 24th June**

The Council agreed that this event was very successful with a good turnout. A date can be set in the New Year for another event.

**10. CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED/CLERKS REPORT**

* Breckland Council offering mobile deployment surveillance cameras for Parishes with concerns
* Update from Liz Truss office regarding meeting with Parish Councils
* ROSPA play inspection report received
* Resident reported flooding at properties in Brewsters from neighbouring farm land run off
* Applications now being taken for NCC Parish Partnership Scheme
* Pride Flag from Memorial Green stolen twice, matter reported to Norfolk Police
* S106 application agreed for purchase of new football goal and ball stop netting
* Allotment inspections due

**11. DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

 25th July 2023

K Filby

Clerk 4th July 2023