Great Dunham Parish Council

Minutes of a full Council meeting of Great Dunham Parish Council held on 7 September 2021 at 8.00 pm in the Village Hall.

Present: Cllr B Upton, Cllr R Warnes, Cllr A Wakeling, Cllr Stemmer-Baldwin, Mrs H White (Clerk).

1. Apologies for absence

Cllr G Lawes, Cllr C Rhodes, Cllr G Phillips, District and County Cllr M Kiddle-Morris.

2. Declarations of Interest

None

3. To receive and approve the minutes of the 7th July

On the agenda, these were noted as minutes of the 7th July when is should be 6th July.

All agreed and signed.

4. Matters arising from the minutes

None

5. Report from the County Councillor

Sent round to councillors.

6. Report from the District Councillor

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7. Public Participation

None present

8. Bus Shelter

Clerk to keep chasing highways to see if a location can be narrowed down. Application for parish partnership to be started.

9. Highways

9.1.Drain outside Meadow House

From Highways - I inspected this gully and found it to be clear at the time of inspection. I appreciate that this gully may have reached levels of exceedance where the system becomes full and takes time to clear. I have ordered an inspection and mapping of the drainage system so we can fully understand where the outfall of the system is.

9.2.Pavement

Clerk to report poor state of pavement.

9.3.Castle Acre road

Highways have booked these in for jetting and clearing with a target date of 19/10/2021

9.4.Pond on North Street

Clerk to research what volunteers would be allowed to undertake. Health and safety considerations to be made at next meeting before a plan is set.

10.Play equipment

The play equipment is in need of repairs. A quote of £2459 plus VAT has been obtained. The Ameniteies Committee will pay half of the bill. All agreed.

11.Litter

To be discussed at a later date

12.Correspondence

Clerk to chase up the case regarding the Hedgerow Removal to see if a decision had made.

Worry about the Ragwort in and around the fields has been expressed. Further research is needed regarding what we can do as a parish council.

13.Date and times of next meeting

Tuesday 2nd November at 8pm.

Meeting closed 9:05pm.