

**Cllr B Dutton (Chair); Cllr M Blanchard Vice Chair); Cllr P Huntley;
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**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF
HEMSWELL PARISH COUNCIL
HELD ON TUESDAY 9TH SEPTEMBER 2014
IN THE VILLAGE HALL AT 7.30PM
DRAFT MAY BE SUBJECT TO AMENDMENT**

1 PRESENT: Cllr B Dutton (Chair); Cllr M Blanchard (Vice Chair); Cllr P Huntley
Cllr C Black; Cllr M Foster; Cllr J Storr

Also Present: 1 Parishioner
Clerk Mrs D Millward

2 APOLOGIES: Cllr R Peacock; (Reason noted and accepted)
District Cllr Paul Howitt-Cowan; (report attached and on
noticeboards)
PCSO Julie McFaul (report attached and on noticeboards)

3 ADJOURNMENT
Parishioner addressed items 6.2 and 7.2

4 DECLARATION OF INTEREST: None

5 MINUTES OF JULY MEETING 2014
Signed and agreed as a true and correct record
Proposed: Cllr B Dutton; Seconded Cllr M Blanchard; Unanimous

6 Matters to be Discussed

6.1 APPOINTMENT OF CLERK
The Council welcomed Mrs Di Millward

6.2 ECO PLASTIC NOISE COMPLAINT
Council had heard from a parishioner that this noise was still causing
concern.
The Council will support any resident who brings their complaint to them.

6.3 NEWSLETTER PRINTING
It was agreed that the Council should carry on using LC Printing in
Gainsborough.

6.4 GRASSCUTTING BY HIGHWAYS
Issue Resolved

6.5 RABBIT FENCING IN CEMETERY AND GRAVE SPACES
Resolved to ask Jess Troop to go ahead with rabbit fencing but to talk to
Cllr Blanchard first. Clerk was asked to ascertain whether there is an
outstanding invoice.

7 HIGHWAYS & PLANNING

7.1 PLANNING REFERENCE 131764 – LAND ADJ 6 BUNKERS HILL
RESOLVED: The Council cannot support this application

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- 7.2 DOG BINS
RESOLVED: To ask WLDC to provide another dog bin to be situated on right of Lowfield Lane on the grass verge by the substation.
Clerk was asked to source some dog fouling signs for Beck Lane.
- 7.3 RWE NPOWER RENEWABLE
The Appeal will be heard in January and a preliminary meeting has been held. The Parish Council along with VOCAT and other Councils are objecting to this application on the ground of Heritage, Archeology, Landscape, Business and Tourism and Localism.
Proof of Evidence is to be supplied.
Residents who wish to speak will have an opportunity to do so.
- 7.4 OVERHANGING TREES
The Electricity Board are to cut these back.
- 7.5 VILLAGE SIGNS
The sign on Brook Street is broken and also on St Helen's.
The 30mph sign at top of Bunkers Hill has been knocked and needs rectifying. Clerk to report.
- 7.6 NOTICEBOARD
The noticeboard is in a very poor condition. Clerk is to source new boards and to ask Pelican Trust to come and look at the existing one.
- 7.7 HEDGE ON BEND ON A ROAD.
Clerk to contact landowner and ask if it could be cut lower.
- 8 REPORT FROM VILLAGE HALL COMMITTEE
Cllr P Huntley gave the report which is to be included in the newsletter.
- 9 FINANCE
- 9.1 GROUNDS MAINTENANCE
Cheque authorised £200
- 9.2 NEWSLETTER PRINTING & OUTGOING CLERK'S SALARY
Cheque authorised £150.70
- 9.3 INCOMING CLERK'S SALARY
Cheque for August & September and bolts etc for noticeboard £265.51
- 9.4 WLDC CEMETERY RATES
Cheque authorised £35.33
- 9.5 AUDIT
Clerk to obtain Annual Return from Mrs Gleave
- 9.6 INCOME & EXPENDITURE – in hand as at 09/09/2014 - £10798.87
- 9.7 TENDERS
Clerk to issue tenders to at least three firms and to include maintenance of Pinfold on these.
- 11 MEETING CLOSED – 9.25PM
- 12 DATE OF NEXT MEETING –
Tuesday 11th November – In The Village Hall at 7.30pm