Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held Tuesday 5th September 2017 at The Pendle Room, St Nicholas Church at 7pm.

Members Present Cllr A Haworth in the chair

Cllr J Shorter
Cllr I Jackson
Cllr P Newmark
Cllr R Newmark
Cllr M Pilkington
Cllr S Clarke
Cllr H Spry
Cllr K Marks

Also present 2 members of public

Clr A Haworth welcomed everyone to the meeting and expressed thanks to all of those who have worked so hard in keeping the village clean and tidy for the best kept Village competition. He also thanked the sub committee for its submission for the Caloo Gym equipment competition

- **1. Apologies** for Absence County Cllr A Atkinson
- 2. Declarations of Members Interest of items on the Agenda None
- 3. **Public Participation :** Buses are frequently running late and passengers missing crucial connections.LCC are reviewing bus services and will be discussing at its Council meeting later in the month
- 4. Minutes of meeting held 4th July 2017

RESOLVED Minutes approved & signed.

- **5. Accounts for payment** Approved as per the attached schedule
- 6. Planning Applications -

Application 3/2017/0722 Telecommunications Pole – prior consent

Installation of a 12.5m slim-line monopole supporting two antennas at the top of the column on a headframe; three equipment cabinets at ground level; one meter cabinet and ancillary development thereto including a 1.2m high timber post and rail stockproof fence.

RESOLVED No objections providing the mast is well screened

6b. Update on previous applications :

Black Hill View: complaint received regarding strip of land to rear of properties being full of invasive weeds and tree saplings. Cllr Shorter contacted the enforcement Officer who having spoken to RV Homes confirmed the strip of land in question is outside the area which had planning. **CCTV Camera** – Village Car park – planning approved work to start shortly.

7. Update on proposals for Outdoor Gym Equipment

Clr A Haworth once again expressed thanks to Clr S Clark for preparing the submission for the competition and Clrs M Pilkington, H spry & J shorter who contributed by way of updating. There has been some very positive feedback via social media for the proposals.

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8. Consideration was given to parking issues around the village.

Most areas within the village have issues with parked vehicles. Cllrs considered various options and **RESOLVED** to write to Mgr Cocoran at St Marys Church to ask if they will consider allowing residents to use the car park on a regular basis.

To write to DVLA as there are a number of parked vehicles that never move.

Councillors to bring possible solutions to Highway issues to the next meeting with a view to submitting the ideas to LCC

9. Consideration was given to Youth provision in the village

The space Bus never made it to the village as it is too large. There were alot of very disappointed young people.

Clr J Shorter reported a suggestion has been made to bring the Grand mobile Skate Park to the village and funding is being sought.

10. FOR INFORMATION ONLY

Playground Report – Clr J Shorter reported a hole has appeared in the safety surfacing beneath the swings.

Borough Councillors Report -

RVBC Health & Housing committee will be discussing Dog Fouling issues at its next meeting **Victoria Mill** – Skipton Properties has reduced the height of the chimney- with permission- due to cracks and it being unsafe. They plan to redevelop the site..

11. Date & Time of Next meeting –Tuesday 3rd October 2017 in the Pendle Room at St Nicholas Church at 7pm.