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A 'zoom' meeting of Ulceby Parish Council was held on Monday 15<sup>th</sup>  
February 2021 at 7.00pm.

**PRESENT :** Cllr Mrs Macefield – Chairman  
Cllr M Birtle, Cllr A Ogden, Cllr Mrs Caygill-Ogden, Cllr S Hulatt,  
Cllr L Burdin, Cllr C Rowland, Cllr B Jeffery, Cllr A Reeve

**IN ATTENDANCE:** Cllr P Clark, Cllr R Hannigan.  
One member of the public.  
Mrs K Pickering(Clerk)

**PUBLIC FORUM**

The member of the public present advised the meeting that hgv's were still parking in the unloading bay at the co-op and he felt that bigger signs were needed to deter such parking. Cllr Hannigan agreed to ask N.L.C to provide larger signs.

The member of the public and Cllr Birtle attended a meeting with Highways England where they were advised that N E Lincolnshire have withdrawn the one way diversion route through Habrough and Brocklesby and have re-routed the diversion through Stallingborough and Riby crossroads. The member of the public felt that this would not be an acceptable diversion route for most lorry drivers as it is a much longer diversion route and therefore Ulceby is likely to suffer 2 way traffic through the village when the A180 is closed. Cllr Hannigan responded by advising that traffic was 2 way through the village and now will be one way in the event of an A180 closure as N.E Lincolnshire have provided an alternative diversion route. That is the route negotiated and agreed. The member of the public reiterated that he felt the route provided by N E Lincolnshire would not be used by HGV drivers and Ulceby would be the village to continue to suffer in such circumstances. Cllr Hannigan was asked to raise this matter with Highways England when the DRUE is renegotiated in March – requesting that the diversion route provided by N E Lincolnshire is through Brocklesby and Habrough.

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1. **Apologies for absence :** Cllr M Berney, Cllr Mrs C Smith, Cllr D Wells.

2. **Declaration of Interest on any Agenda Items :** No Matters to declare.

3. **Adoption of the minutes of the monthly parish council meeting held on 18<sup>th</sup> January 2021.**

**IT WAS RESOLVED** that the minutes of the parish council meeting held on 18<sup>th</sup> January 2021 be confirmed as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

4. **Clerks Updates:**

- a) Emergency Plan – Progress is being made with updating the emergency plan. An article within the Link magazine has been placed to ask for volunteers with skills to be included within the plan, councillors have also been asked to consider putting their names forward for inclusion if they have any relevant skills. The new senior emergency plan officer at N.L.C has been identified and the updated plan, once finalised, will be registered with this officer.
- b) Re-surfacing of Abbey Road – The clerk has asked N.L.C to make this work a priority as soon as funding allows and to re-inspect the road as further potholes and deterioration is evident. Cllr Burdin agreed to send photographic evidence of the deterioration of the road to the clerk to pass on the N.L.C in the hope of getting this work brought forward and perhaps a more complete resurfacing of the road undertaken.

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5. **Planning Applications** - Opportunity for one person from each side (members of the public to state within three minutes objections/support of contested applications.

a) Application PA/2020/1857 – Listed building consent to replace wooden windows with PVCu – Ashdale house, Wootton Road, Ulceby.

**IT WAS RESOLVED to report NO OBJECTIONS OR COMMENTS.**

b) Application PA/2021/92 – Application to undertake pruning on 2 sycamore trees within group A2 & subject to TPO 1984 – St Nicholas Church, Church lane, Ulceby.

**IT WAS RESOLVED to report NO OBJECTIONS OR COMMENTS.**

## 6. Finance

- a) Accounts for payment and Income received.

PAYEE	Cheque no	Amount
1. K E Pickering salary February	1696	335.06
2. K E Pickering – Admin Stamps – 9.24 Photocopying – 13.74	1697	22.98
3. HMRC – Feb	1698	16.20
4. Nettleton Mowing & Maintenance (General maintenance – Jan)	1699	54.00
5. VANL – subscription	1700	20.00
6. Information Commissioner	1701	40.00

**Income Received :** Link Adverts – January 21: 570, February 21: 270

**The accounts were proposed for payment by Cllr C Rowland, seconded by Cllr S Hulatt and unanimously agreed.**

- b) To receive Income and Expenditure year to date sheet – circulated with agenda.

## 7. Police Matters :

- a) Community Speed Watch – The 3 existing speed watch sites will remain in Ulceby – at the bottom of Skitter Hill, Station Road next to the Gower Close development and on Brocklesby Road at the Coronation Road junction.
- b) NATS meeting – remote meeting still to be arranged. The officer is trying to sort out dates with the Police shift patterns – the meetings will be every 12 weeks, in an evening and will be conducted remotely.

## 8. North Lincolnshire Council Matters:

- a) Reports from N.L.C representatives: Cllr Hannigan advised the meeting that N.L.C were focussing on drainage and water management to make improvements within this area.

Recorded covid data is dropping nationally and North Lincolnshire is below the national average but unfortunately the figures in North Lincolnshire appear to have levelled off – this is due to a number of outbreaks in Scunthorpe within the work environment. The vaccination scheme is working well and a large community testing centre in Scunthorpe has been established.

Cllr Rowland asked when the Croxton Road would be resurfaced, Cllr Hannigan responded that the contractor to undertake the work had been agreed and now a start date is being negotiated.

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Cllr Macefield advised Cllr Hannigan that repairs to the potholes on the road from Wootton to Thornton Curtis had been undertaken north bound but not south bound. Cllr Hannigan advised that these were emergency repairs only – undertaken in a period of difficult weather and it is likely that this road will have to be revisited for further repairs in due course.

b) Road Safety : Any updates to receive:

i. Pedestrian crossing – No update to receive.

c) Neighbourhood plans and relevance in the future to the allocation of S106 money – discuss looking into Ulceby PC producing a neighbourhood plan.

A discussion took place regarding the possibility of S106 funds, in the future, being more readily available to parish councils if the parish council has a neighbourhood plan. The clerk has been contacted by a firm offering to help parish councils produce a neighbourhood plan – including getting funding – for the costs involved in producing such a plan. Cllr Hannigan suggested the clerk make contact with Dave Lofts at N.L.C for advice. It was agreed that the clerk would make further investigations this month and report back at the next parish council meeting.

d) New matters to report: No new matters to report.

9. **Correspondence** - circulated list and items received too late for circulation.

- Rural Services Network – information
- ERNLLCA newsletter
- ERNLLCA/NALC – various information emails
- CPRE newsletter
- Email from resident expressing concerns regarding lack of mask wearing in village shop.
- N.L.C – Forthcoming meetings.
- L.I.V.E.S – letter requesting donation . Clerks and Councils Direct magazine

10. **Environmental and Village issues**

a) Radar Speed signs – to give consideration to the purchase of a radar speed sign(s), if required agree location for such a sign to be located and to agree if a grant application to purchase such a sign should be submitted.

Guide: £2,600 per sign with £600 installation charge.

A discussion took place with regard to the necessity to purchase new signs – as there are two signs provided by N.L.C within the village. It was noted that it is not possible to download data from these signs and data is the evidence which will instigate enforcement or further traffic calming measures.

Cllr Rowland suggested leaving the signs as they are for the present moment in time and replacing them (at the parish councils expense) when they stop working or are removed by N.L.C.

Cllr Ogden felt that a sign would be beneficial on Brocklesby Road – that road has recently seen a speed reduction and a radar activated speed sign may encourage drivers to adhere to the new speed limit.

Cllr Birtle advised that he felt it was very important to be able to download the traffic data – it provides good evidence to get enforcement.

The clerk advised that a 90% grant is available from the community pot and the clerk would check if installation costs meet the criteria for grant funding.

Cllr Hulatt suggested asking N.L.C for ‘golden rivers’ which would allow the parish council to assess if a radar speed sign is necessary. It was suggested that there already is evidence to prove that traffic speeds into and through the village and that the radar activated signs are a necessary deterrent.

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**MOTION:** To purchase 2 radar activated speed signs – one to be located on Brocklesby Road and one at a location yet to be decided – proposed by Cllr Jeffery, seconded by Cllr Ogden and unanimously agreed.

- b) Village Seats – A request had been made for a dog bin to be installed at the Church Lane end of the new public footpath (Hallcroft- Church lane). It was noted that both a seat and a bin were in this location prior to the building work commencing.

Clerk to ask Keigar Homes to reinstate the seat and bin or replace as appropriate.

- c) New matters to report: Cllr Hulatt advised the meeting that the new playground works will commence in May. The playground is currently open as lockdown rules allow playgrounds to remain open.

Cllr Hannigan agreed to progress a bus stop sign for the Humber Flyer within the Front Street area as residents are not confident where the bus stops and are nervous of waiting in the wrong place.

Cllr Hulatt advised the meeting that the link magazine will be printed this week and will be delivered to councillors by the weekend.

**11. Agenda items for next month's meeting.**

12. **Date of next meeting** – Monday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2021 – Zoom meeting unless advised otherwise by clerk.

The meeting closed at 8.40pm.