

## THORNTON IN LONSDALE PARISH COUNCIL

### Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting held on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May 2015 in Westhouse Village Hall

1. Chairperson Hunter and Councillors Lund, Ramwell, Townley and Easterby were present.
2. There were no declarations of interest by Councillors in items on the Agenda.
3. Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting held on 9<sup>th</sup> March 2015 had been incorrectly dated and would therefore be amended and signed at the next meeting.

#### 4. **Planning**

**Masongill Water Treatment Work** – after investigations, YDNPA confirmed that they had made the decision to close the file as ‘no breach of planning control’.

**Kirksteads** - Advertisement signage – Passed.

The sale of motor vehicles at Far Westhouse road end is being looked into by the National Park Authority and NYCC.

#### 5. **Finance**

- i) **Bills Payable:** Parish Council Insurance - £224.96
- ii) The 2014/15 Budget was reviewed, with the end of year status provided. The Clerk also presented a Draft 2015/16 Budget and Councillors confirmed that the agreement for the grass cutting along with the Clerks salary should be reviewed. Clerk to arrange for grass cutting tenders to be submitted around the end of 2015.
- iii) **Donations:** Craven Citizens Advice Bureau – Councillors agreed a £30 donation.  
Westhouse Walks – Councillors agreed a start up contribution of £30.

6. Turbary Road – No update from NYCC regarding the ‘stopping up order’.

YDNPA provided a download of the data gathered from the vehicle logger located at the Masongill end of the route, Councillors noted the content.

7. Turbary Pasture – Councillors reviewed recent correspondence from both R Turners and the tenants. Chairperson Hunter and Councillor Ramwell to arrange a meeting with Turners.

#### 8. AOB;

- i. Clerk to arrange for dog fouling posters to be distributed at the next meeting. Issue to be raised in newsletter.
- ii. Councillors agreed that a litter picking day should be arranged in June. Chair and Clerk to agree on date and publicise in newsletter.
- iii. Clerk to report pothole(s) on Smithy Lane to NYCC Highways.

- iv. Councillors had been made aware that the new sign for Trees Caravan Park, at the end of Burrow Lane, was obstructing the view for those pulling out of the junction in higher vehicles. Clerk to write to owners.
- v. Councillors were in agreement that the recent fly tipping at the Millennium Seat had been dealt with efficiently and promptly by Craven District Council and asked the Clerk to write and thank them accordingly.
- vi. Clerk to invite local policeman to the next meeting to provide an update.

There was no other business and the Chair closed the meeting at 8.45pm

The next meeting was scheduled for Monday 6<sup>th</sup> July at 7.00pm.

Signed: .....

Dated: .....