

## **DRAFT MINTUES FOR MEETING ON 28 APRIL 2011**

### **DUDDON PARISH COUNCIL**

Minutes of the meeting held on Thursday 28 April 2011 in the Rankin Room Victory Hall, Broughton-in-Furness

**Present** Cllr Albion, Cllr Curwen, Cllr V Glessal, Cllr Johnson  
Cllr Knowles, Cllr, Warwick.

#### **56/11 Apologies**

Cllr Burch, Cllr Kirkbride, Cllr Longworth.

#### **57/11 Minutes**

**Resolved** that the minutes of the meeting held on 24 March 2011 be signed by the chair as a true record.

#### **58/11 Declaration of Interests**

Cllr Albion declared an interest in item 8 planning application.  
SL/2011/0287 Land at Low Keppleway.

#### **59/11 Local Police Report**

The police were in attendance and reported that there was no crime to report. Warning people to be vigilant especially with oil tanks and bikes and advised people to secure their property. The police asked people to speak to the local police when they see them out and about.

#### **60/11 County Cllr Salisbury**

County Cllr Salisbury sent her apologies but had sent the clerk an e-mail with an update on the 511 bus. County Cllr Salisbury will subsidise one service from her members budget (Thursdays) and is looking for ways to fund a second service. Details will be circulated as soon as possible. This is only for one year. A sustainable service needs to be created in the meantime.

#### **61/11 Public Participation.**

Concern was raised regarding the libraries in Barrow and Ulverston. A statement was read out, but this was regarding a CGP matter.

The clerk left the meeting.

#### **62/11 Clerk and Correspondence**

To note items of correspondence received since the last meeting.

#### **63/11 Planning Applications**

Cllr Curwen declared an interest in planning application SL/2011/0287  
SL/2011/0287 – Land at Low Keppleway – No objections  
Dwelling and Garage.  
7/2011/5148 – Ulpha School – No Objections  
Conversion into a live/work unit

#### **64/11 Financial Matters**

**Resolved** that the following Direct Debits and Cheques be paid:-

E-on	40.12
Clerks wages	
Including expenses	208.89
HMRC	45.00
Insurance toilets	41.47
Insurance Renewal	<u>1667.08</u>
	<u>£2002.56</u>

Received from The Brown Cow (Proceeds)	2372.70
Received from R Parsons	<u>1500.00</u>
	<u>£3872.70</u>

Query £205.02 rates for toilets.

#### **65/11 New Street Light**

To clarify 3 meter high steel post street lights. Both to be on the side of the Auction Mart. One to be 10 feet from Princess Street end and the other 10 feet away from the Auction Mart Gate. To find out how much two lights will be.

#### **66/11 Public Toilets**

Only one response so far to the posters so far. Mr Knowles has informed the Parish Council that United Utilities will offer a year to do minor maintenance to the toilets.

#### **67/11 Allotment Field**

Cllr Curwen advised that he had been to the field with Mr Glessal to look at the drains. The field needs jetting out but otherwise ok. This is the best field for allotment use.

#### **68/11 Chains of office**

Duddon Parish Council have received a very generous gift of £1500 to upgrade the chains of office.

#### **69/11 Annual Return**

**Resolved** that Bryan Redhead & Co be appointed internal auditors.

#### **70/11 Cllrs Reports**

Cllr Albion raised concern about the A595 at Grizebeck, it should have double white lines .

Cllr Glessal raised concern about potholes at Woodland.

Cllr Warwick raised concern about a pothole needing doing again. Advised that a drain had been fixed.

Cllr Curwen is getting the path from Bush Green to meet up with the pavement on Foxfield Road. Advised that Broughton Mills has been swept.

Cllr Knowles reported that the lock on the gate at Wilson Park had been taken.

#### **55/11 Date of next Meeting**

The next meeting of the council will be held within 14 days of the 9 May 2011.