

11. Land Registry Documents

a. Crosthwaite Green

Title Plans for all three properties have been purchased and were put before the Council.

It was **proposed** that a meeting is arranged to ascertain the exact boundary of the land known as Crosthwaite Green which is owned by the Council, and that Cllr Robert Sykes will organise this.

The Council **RESOLVED** to accept the proposal.

12. Update on Starnthwiate flood issue

The Council wished to register their disappointment with CCC Highways, and wished to highlight the issue of a local resident who damaged his car in the recent flood water.

To this effect it was **proposed** that the Clerk write to Highways immediately; if no satisfactory reply received then a follow up letter one week later, with a further letter a week after that stating that any resulting incidents is CCC responsibility.

The Council **RESOLVED** to accept the proposal.

13. Update on the Village Walkway

Cllr Roger Smith is continuing to work on the project. He is awaiting a quote from Cty Cllr Jim Bland on behalf of CCC Highways, for the engineering study. Cllr Smith has one quote of £5000. He will be looking at grant funding, but until he has a number of quotes cannot proceed to the next stage. The LIP scheme requires applications by January 2018.

It was **proposed** that Cllr Smith use the quote of £5000 to make the application to LIP or any other funder, whilst at the same time continuing to ask for quotes.

The Council **RESOLVED** to accept the proposal.

14. Update on the letters to LDNPA regarding Local Occupancy

The Clerk had e-mailed LDNPA but with no reply.

It was **proposed** that Cllr Sykes and Cllr Harkness arrange a meeting with LDNPA Solicitor, and invite Debbie Lund to join with them at the meeting to put her case regarding Local Occupancy.

The Council **RESOLVED** to accept the proposal.

15. LDNP Partnership Chairman

The Council had no comments.

16. Street and other lighting in the village

Concern has been raised regarding what over use of all night lighting, and lighting that can be blinding to road users. This matter is not the responsibility of the Council but councillors wished to draw this to the attention of parishioners.

17. E-mail from Mr and Mrs Gregg at Skelcies Cottage

- a. Reinstatement of grass verges to be done in spring, after other contractors have finished.

The clerk was asked to respond to Mr and Mrs Gregg confirming their agreement that the work should be done in the spring.

18. Bank Signatories

It was **proposed** that the Clerk should become a signatory to the account enabling him to speak to the bank, along with Cllr Harkness and Cllr Worsley.

The Council **RESOLVED** to accept this proposal and the clerk gave mandate forms to Cllr Harkness and Cllr Worsley.

19. Communications

- a. Westmorland Gazette

None

- b. Parish News

Matters to be included in the Parish News to include the increase in precept demand coupled with the desire to assist the Recreation Field Trust, and the efforts that have been made to rectify the flooding in Starnethwaite Lane.

20. Date of Next Meeting

- a. Parish Council Meeting Tuesday 06 February 2018 in Parish Rooms start 7:30pm

..... Cllr Robert Sykes (Chairman) Dated:- 06 February 2018

(*) bank signatories

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