**Minutes to the Meeting of Thwing and Octon Parish Council held**

**on Monday 19th November 2018 at 7.00 pm at Thwing Church Rooms**

**263/18** Apologies Cllrs McDermott, Clarkson and Bingham

**264/18** A letter of resignation has been received from Cllr Bingham. Clerk to write acceptance and thankyou response.

**265/18** Declaration of Pecuniary or Non-Pecuniary Interest -None

**266/18** It was proposed by Cllr Sanders and seconded by Cllr Frost that the minutes of last meeting held on 15th October 2018 be accepted as a true record, subject to an amendment to item 258/18 D, which should have read Little Farm Lane. All agreed.

It was proposed by Cllr Gresham and seconded by Cllr Moore that the minutes to the extra ordinary meeting held on 8th November 2018 be accepted as a true record subject to the following change “agreed censure, but disappointed, and any further occurrences would consider suspension”

**267/18** Cllr Frost advised that since the meeting of the 15th October, he had, on the 16 Nov, received a letter from Paul Bellotti at ERYC. The letter gave some further insight into outstanding issues following the recent programme of roadworks, but still left several questions unanswered. The parish council is disappointed at the attitude of the local authority in communicating with parish councils, and the clerk is to contact our Ward Councillors.

**268/18** The decision made at the extra ordinary meeting of the 8th November to suspend Cllr Clarkson should there be any further breach of the code of conduct, has no authority. The council after great consideration agreed by 5 votes (1 abstention) to accept the local authorities’ recommendation to censure Councillor Clarkson. A proposal that Cllr Clarkson submit a written apology to the council received 2 votes in favour, and 3 against and 1 abstention, and therefore fell. The Council affirmed that they are extremely disappointed in Cllr Clarkson and that they totally disapprove of his conduct, but agreed that the course of action was the censure of Cllr Clarkson, as recommended by the local authority. Clerk to write to Cllr Clarkson, formally censuring him and expressing the Council’s disappointment in his actions.

**269/18 Correspondence**

* + - 1. Cllr Frost and the clerk to attend the East Riding of Yorkshire Rural Partnership event on the 22nd at Bishop Burton and also the evening event on the 20th at Wetwang to discuss the East Riding Local Plan in line with the changes to the NPPF
      2. A sub committee consisting of Cllr Sanders, Frost, Burdass and possibly Peacock to meet beg of December to draw up feedback to the East Riding Local Plan Review
      3. ERNLLCA October Newsletter for discussion and circulation
      4. Issue 20 tackling anti-social behaviour in our community was discussed, Thwing had no intervention in last 6 months.
      5. East Wolds & Coastal Crime and ASB update Sep and Oct 18 was discussed and circulated
      6. The annual estimation of rough sleepers information to be submitted on 22 November was discussed, none known in the parish

**270/18**  Outstanding issues from village taskforce walkabout, have now been completed. Clerk to write letter of thanks.

**271/18** Following report from John Trail, it was agreed that the first part of the Mere project would be to fell the two crack willows. Spraying of vegetation would commence in the spring, when weeds are actively growing. Spraying notices have been posted throughout the village for several weeks now but no objections have been received. An application to the Woodland Trust for 30 saplings has been successful, these are to be planted in and around the mere and the village approach roads. Approx 800-1000 daffodil bulbs have been received, from ERYC, which are to be planted throughout the parish.

**272/18** Finance

* 1. The accounts to date were approved, and signed off.
  2. It was proposed by Cllr Burdass and seconded by Cllr Peacock that the donation to the British Legion of £40 Authority Sect 137 be approved. All agreed
  3. It was proposed by Cllr Frost and seconded by Cllr Burdass that the payment of ERYC Inv 62412127 in respect of Service Level Agreement 1 for street Lights £1030.93 be approved. All agreed
  4. The payment to ICO re registration fee £40, was approved and the ERNLLCCA notice that any councillor holding personal information relating to residents must also register, was noted.
  5. The transfer of ERYC Grant for WW1 Centenary Fund that was paid in error to the Council was approved. Sum to be transferred to Thwing & Octon CBS
  6. Expenditure on a rooted Christmas Trees for Octon was approved, and all agreed that Thwing would have a pot tree for this year.
  7. The installation of a lighting socket at Thwing crossroads was discussed, but not approved.
  8. It was proposed by Cllr Burdass that the purchase of a clock for the church rooms be funded by the PCC. Passed

**273/18** The idea of a Community Skip was discussed but agreed not sustainable. The clerk to enquire with ERYC about the cost and options for removal of rubbish, and also to report recent fly tipping on Syndale

**274/18** Letter of thanks to be sent to Thwing &Octon CBS for organising WW1 Centenary and Remembrance Events, over last weekend which were excellent and truly brought the community together.

Approved as a true record

Signed

Chairman Date: