

**MINUTES OF THE OUT RAWCLIFFE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON
MONDAY 10 JULY 2017 AT THE SUNDAY SCHOOL**

PRESENT: Cllrs Mrs D Andrews (Chair); Mrs B Mackie; J Swannie; Mrs S Pimbley of Wyre Council.
The meeting opened at 7.30pm.

063/1 Apologies: Cllrs M Gardner; Mrs A Metcalf.

063/2 Declaration of interest.

Members were reminded of the requirement to declare any direct or indirect pecuniary or other interests in accordance with the code of conduct and to update the register as necessary.

063/3 Co-option Mr John Wilkinson of Shannon House, Knitting Row Lane PR3 6SX was co-opted unanimously and was welcomed by the Chairman. (P: BM / S: JS)

063/4 Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were approved. (P: JS / S: BM)

063/5 Open Forum No members of the public were present.

063/6 Sight line railings update: No progress due to resourcing.

063/7 Owl Wood conservation. A draft statement from Mrs E Swannie was tabled.

063/8 Flood Forum. The EA are now looking at the stretch of the river down stream from St Michaels on Wyre, with a view to locating possible flood basins. The Abbeystead catchment was also being studied. £10m had been made available for peat land improvements. Web site link to be added to the EA flood warning page.

063/9 Verge obstructions. LCC acknowledge the problem but say there is no funding available to address it. SP to pursue the matter with LCC.

063/10 Pinfold. A response been WC had been non-committal. Mr P Prescott had kindly tidied the area and planted some flowers. Awaiting further info. SP to make further enquiries with Wyre Council.

063/11 Planning. 17/00567 Interblast. Recommendations: We recommend refusal as the need for the existing units has not yet been demonstrated.

Iron House Farm: Object on the grounds of unacceptable level of additional traffic movements. We have evidence of over 40 movements per day to and from the site which already far exceeds the permitted levels, resulting in unacceptable damage to the local highways infrastructure.

Finance

063/12 Payments: Lengthsman – contract fee - £472.50.

063/13 Clerk's Report: No further items were tabled.

063/14 Items for agenda:

The Chairman closed the meeting at 9.15pm

SignedChairman

Date