

Cummersdale Parish Council
Minutes of the Cummersdale Parish Council Meeting held on Monday,
4th February at 7.15pm 2013 in the Village Hall, Cummersdale

PRESENT:

Councillor Keith McIntosh – Chairman

Councillors

Mr T Allison

Mr D Lowe

Mr W Kerr

Mr K Nesworthy

Also present Cllr N Clarke

86/12 - Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were received and accepted from Cllrs. P Taylor, P Nicholson, H Atkinson & Mr D Harrison & City Cllr. B Craig.

87/12- Requests for Dispensation

None were requested.

88/12 Declarations of Interest

None were declared

89/12 - Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 7th January 2013.

Resolved The minutes of the previous meeting held on 7th January 2013 were agreed and signed as a correct record.

90/12-Public Participation

- (i) Public – None were present.
- (ii) Police – Members raised concerns regarding the obstructed view when exiting Cummersdale Road onto Dalston Road caused by the parking of vehicles on the grass verge along from Irving Terrace. Clerk to report to the Police. Cllr Allison to raise at the next CCC local committee meeting.
- (iii) Councillor Reports;
 - a. *Cllr Clarke*

~reported that littering was becoming an increasing problem in the Parish in particular Peter Lane and the CNDR. It was not clear who was responsible for litter picking in these areas, Cllr Allison to raise at the next local committee meeting. Members to encourage volunteers to litter pick when it is safe to do so.

91/ 12 Bank Reconciliation

(i)Resolved to accept and bank balances to 31st January 2013.

Community Account - £789.70

Deposit Account - £4545.74

Total £ 5335.44

(ii) To note the receipt of £150 towards the Christmas tree lights from Cllr. B Craig.

(iii) To note the receipt of £400.66 VAT refund from HMRC.

92/12 Payment of Accounts

To authorise payment of the accounts listed below dated 4th February 2013;

VIN 51 S Tarrant	£119.92	Salary – January
VIN 52 HMRC	£30.00	PAYE – January
VIN 53 K McIntosh	£22.40	Christmas tree accessories
VIN 54 H Atkinson	£18.00	Postage
VIN 55 H Atkinson	£12.14	Carol singer refreshments
VIN 56 NAC	£54.00	Training event

Total **£256.46**

93/12 Planning Applications Considered;

(i) 12/0965 Larkspur Cottage, Dalston Rd, Carlisle

Erection of first floor side extension. – NO OBSERVATIONS

(ii) 12/0966 land Adj 49 Peter Lane, Carlisle

Erection of a 4 Bedroom house – Revised application.- NO OBSERVATIONS

(iii) To note the planning decisions made since the last meeting.

12/0888 – 31 Gilbert Road, Cummersdale, - Granted

12/0935 – The Spinners Arms, Cummersdale- Granted

94/12 Summer of Fun Scheme

(i) **Resolved** to be part of the scheme in summer 2013 in Cummersdale village.

(ii) To consider the funding opportunities at the next meeting of the council, Clerk to provide full costs, also to request a Winter of Fun during the Christmas holidays.

95/12 Newsletter

Resolved to include the following items in the next news letter;

- Dog fouling issues, Gilbert rd.
- Cumbria in Bloom
- Village hall activities
- Summer of fun- asking the young people if they are interested.
- Youth shelter.

96/12 Grant Applications

To note grant applications have been submitted for the provision of a youth shelter to;

Carlisle Parish Council Association, Neighbourhood Forum and the Crime and Disorder Reduction Partnership.

97/12 Car park and Allotments

(i) An update was received regarding the creation of a car park with allotments- concerns were raised regarding the effect on the proposal from the near by Roman fort. English Heritage contacted for advice.

(ii) No funding options were considered, differed until professional advice received.

98/12. Broadband

Resolved to write to local businesses asking they want to be part of rural business case studies that demonstrates the business benefits of using superfast broadband for ACRE. Clerk to write to Steads, Mr P Taylor and local Farms.

99/12 Meeting Dates

Resolved to approve the changes to the forthcoming meeting dates;

April 8th and May 13th (AGM)

100/12 Schedule of Correspondence, notices and publications

To note correspondence, notices and publications received since the last meeting and not on this agenda.

Date;

Next meeting march 4th 2013.