BOLTON PERCY, COLTON & STEETON PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES OF ZOOM MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 12TH JANUARY 2021 AT 7.30PM

PRESENT: Stewart Steele, Dave Robinson., Andrew Tucker.Martin Lister, Kevin

Robertson and were later joined by Cllr Musgrave

APOLOGIES: None

DECLARATION OF INTEREST; Cllr Steele – Colton Pumping Station

Cllr Robinson – Planning Byways

MINUTES OF LAST MEETING: Signed by Cllr Steele, proposed Cllr Robinson,

seconded by Cllr Tucker

MEMBERS OF PUBLIC - One

CLERKS REPORT – ACTION FROM LAST MEETING\

- (a) Selby Plan public consultation. Councillors have studied the plan which was approved by Executive Committee on 7th January 2021 called Preferred Options Local Plan for the sites in Bolton Percy and Colton. These villages are classed as "small villages". The four sites in Bolton Percy and the one in Colton are rejected and these remain classified as a smaller village. There are a couple of key points which councillors are going to investigate. These are (1) No development limits are being set for smaller villages (2) Smaller villages are still open to Windfall Developments. Answers are needed to explain what these mean. SDC are planning to hold virtual meetings with Parish Councils in the near future
- (b) Devolution of Councils Local Government Reform. Still awaiting decision of Ministry of State for Housing .
- c) Defibrillator Colton. Cllr Robinson has finally managed to contact Northern Powergrid about out the electrics in the telephone box. Re-energisation can take place and all councillors agreed to go forward to organise this and have a qualified electrician fit the defib unit in due course.
- d) New Pumping Station Colton. Plans have been submitted by Yorkshire Water to NYCC. Cllr Steele is having to declare an interest due to being the owner of the land involved. Cllr Robertson as our Colton councillor has taken over. He has managed to get a name at Yorkshire Water who has kindly offered to pass our many questions to the relevant persons. When these are received Colton residents will be kept informed.
- e) New Councillor for Bolton Percy. No-one has applied for this vacant position therefore SDC have given the Parish Council to co-opt someone to take this place.

CORRESPONDENCE

Community Handbook – Census 2021. Clerk to investigate if this is still taking place due to Cov1d-19.

PLANNING

(a) Ristol, Bolton Percy. 2020/1133/HPA - Granted

(b) Byways, Bolton Percy. 2020/1259/FUL - Retention of existing stable. No objections.

Colton Pumping Station – can be viewed on NYCC Planning Website – Ref is NY2020/0185/FUL

Late addition -

Briary, Bolton Percy. 2021/0016/HPA, Single storey rear extension to create enlarged kitchen diner. No objections

FINANCE

- (a) Autela Payroll Invoice Admin charges £51.25 Payment authorised
- (b) Council Tax Precept 2021/22. Councillors decided not to increase this for the years involved.

PARISHIONERS ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

A member of the public complained about the number of thorns/cutting from hedge cutting damaging wheelchair and cycle tyres with punctures over the roads in Bolton Percy and surrounding roads. Cllrs requested Clerk to contact Highways to get the roads cleaned asap.

Meeting closed at 8.55pm

A date to be arranged for next Zoom meeting