

THE PARISH COUNCIL OF NEWTON-UPON-RAWCLIFFE & STAPE

The Minutes of the Meeting held at the Village Hall, Newton upon Rawcliffe on Thursday 5th November 2015 at 7.00 p.m.

Present: Chairman Ian Parkin
Councillor Ian Clough
Councillor Josephine Hall
Councillor Steve Jackson
Clerk to the Council Mrs Helen Pells
3 Councillors required for a quorum

63/2015 TO RECEIVE APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE
November None

64/2015 TO APPROVE AND SIGN AS A CORRECT RECORD THE
November MINUTES OF THE FOLLOWING MEETINGS:
30th July 2015
3rd September 2015
17th September 2015
It was RESOLVED that the minutes be approved as a true record and signed by the Chairman.

65/2015 DECLARATIONS OF MEMBERS' INTERESTS IN RESPECT OF
November ITEMS ON THIS AGENDA
No declarations made.

66/2015 OPEN FORUM
November Present: Mr David Hall

67/2015 APPOINTMENT OF DEPUTY CHAIRMAN AND SIGNATORY
November It was RESOLVED that Councillor Steve Jackson, being willing to stand, was duly elected as Deputy Chairman. Nominated by

Councillor Ian Clough and seconded by Councillor Josephine Hall. It was **RESOLVED** that Councillor Ian Clough, being willing to stand, was duly elected as Signatory. Nominated by the Chairman and seconded by Councillor Steve Jackson.

68/2015 **CO-OPTION OF MR DAVID HALL OF QUERN HOUSE, NEWTON**
November **UPON RAWCLIFFE**

It was **RESOLVED** by a unanimous decision to co-opt Mr David Hall onto the Parish Council. He was welcomed onto the Council by the Chairman, Councillor Ian Parkin.

69/2015 **INCREASING TRAFFIC USING RAWCLIFFE BANK**

Councillors Jackson and Clough were concerned about the increasing use of Rawcliffe Bank by heavy traffic and the safety issues involved. With the local clearing of forestry land the use of the bank by forestry lorries had increased. The permissive bridleway through the woodland on the bank is often so muddy it is unusable forcing horse riders onto the road. It was **RESOLVED** that the clerk should write to Highways and express the council's concerns.

70/2015 **CORRESPONDENCE & MATTERS TO REPORT FROM THE**
November **CLERK.**

1) Ken Ather Centre: Mrs Pells had been informed by one of the managers from the centre that the more efficient and clean management of waste was going to be introduced at the centre.

71/2015 **FINANCE**
November

No cheques for signing.
The report from the external auditors had been returned.

72/2015 **REPORTS ON OTHER MEETINGS ATTENDED BY COUNCILLORS**

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73/2015 OUTSTANDING MATTERS – FOR INFORMATION ONLY EXCEPT
November IF OTHERWISE STATED

Nothing to report.

74/2015 MATTERS TO REPORT FROM THE CHAIRMAN

November None

75/2015 REQUESTS FOR AGENDA ITEMS

November None

76/2015 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

November Thursday 7th January 2016

The meeting ended at 8.40 p.m.

Signed:

Chairman: _____ Date:

Parish Clerk: _____ Date: