

RUMBURGH PARISH COUNCIL
MEETING – 2nd September 2015
Start 7.30pm

1. The chairman, Pieter van Dijk, welcomed councillors Charlotte Binder, Roger Davis, Paul Spill, Julie Flatt, Stephen Stannard, Robert Myhill.
The clerk Stephen Wilson was in attendance.
2. Apologies: None.
3. Public Forum – No members of the public were in attendance.
4. Declarations of interest: None
5. Minutes of previous meetings of 8th July 2015 were duly signed as a true record.
6. Parish Clerks report on matters arising and Council action points: Pleasure Ground drainage. Councillor Stannard advised that he had contacted Suffolk Highways and they have agreed to rod the roadside drains and clear manhole.
7. Finances – balances as follows – C/Acct: £3773.92; BP/Acct: £2296.85.
Cheques were approved as follows: 100449 Clerks PAYE £65.00. 100450 Rumburgh Village Hall grant under section 137 towards new flooring £500.00.
8. Planning: DC/15/2091/VOC Approval Only "Low Farm" New Road.
Variation of condition 4 DC/08/0550/COU. 6 month trial from 21st May 2015.
"Change of start time to 6.30pm".
9. Correspondence: Email from the chairman of the Village Hall committee Paul Fenner thanking the council for the grant of £500.00 towards new safety flooring in the village hall.
10. Any matters to be brought to the attention of the council at the next meeting.
1) Speed reduction through Rumburgh.
The clerk advised that he had been approached by several residents with concerns about speeding cars through the village. He also advised that after discussion with the chairman he had investigated the costs and practicality of installing an electronic speed indicator in the village. The clerk distributed information and cost handouts he had obtained from "Westcotec" who are manufacturers of SAM2 vehicle activated sign with data storage.
The purchase price of the SAM2 including fixtures and fittings is £3235.00.
The clerk had also been in contact with County Councillor Ritchie to ascertain whether funding for this project was available. Councillor Ritchie confirmed by email that he would be prepared to meet half the costs of this project.
After further discussion it was agreed by council that the clerk take this project forward and to discuss with other villages in the area if they would be interested in a joint venture so as to share the costs.
11. Next meeting November 4th 2015 @ 7.30pm

The meeting closed 20.14

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