

HOLME-NEXT-THE-SEA PARISH COUNCIL

SEPTEMBER 2013 MEETING

The meeting started with discussions of possible alterations to the storage and toilet area of the Village Hall. It was decided suggestions made by an architectural consultant were not practical due to the problems it created with fire exits and it was agreed to postpone discussion until the next meeting when all Councillors would be able to participate.

A parishioner attended the meeting but no new issues were raised. Councillors are always pleased to meet parishioners at Council Meetings, when village issues can be raised during the 'Public Participation' adjournment.

The Police Community Support Officer stated that there had been no crimes recorded in Holme in the period from the beginning of August to the beginning of September although there had been four calls to the police relating to a road traffic collision, a neighbour dispute, a highway issue and some found property. The Clerk had been attending monthly SNAP (Safer Neighbourhood Advisory Panel) meetings held in Hunstanton, but there had been no issues raised with relevance to the village, so it was agreed attendance would not be necessary in future until there were specific issues pertinent to the village, that needed to be raised.

It was reported that planning permission for a further four retail units at Drove Orchards had been refused, and that planning permission for additions at 29 Kirkgate had been approved. A planning application for an extension of time for change of use of a barn to a dwelling at Main Road had been received, as had an application for the construction of a cart shed at The Spinney in Westgate, over which concerns were raised.

The Borough Council Detailed Policies and Sites Plan for development in the whole area had been received but, as it contained nothing specific to Holme, no response was being made. The East Inshore and Offshore Marine Plan Consultation document had also been received and no longer contains proposals relating to the proposed Reference Area at Holme, although it is understood this suggestion may be re-visited in the future.

Payments for July grass cutting and Clerk's salary and PAYE for August were approved. It was agreed to cancel the annual subscription to CPRE.

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be held on **Tuesday 8th October 2013** at 7.30 pm, in the Village Hall Meeting Room. Members of the public are welcome to attend and put their comments and questions to Councillors during 'Public Participation'.

Christina Jones

Clerk to Holme-next-the-Sea
Parish Council