MINUTES of a MEETING OF WHEATACRE BURGH ST. PETER PARISH COUNCIL HELD on 20 March 2024 at 7.30pm

Apologies: Cllrs Beaumont

Present: Cllrs Forrester, Kerridge, Miller, Cowin, Graham

& 2 members of the public.

1. MINUTES.

Proposed Cllr Forrester seconded Cllr Kerridge 'That the Minutes of the last meeting (21 February 2024) were taken as read and signed as a true record of the meeting.

AGREED

2. MATTERS ARISING.

a) Litter pick. This was attended by 24 adults & children. 18 bags of rubbish were collected together with a gas bottle and some tyres.

b) White Lion Road car parking.

The clerk met with Jay Meade on 28 February.

Although part of the original car park had been converted to an attractive outdoor seating area there was still room to park 10 cars in the remainder of the car park. Jay to remark the parking spaces to encourage better parking. Jay had hardened off an area to the rear of the pub which provided parking spaces equal to the number lost to the seating area.

The entrance to the grassed area had turned to mud and Jay intended use some kind of grass matting to allow access for parking on the field when resources allowed. Jay employs many local teenagers and has developed the pub into a village hub where people can meet and socialize and he hosts many events during the year.

c) Waveney River Centre Road to river. Norfolk C. C. highways officer confirmed that the public highway extended to the edge of the slipway and had told Tindean to remove their barriers. James Knight confirmed that the public road went to the edge of the slipway and that he had made Tindean were aware of this when they purchased the Centre,

3. PLANNING

a) Greenways Mill Road Burgh St. Peter Two storey rear extension. Councillors had no objection to these proposals.

4. CORRESPONDENCE.

None

5 HIGHWAY MATTERS.

Matters to be raised with the Highway Inspector.

- a) Church Lane Wheatacre water laying on the road & deep pot holes.
- b) Staithe Road at bottom of Devil Stile Hill & near Beech Cottage. Gravel washed from fields laying on the road making it dangerous for cyclists. The gravel has washed from fields owned by Mr. Graham who has been asked to clear the gravel.

6. FINANCE.

- a) Proposed cllr Forrester seconded cllr Kerridge 'That Mr. B. Gooderham be paid for hedge cutting at various locations.'

 AGREED
- **b)** Proposed cllr Forrester seconded cllr Kerridge 'That the clerk is paid half yearly salary and expenses ' AGREED

7 ANY OTHER BUSINESS.

a) Apologies for April meeting cllrs Graham, Cowin. Forrester & Beaumont. This ment only 2 cllrs able to attend the April meeting since 3 councillors are needed for a quorum the next meeting will be on 15 May.

8. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Wednesday 15 May 2024 at 7.30 in Burgh St. Peter village hall.

There being no further business the meeting was declared closed at 8.15 pm