

Freiston Parish Council

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD AT THE DANNY FLEAR COMMUNITY CENTRE ON TUESDAY, 21st September 2021 at 7.30 pm

PRESENT

Councillors: N Marshall (In the chair), J Godwin, R Pearson, S Pearson, J Tillson, Boston Borough Councillor J Welbourn & Lincolnshire County Councillor P Skinner also Mrs V Austin (Clerk)

Members of the Public: Mr T Walmesley, on behalf of We'll Meet Again Museum.

The meeting was called to order at 7.25pm

Public Forum: Mr Walmesley requested that We'll Meet Again Museum be added to the website. The Clerk to action.

1 APOLOGIES

Apologies received from Councillors A Pearson, B Posey, M Swift & from the police.

2 POLICE REPORT – Received from PCSO H Baker – 1st July to 19th Sept 2021

Suspicious Activity at Croppers Lane
Freiston Nature Reserve, Cow walking on Pathway.

3 MINUTES

3.1 The minutes of the parish council meeting held on the 17th August 2021 having been previously circulated were approved and signed by the Chairman.

4 MATTERS ARISING - Other Matters see section 7

The mock-up of the War Memorial Board was shown to all Councillors.
To be added to Parish Matters for October 21 meeting, for further updates.

5 NO DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

6 PLANNING

6.1 B/21/0417: Lings Barn, Grovefield Lane, Freiston. Proposed first floor extension to form additional bedrooms including raising of the roof & porch.
No Objections, Boston Borough Council have been informed.

7 PARISH MATTERS / UPDATES

7.1 **Highways – British Legion Training for Road Closures** – Chairman N Marshall passed the information to Yvonne, Chairman to chase this up. To be added to next meeting, 19th October 2021.

7.2 **Highways** – Lincolnshire County Councillor P Skinner will deal with the reported pot holes.

7.3 **War Memorial Site:** The clerk has ordered the bench from Marmax, but has not received a delivery date. It is possible that the bench could be delivered after Remembrance Day. A plaque has also been ordered with wording for the bench.

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- 7.4 **Speed Indicating Device:** Keith West, asked for help with volunteers for the SID. The clerk suggested putting on Facebook, this was added but unfortunately due to negative comments was removed the same day.
- 7.5 **Meal for Joan Barnes, at the Barley Mow.**
With the exceptions of Councillor M Swift who will not be attending, the date & time of the meal was moved to 23rd September 21 at 7 -7.30pm
- 7.6 **Parish Magazine** – Chairman N Marshall will speak to the Vicar Andrew Higginson. Update at next meeting. 19th October 2021 – Also see comments on Any other business.
- 7.7 The resident at Scrane End, is happy with the arrangements for the grass cutting on the piece of land by their property. Chairman N Marshall spoke to the farmer Mr D Woodward about the grass cuttings being put on his land. No further action required.
- 7.8 Cleaning of the headstones by Kents to be further discussed at the next meeting.
- 8 CORRESPONDENCES**
- 8.1 Various emails including those from Boston Borough Council and LALC, had been forwarded to all councillors by email, information added to notice board where necessary.
- 9 FINANCES**
- 9.1 The clerk reported and showed Chairman N Marshall, finance for the month of August 2021, this was signed off as necessary.
- 9.2 The payments for September 21 were discussed and agreed & signed off by the chairman.
- 10 DATE OF NEXT MEETING**
The next meeting would be held on the 19th October 2021, commencing at 7.30 pm at the Danny Flear Community Centre.
- 11 ANY FURTHER BUSINESS**
- 11.1 Boston Borough Councillor J Welbourn, suggested a village magazine with four other neighbouring villages, not including Butterwick. Freiston Parish Council happy to go ahead with the plan. To be updated at next meeting.
- 11.2 The Freiston Bowling Club have asked Chairman N Marshall if the Parish Council could sponsor them for the purchase of new badges, emblems etc. Councillor P Bedford said he will deal with this.
- 11.3 Chairman N Marshall, has been asked if Freiston Parish Council will sponsor the We'll Meet Again Museum. To be added to October's Agenda, to give members a chance to think about the decision.

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There being no further business the meeting closed at 8.00pm

Approved: Councillor N C Marshall (Chairman)

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