**SEATON ROSS PARISH COUNCIL**

**DRAFT MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF SEATON ROSS PARISH COUNCIL HELD IN THE VILLAGE HALL ON 12th JULY 2022 AT 7.30pm**

**Present:** Councillors J. Henley (Chair), K. Weallans, R. Underwood, G Gardham, G Storer (Clerk) P Hamilton- member of the public and potential co-optee.

**22/22 Declarations of interest** - none

**23/22 Apologies-** Councillor Chapman, Johnson, Hunt, Gascoyne

**24/22 To approve the minutes of the meetings held on 21 June 2022 and matters arising**- Minutes approved and signed. Website to go on next agenda if Councillor Chapman can attend.

**25/22 Meet prospective new Councillor and discuss Co-option-** Paul Hamilton introduced himself to the council and met the councillors present. **Agreed** to co-opt Paul to the Council.

**26/22 Town and Parish Council Meet the Services Event-** Councillors advised of dates. Councillor Henley will attend online event on October 17, if she can

**27/22 NHT survey-** Councillor Weallans to complete on behalf of the Council

**28/22 Village Plot: name and sign.** Julie Andrews has kindly offered to provide a sign for the village plot which was renamed Throstle Cottage Garden following the recent Jubilee competition.

A jubilee tree and plaque, gifted by villagers, have also been added to the plot.

29/22 **Finances-** Report of grant usage from PFA. The expenditure for the recent grant provided to the Playing Fields Association was not entirely in line with the grant application. The application was for support of the family fun day for £500 but of this funding only £265 was used for the day. The remainder will be put towards purchasing new equipment for the park. Whilst the councillors are supportive of this usage it is not what the grant was requested for. It was agreed that on this occasion the Council will not seek to reclaim the grant but the PFA are to be reminded of the terms and conditions of the grant before any future applications are considered.

The clerk presented the new budget spreadsheet along with up-to-date payments. It was agreed that the clerk would send a link to a read only version of the budget so Councillors could easily access the most up to date version.

**30/22 Planning consultations** – 22/01857/STPLFE Melrose Farm- No comment from the Council.

**31/22 Planning notices-** Millstones- No comment from the Council.

**32/22 Councillor Training Opportunities-** Good councillor training is on 19th and 20th July. Paul Hamilton will see if he can attend.

**33/22 Correspondence** –ERNLLCA newsletter; Police Newsletters June, Pocklington and Market Weighton (all already circulated).

**34/22 Councillor Forum/Watching Briefs**

Footpath on Mill Lane- to report to ERYC.

Hedge overgrowing outside field next to village hall and rose bush outside the petrol station/general store,

**Meeting closed at 20:15**

Next meeting will be 23rd August 7:30pm at the Village Hall.