

**Minutes of the Meeting held on Thursday 11th February 2016
in the Chatton Village Hall Chatton Commencing at 19.00**

Present: Chairman J Railton Vice-Chairman M Strother
Parish Councillors J Jeffreys, D Pardoe D Ord, P Dodds S Dodds & T Cairns
Clerk I Hunter

Public Question time: - None

Apologies for Absence: Parish Councillors M. Govett A Lillie R Tebay, M Hunter
& A Wrangham

Declaration of Interest: None

Updates from the Community Police Officer- No updates

The Minutes of the Meeting held on 14th January 2016 previously circulated were agreed and signed by the Chairman.

Min 1082 (Min 1068)- Parish Council Vacancy- The Chairman informed the meeting that Mrs H Coxon has advised Parish Councillor A Wrangham that she is interested in the current vacancy. The Clerk reported that she has not received any request from Mrs Coxon. The Chairman asked the Clerk to contact Parish Councillor A Wrangham and ask for an update.

Min 1083 (Min 1069) - The Neighbourhood Plan- The Chairman reported that the next meeting of the Sub Group is the next Monday and the group are continuing on with their work.

Min 1084 (Min1070)- Signage in the Parish- The Chairman tabled a map along with a list of missing and damaged signs for Lilburn Ward which was prepared by Parish Councillor A Wrangham. The members agreed to defer this to the March meeting. The Chairman stated that Parish Councillors must prepare lists for all Wards and bring them to the March meeting.

Min 1085 (Min1071)- School Field Lease- The Chairman informed the meeting that Parish Councillor R Tebay, A Cochrane & himself are meeting with representatives of Northumberland Estates to discuss the contents of the lease and other matters shortly. He asked the members to agree to defer signing the draft lease at the present time. This was agreed

Min 1086 (Min 1072) - Legion Hut- The Chairman informed the meeting that the roof of the hut has been checked and it does not contain asbestos. He also stated this will be discussed when the group meets Northumberland Estate representatives. It was agreed to defer this to the March meeting.

Min 1087 (Min1078)- Rights of Way- Parish Councillor D Pardoe gave a summary of the work undertaken by Michael Mountney and the report he had prepared which he hoped the Parish Council would put on the website and in the Chatton News. She stated that Parish Councillor M Govett has concerns that the report is not a balanced report and has

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suggested using the Countryside Code. The meeting considered the report and the Countryside Code and agreed Parish Councillor D Pardoe advise Michael Mountney that he should send his report to Chatton News in his personal capacity and the Clerk put a link on the website to the Countryside Code.

Min 1088- Financial Statement

• Bank Balance	£ 15250.55	
Including	£ 339.82	Future Projects Fund
	£ 404.00	Speed Warning Signs
	£ 14506.73	Parish Council Balance

Min 1089– Accounts for Payment-

• E I Hunter	£ 96.00	Clerk's Salary
• HMRC	£ 24.00	PAYE
• E I Hunter	£ 20.00	Petty Cash

Min 1090- Planning Application. *No Observations*

16/00234/FUL- Proposed covering of existing livestock handling facility- Land near Shielhope Chatton Northumberland

Min 1091– Planning Approval

15/01424/FUL- Conversion of traditional farm buildings into two dwellings with separate garaging- Land West of Amerside Law Farm Chatton Northumberland

Min 1092- Correspondence:

- **Northumberland Community Voluntary Action-** – Request for a donation *Parish Councillors agreed not to make a donation*
- **Alnwick District WW1 Centenary Commemoration Group-** Alnwick 1915 armed camp

Min 1093-Chatton News- Defer this until the March meeting.

Any Other Urgent Business.

Min 1094- Chatton Notice Board- Parish Councillor T Cairns informed the meeting that the Chatton notice board does not have any glass in it. The Chairman replied that Mr Fletcher is going to give him a quote for the works, and he will chase this up. The meeting gave the Chairman delegated authority to organise the work to be undertaken up to a £100.

Date of next Meeting: Thursday 10th March at 7pm

Vice Chairman submitted his apologies for the March meeting

Agenda Items for March meeting must be received by 1st March

Chairman_____

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