**Marwood Parish Council Meeting**

Minutes of Meeting

Held on Tuesday 10th March 2020

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Marwood Social Centre

7.30pm

1. Present: E Marwood (Chairman), M Fenwick (Parish Clerk), D Gill, A Mairs, and P Stubbs, P Glasper, and J Wilson

 2. Apologies: D Kinch

 3. Declarations of Interest – None Received

4. Declarations of Dispensations – None Received

 5. Durham County Council 2020/2021 Precept – The Council was duly informed that the Precept has been

 approved.

 6. Approval of Minutes of Annual Parish Council Meeting held on 7th January 2020. The minutes were

 duly approved.

7. Financial Matters

 7.1 All invoices have been paid.

8. Garden at Castle Vale

8.1 It was reported that the garden is in good order.

8.2 A recommendation to the Council was made by the Sub Committee **not to** increase the fees for the

 garden. This was duly agreed upon this.

8.3 The Parish Clerk informed the Council that the Licence for Occupation is ready and will be given

 out in due course.

8.4 The council was informed that there is now a vacancy for one of the plots and that Dawn and

 Vicky Parkin do not wish to renew this year’s contract. And that it is to be given to next

 applicant on the waiting list.

8.5 The council agreed that a couple of signs be erected on the gates saying (Private). **Action** A Mairs

 to implement this and any costs incurred will be reimburse.

8.6 Kingston Property Services - are going to ask Taylor Wimpey at a cost them, to replace bushes

 that had been taken out around the area of where the Water Tap is.

 9. Castle Vale Estate

9.1 Bus Transport – The council requested that the parish Clerk look into transport for the residents of

 Castle Vale to come into the estate

9.2 The Council was informed that all the Salt Bins have been replenished

10. Notice Board - this is an ongoing project and the council were informed that A Mairs has spoken to S&A and they are going to donate the materials for the making up of the Notice Board

To be continued …

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 11. Grant for Defibulator - The Parish Clerk informed the Council that quotations have been obtained for

electrical installation of the Defibulator and sensory outside light plus cost of the Defibulator and cage. The council agreed for the clerk to proceed with the purchase the Defibulator and cage plus light and organise the installation of the Defibulator, cage and light. **Please note** this is now on hold until the COVID-19 virus subsides.

 12. It was agreed by the council that the purchase of a framed drawing of Marwood Parish’s old Border

 Line be purchased for posterity.  **Please note** this is this is now on hold due the COVID-19 virus

 subsides.

 13. Dates of following Meetings; **ALL MEETINGS ARE CANCELLED FOR THE FORESEEABLE**

 **FUTURE.** Please note a notice to this effect is also on the website

Meeting closed at 9.30pm

Signed ……………………… Position ………………………………… Dated …………………