

Minutes of Extraordinary Meeting held on Wednesday 9th November at the Village Hall, Skipwith commencing at 7.30pm

Present: Councillors Tom Hill (Acting Chairman), Trevor Britain, Andrew Faulkes, Glynnis Smith and Michael Ward

335. Apologies – All members present

Declarations of Interest: None

Twelve members of the public, Charles Forbes Adam

336. Public Session – No additional matters raised

337. Parish Council Moving Forward – It was noted that due to the resignation of Councillor Anthony Cole, Councillor Tom Hill would take the position of acting Chairman and this would be put on the agenda for next week's meeting.

338. North House Farm Planning Application

It was noted that the purpose of the meeting was to collate and discuss the views of the residents with regards to the North House farm planning application.

Councillor Tom Hill read out the comments the Parish Council have already submitted to Selby District Council.

Mr Hale (as owner of the adjacent property) outlined his submission forwarded to Selby District Council in detail.

The Parish Council listened to the views of the residents present and it was agreed that these would be passed onto Selby District Council as part of any further submission from the Parish Council.

339. Village Play Area

Perimeter Fencing

Councillor Tom Hill advised that the Escrick Park Estate had approved the proposed fencing and that the Parish Council had to obtain a minimum of three quotes.

The three quotes received were discussed and it was proposed, seconded and unanimously agreed to accept the quote received from David Swinglehurst £3890.00 + VAT (including removal and disposal of the existing fencing) subject to ironmongery approval by the Parish Council and the fencing being approved by Selby District Council.

Play Area

Councillor Tom Hill spoke about the plans for the children's play area and the four quotes received were discussed.

It was proposed, seconded and unanimously agreed that Playscheme would be selected as the Parish Councils preferred contractor and the Parish Council will work with them (with no financial commitment) to progress the play area further until later agreed with the Parish Council.

