

**BOLTON PERCY, COLTON & STEETON  
PARISH COUNCIL**

**MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2022  
IN THE OLD SCHOOL BOLTON PERCY AT 8.00PM**

**PRESENT:** Cllrs Stewart Steele, Andrew Tucker, Mike Nicholls and Kevin Robertson

**APOLOGIES:** Cllr David Robinson

**DECLARATION OF INTEREST:** None

**MINUTES OF LAST MEETING** having previously been circulated to all councillors were signed as correct by Cllr Steele, proposed Cllr Nicholls, seconded Cllr Robertson

**MEMBERS OF PUBLIC:** 1

**1. CLERKS REPORT – ACTION FROM LAST MEETING**

**(a) Overflying Aircraft** – Due to the absence of Stewart Rogerson he sent an email to the Clerk with the latest information. We have now received a proposal from ELA for a variation of the landing, take off and circuit protocols which are to be backed with clear instructions to all using ELA and requiring confirmation that those pilots have read and understood them.

The avoidance of villages and built up areas is a helpful first step, but the proposed routing may still present issues for some villages and villagers.

This document has been referred to the Aviation Consultants acting for Nun Appleton Estate and their response and advice to BPPC. The Estate and other interested parties is awaited. They will also comment on the proposed new navigation system and its potential consequences, that is currently under consideration by the CAA.

Their feedback is central to a decision about what next steps we need to take.

On a separate course of action, I have spoken with the Head of Planning at SDC and explained the depth of concern not only over the current use of the airspace but the implications of the new navigation system. The intensification of the use of the airfield since being bought by the current owner, is not lost on SDC and we have been requested to write formally explaining the concern. This will be dealt with confidentially.

Stuart Vandy of Veritas Planning is preparing this on our (and NAE) behalf but is waiting for the comments on the more technical information that the Aviation Consultants are considering, before issuing a draft letter to SDC for our approval.

**(b) YORKSHIRE WATER.** Cllr Nicholls reported YW had started work in Appleton

Roebuck by examining drains with cameras. This work will proceed to Colton and Bolton Percy.

**c) NORTH YORKSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL RESILIENCE MONEY** Cllr Nicholls brought everyone up to date with the latest information he had received as follows - They are proposing to have a flood scheme which will involve a Company who specialize in flood gates etc and have allocated 9 properties in Bolton Percy to hopefully benefit. A sum of £2,500/per property will be allocated. More information on how this scheme will work will be discussed at the October Parish Council meeting.

**(d) DOG BINS COLTON** Cllr Steele has been trying over the past weeks to identify positions in Colton village for two dog bins to be erected. After consideration it has been decided to only purchase one bin, as another site cannot be identified. Clerk to order this bin.

**2. CORRESPONDENCE**

None

### **3. PLANNING**

**(a) The Barn, Manor Farm Court, Colton - 2022/0512/HPA.** Conversion of carport/garage to habitable space. No objections

#### **NEW ADDITION AFTER THE AGENDA PRODUCED – CHAIRMAN AGREED TO THIS**

**Land at Low Farm, Low Farm Road, Bolton Percy - 2022/0605/COU** Change of use from equestrian to forestry use and retention of existing buildings for forestry use (retrospective) No objections

### **4. FINANCE**

None

### **5. PARISHIONERS ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION**

Clerk had received an email from a resident in Bolton Percy complaining about disturbed sleep with cockerels waking them up in the early hours of the morning. This was nothing the Parish Council felt they could deal with so Clerk had a word with Nun Appleton Estate Manager, who it is understood spoke with the farmer involved and the problem has been resolved.

**The Clerk has to report that the First Aid Course to be held on 16<sup>th</sup> September in Colton has unfortunately been cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances. Another date will be arranged and advertised.**

The meeting Closed at 9,15pm.

**THE NEXT PARISH COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER AS NO MEETING IS HELD IN AUGUST. ANY PROBLEMS WHICH OCCUR IN THIS PERIOD PLEASE CONTACT THE CLERK.**