

## Draft Minutes Extraordinary Meeting 5 March 2015

### DUDDON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Extra Ordinary meeting held on Thursday 5 March 2015 in the Rankin Room Victory Hall, Broughton-in-Furness

**Present** Cllr Albion, Cllr Burch, Cllr Cooper, Cllr Curwen, Cllr Glessal, Cllr Hannah, Cllr Knowles, and Cllr Longworth.

**039/15 Apologies**

**Resolved** to accept apologies from Cllr Johnson, Cllr Procter.

**040/15 Requests for Dispensations**

There were none.

**041/15 Declaration of Interests**

There were none.

**042/15 Minutes**

**Resolved** that the minutes of the meeting held on Thursday 26 February 2015 be signed by the chair as a true record.

**043/15 Public Participation.**

Several members of the public raised concern about the planning application for the Wind Farm on Kirkby Moor mainly regarding the height and the effect on the landscape. A representative from RWE was in attendance and gain a short presentation on the Planning application for the Windfarm on Kirkby Moor and there was then a question and answer session.

Cllr Curwen advised that he is listening to both sides but did not have anything to say on the matter as the application is with SLDC.

**044/15 Planning Applications**

SL/2014/1220 –Kirkby Wind Farm, Kirkby-in-Furness. - Decommissioning of 12 existing Wind Turbines and ancillary infrastructure; erection of a wind farm comprising 6 turbines, a meteorological mast, new and upgraded tracks, a substation and other ancillary equipment.

The Parish Council took a vote on the application and it was **Resolved** that the Council are in agreement with the planning application. Cllr Curwen and Cllr Glessal abstained.

**045/15 Allotment Field**

The new 25 year lease in respect of the allotment field has been received from the solicitors. **Resolved** to sign the lease and return it to the solicitor so that he can return it to Cumbria County Council.

**046/15 Victory Hall**

Cllr Knowles raised concern about the lack of help and the lack of a committee at the Victory Hall. There was a discussion regarding the issues including the possibility of Paying someone for locking the hall up after a function.

It was greed that Cllr Knowles should advertise for help and committee members.

**047/15 Date of Next Meeting**

The next ordinary meeting of the council will be held on 26 March 2015.

