

**MINUTES OF
MEETING FOR BLO NORTON OF PARISH COUNCIL
TUESDAY 12th MARCH 2019 AT VILLAGE HALL BLO NORTON
7.30 p.m.**

1. Record of attendance and apologies
Those in attendance: David Mills, Blake Weltman, Mike Bristow, Hannele Tanskanen and Marion Chapman Allen
Apologies received from Shirley Grainger
No members of the public attended
2. Approval was given for the Minutes of the last meeting of 8th January 2019 and the Minutes signed
3. Declarations of interest – non declared

Matters Arising

4. Breckland local Plan and Policies map

JLC brought to the meeting the updated BDC plan which consists of 2 binders of documentation. This relates to the next 5 year housing supply. The documents are available for review. **MCA** explained to the meeting what this meant and how this was progressing. Councillor **BW** took the documents for consideration.

5. Update on War Memorial Inscription

Anne Lambert had emailed **JLC** to say she had tried to contact the Historical Buildings and Monument officer at BDC. **MCA** advised the meeting that Blo Norton is not a conservation area and the War Memorial will not be under this particular officer. War Memorial Trust may offer funding for cleaning and to have more inscriptions. **JLC** will advise the gentleman in question to contact the War Memorial Trust website re funding and whether the fact the person was born in Blo Norton and called up from elsewhere makes a difference

6. Flooding in Church Road and damaged finger post – reporting

The Clerk has reported the flooding in Church Road, and the damaged finger post. **MB** advised that the flooding could be an issue with the ditches. **MCA** said that NCC were helpful with previous flooding issues which were sorted out. JLC will email Stephen Askew to see if he can assist. **DM** will go on NCC reporting site re the finger post.

7. Update on SAM2 and Noticeboard

Decision for funding on the SAM2 is due anytime. The Noticeboard is in hand and **DM** is speaking to someone at Norfolk Community Foundation re further funding.

8. Village hall funding

Representatives of the Village Hall Committee were unable to attend. **DM** had a copy of the Village Hall report for 2018. The village hall are in funds currently. The Parish Council will try and arrange a meeting with the Village Hall Committee to discuss how they can work together in the future. **DM** will circulate the report he has received to the Parish Council

9. Parish Council Elections

The Clerk updated the meeting regarding the arrangements for the election due to take place in early May 2019

10. AGM and Newsletter

Review of contacts for the AGM were made for the May meeting. The Clerk will contact editor of Blo Norton News to advise of date for AGM

Finance

9.	Approval was given for Clerk Salary in April 2019 - online	£192	
	HMRC cheque required	£48.00	
	Balance of Barclays account		£9627.45

Planning Applications

10. 3PL/2017/1330/1331 no objections
3PL/2017/0087 no objections

Next meeting on the 14th May 2019

Meeting closed at 20.20

Signed.....

Dated