

# Bonby Neighbourhood Watch

## Notes of Community Meeting

7.0pm Thursday 18 July 2019

**Welcome:** Bob Hopkins welcomed everyone to the meeting.

**Attendees:** Bob and Val Hopkins, Mervyn Bishop, Tracey Coyne, Jim and Wendy Brennan, Pete and Carol Wells, Steve Roberts, Steve and Wendy Robertshaw, Mark Robinson, Trevor Mason, Richard Jarosz, Holly Hanson (Clerk - Bonby Parish Council), Lisa Twidale(North Lincs. CSP), Tracey Coyne and Jack Ellerton (N.L. Safer Neighbourhoods)

**Apologies:** Mary Waterlow, Sylvia Wood, Karen Parrott and Anna Burbage

### **Parish Council Update:**

Holly updated the meeting.

- Path at St Andrew's Place finally resurfaced
- Response from NLC on Carr Lane –
  - Resurfacing works given greater priority and now on the 3-5 year schedule
  - Interim pothole patching to be done over coming weeks
  - Signs warning of pedestrians to be installed and a safety review conducted at bends.
- Gilman Trail – Parish Council petitioning NLC for permission to take over management of the lower portion of the Gilman Trail to bring it in line with the standard of the upper section
- Community Orchard and Sensory Garden – Plan to make an accessible area with native plants and trees to attract wildlife, and give the community a nice area to walk and spend time.

A discussion took place regarding situation on Carr Lane with a strong view that the poor condition of the road was due to the damage was caused by the 30 ton lorries used to take the stone to the new cycle/footway next to the river. Whilst the new pathway was welcomed and appreciated concern was expressed the Carr Lane bridges where only constructed for 7.5 ton not the large vehicles that had been used. The meeting agreed two section, about 30 meters, require urgent attention. Holly informed this was on the Agendas for not only the Parish Council but also the Lower Wolds Villages and the N.H. Action Team meetings.

The drain outside 34 Main St was raised and Holly stated she was aware and will look further into the position as well as concern about the speed limit on Bonby Hill. A general discussion took place about the large tractors now being used on the narrow roads.

Holly was thanked for her contribution and left the meeting.

### **Update from the Previous meeting 30 May.**

Bob asked if everyone had seen the notes and if anyone had any comments to make but none received.

### **Presentation/Video**

Lisa Twidale gave a presentation on the N. L. Community Safety Partnership. The CSP Plan can be found on the N.L.Council Web Site working towards Safe, Strong and Resilient Communities. The CSP can provide funding opportunities providing they fit within the Plan and are willing to consider support for applications from Partner Organisations, Charities or Community Groups. In the year 2018-19 they allocated a total of £134K to organisations across North Lincolnshire. Any organisation looking for funding that fits in with the CSP Plan will find the application forms on the Web Site. Lisa posed two questions.

1 What was the groups expectations of the CSP before today? Very few of the group were aware but they are now.

2. How could the CSP work more closely with NHW Groups, Local Communities or Individuals? A discussion took place around the various forms of support for Domestic Violence, safeguarding and bereavement.

Bob thanked Lisa for her interesting presentation.

Tracey and Jack then played part of the video taken at the recent North Lincs. N.H.Watch Event and the part undertaken by Bob talking about the positive action taken setting up the Bonby N.H.Watch group.

**Village Concerns:** Bob informed the meeting of a recent theft of a water But from Hall Meadow and a lock off a gate down Carr Lane. He also stated the two Community Officers for the village are Jane Proud and Shane Moody who are both based in Brigg.

### **Any Other Business:**

A telephone scam was discussed and it appears the telephone number on the back of a Nat West card cannot be rung out from Nat West. Various scams are going round with people being contacted by fraudsters purporting to be from the TV Licensing, Inland Revenue and other organisations but all asking for details to access bank accounts. Advice is to terminate the call straight away without entering into any discussion. Never provide any account or card details to anyone ringing you.

Bob thanked everyone for attending another good and interesting meeting.

### **Date and Time of next meeting:**

**Thursday 26 September 7.00pm in the Village Hall**