

AMCOTTS PARISH COUNCIL

*C/O The Clerk Mrs Julie Reed, The Jays, 3 Kings Croft, Ealand, Scunthorpe North
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Minutes of the Full Parish Council Meeting of Amcotts Parish Council held in Hook House Farm, Amcotts on 24th Sept 2015

1. **Present:** Cllrs S Berkeley (Chair) , K Routen, A Barker, P Murphy, R Jollands, M Moorhouse, D Farnham

Apologies: Ward Cllr. J. Briggs

In attendance: Julie Reed, Clerk

2. **Declaration of Interests:** None

3. **Minutes of Full Council 16th July 2015** Resolved to accept as a true record

4. **Matters arising:**

a.) Update on **Windfarm Micro pot** updates and applications

Gardening club formed paid £250; Mad Hatters Afternoon Tea club formed paid £250. New applications slimming club £250 awarded

b.) Extensive cutting back and removal of hedge clipping £250 alongside the churchyard – Approved for the Parish to pay this

c.) Village maintenance – Resolved to wait until Barry returns to the village at the end of the month and discuss with him. £10 paid to a casual worker to cut the millennium gardens last week approved for payment retrospectively. Once conversation has taken place with existing contractor the clerk to seek alternative quotes for work if required. Would be cut every other week from April to October and 2 hedge cuts per annum.

d.) Clerk to look into provision of a brown bin for the churchyard

e.) Andrew Barker to remove Amcotts signs after Harvest to take to artist Mary Kingsnorth for restoration

f.) Environment agency need chasing on supply of barrier to stop vehicle access and subsequent tipping on rover bank

g.) DE fib Unit – Sean to ask for paperwork from the Pub when he is next in.

5. **Clerk selection**

2 candidates it was agreed that the clerk should conduct a short interview with Chris Cowan and if acceptable off the position to start in November.

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6. **Planning PA2015/1216** retrospective request to form an access road resolved to make NO OBSERVATIONS
7. **Broadband.** Quickline are doing a leaflet drop and presentation in the Ingleby Arms in the next 2 weeks. Clerk to confirm that we have definitely been selected for a fixed line solution and advise if we have any likely dates for delivery.
8. **Accounts for Payment:** Resolved to approve the schedule provided.
9. **Church Update** There is now a good group of volunteers delivering projects and a lot of them want to utilise the church. Resolved to assist wherever possible to further explore community use but ensure that if there is to be a major conversion then a Project Manager fee should be included.
10. **Smiths of Derby – Parish Clock repair,** Resolved that we need to claim the monies for deposit
11. **Items for Next Month – Bus Shelter**
12. There being no other business the meeting closed at 20.:45 the date of the next Full Council Meeting for Amcotts Parish will be on Thursday 12th November at 7:15pm