FULL SUTTON & SKIRPENBECK PARISH COUNCIL

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The Minutes of the Meeting of Full Sutton & Skirpenbeck Parish Council held in the Training Centre, HMP Full Sutton at 7.00pm on Monday 16th September 2019.

OPEN FORUM

There were 28 members of the public present. The following points were raised and discussed:

- Following permission being granted for the new Prison complex, residents asked 'where do we go from here?' AF thanked everyone for the huge amount of effort it had taken to oppose the application. There is a case for a Judicial Review but this would only quash the decision it would not overturn it, the application would then go through the same process again. This would be expensive and there is only 6 weeks in which to make an application. This course of action is being investigated.
- Some grounds to be looked at are the Transport Assessment, the fact that the Battlefield is 1.2km away instead of 2.4km as stated by the MOJ and another major application being refused because of infrastructure issues.
- A complaint could be made to the Ombudsman which would be free.
- SD asked how the PC could ensure the right conditions were put in place to lessen the impact of the new Prison. The Planning Committee had acknowledged the problems the development would cause and stated that this would 'all be sorted out' in reserved matters, how does the PC ensure that this happens? Ward Councillor Leo Hammond (LH) advised the PC to pursue meetings with ERYC/MOJ to discuss the reserved matters. The Clerk will contact Stephen Hunt and James Chatfield to ask for a meeting, LH asked to be copied in to any emails.
- Residents that attended the Planning meeting felt that the Officers and some Conservative Councillors behaved very poorly. A resident suggested writing to the Director of Finance at ERYC and suggest that Officers have displayed misconduct in public office, which is a criminal offence.
- Greg Knight has agreed to lobby the MOJ for money to build a better infrastructure.
- Public procurement should be justifiable, defensible and value for money.
- Could the PC ask ERYC for monthly traffic stats for the area.
- Police and Crime Commissioner for Humberside was against the application, Clerk to contact him and ask for a meeting to discuss funding and re-opening Pocklington Police Station, LH to be copied into the email.
- Residents very annoyed that they were stopped from attending the Planning meeting and feel that ERYC should have accommodated all who wished to attend and transmitted it in to an adjoining room.
- Could the Liberal Democrats and Labour be contacted?

1. **Present**: Vice Chairman S Davies (SD), Cllr A Findlay (AF) and the Clerk. Apologies were received from Chairman S Barnes and Cllr D Flynn. As there were only two Councillors in attendance the Council was inquorate and the meeting could not go ahead.

Signed.....Chairman Date.....

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