**Minutes for Snetterton Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 13th March, 2023 held at MSV Hosptality Suite at 6.30 p.m.**

Present:

Lesley Goldsmith (LG) (Chairman)

Amanda Skinner (AS)

Marita Walsh (MW)

Sarah Suggitt (SS) and Stephen Askew (SA) and several members of the public

Prior to the commencement of the meeting there was discussion between members of the public, the Parish Council and Councillors Suggitt and Askew.

ACTION POINTS  
**SS** to chase up Freedom of Information request for meeting held with Helen Foley, Trevor Watkins and report back.

**AS** to send copies of letter to fellow Councillors and Parish Clerk.  
**SS** to seek advice from Democratic Services re. retrospective consideration of Call for Sites under “Environment” for the Parish Council based on the fact that the Call for Sites had not been forwarded at the time of publication to the Parish Council.  
Member of the public asked following questions :  
- why would Breckland Planning not consider development of +/- 300 acres of land south of A11 which are within employment area as a priority over arable land ?

- why would Breckland grant planning permission to land with no infrastructure / electricity / sewerage

- why would Breckland grant planning permission on environmentally inappropriate land ?

- should Snetterton residents employ a planning consultant ?

SS explained process of Call for Sites and Planning Consultation process and requirements for opposition under Planning specific conditions and considerations.

Members of the Public expressed their concern that regardless of feeling of the residents of Snetterton, the impact on their amenity from all planning decisions are ignored.

SS advised that all residents as well as PC complete the Issues and Options Consultation Survey and submit. **MW** offered to write a draft response for the PC

Member of the public asked if Parish Clerk and PC Councillors are receiving Commonplace notifications ? MW responded that she was receiving Breckland Connected notifications.

Member of the public queried how Nature’s Menu were granted a licence to operate when they had not fulfilled all planning conditions and are therefore in breach of inter alia H&S conditions.   
**SS** to follow up with Enforcement Officer at Breckland.

SS re-iterated her belief that a Neighbourhood Plan should be commenced, which will take 2 years minimum but will give some weight to the village’s concerns etc in the future.

AS reported that following the meeting with Liz Truss M.P. on 3.3.23 she had contacted David Napier (Shropham) and Peter Lotarius (Quidenham) to ask them to propose coming in with Snetterton to create a plan. **AS** will report back following their respective Parish Council meetings and consideration thereof. AS confirmed that Snetterton does not have the funds nor capacity to embark on this as a village, on their own.

The meeting commenced at 1940. SS and SA left for another meeting. Members of the public left.

1. Apologies for absence – Jacqueline Romero

2. Declarations of interest for items on the agenda – non received.

3. Minutes for the meeting held on 23rd January 2023 were confirmed and will be signed   
by the Chairman when the Clerk is able to deliver them to her. **TH/LG**

4. There were no members of the public at the meeting by this time.  
  
5. (a) **AS** will forward details from Land Registry and link to Charity Commission.  
 (b) B/F  
 (c) **TH** to urgently update the PC on progress. Latest Minutes etc. to be added.  
 Link to Issues and Options Consultation to be added for visitors to website so that

residents can add their comments. Election Forms and deadline for applications to be

added to site.

(d) Once website active GDPR adherent storing e-mails can be addressed.

6. Actioned prior to the meeting.  
7. Actioned. **AS** will chase up Jacob in Liz’s office re pledged actions  
8. Actioned.  
9. **TH** to report at next meeting. B/F  
10. Planning Applications  
3PL/2023/0183/F Two dwellings Bradcar Road, Shropham. Agreed  
3PL/2023/0152/HOU New Gates and Flanking Walls. No comment  
3PL/2023/0153/LB As above. No comment

11. B/F with 3.  
12. Discussed  
13. Delivered prior to the meeting  
14. Delivered prior to the meeting  
15. B/F  
 **AS** will report on Bio Mass notes and will forward to Clerk and fellow Councillors  
 in the interim.

16. Next meeting date TBC