

**SEBERGHAM PARISH COUNCIL**  
**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF 21<sup>st</sup> May 2014**

**PRESENT**

Mr AV Rule  
Mr P Pearson  
Mr M Hilton  
Mr M Stockdale  
Mr A Bell

**APOLOGIES**

None

**IN ATTENDANCE**

Councillor D Fairbairn, 8 Members of the Public.

**2. MINUTES**

The minutes of the meeting of 19 March 2014 were agreed and signed as a true record.

**3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

None.

**4. ADJOURNMENT OF MEETING**

Parishioners gave information about highway repairs needed, specifically on the B5299 near Tom Rigg Lonning (services cover).

**Councillor Fairbairn:-**

Gave an update on the proposed repairs to the road at Doctor's Brow, the cost of resurfacing being well into six-figures;

Parkhead: an update from the CCC officer re the slow progress of reinstatement at Parkhead quarry; he is requesting that a gate position be changed to allow the refuse wagon to turn; and where the road has been damaged by timber wagons, he is pressing the highways engineer to get repairs undertaken by the appropriate body.

There are monies available for young persons to access training.

On-street parking charges have been passed by the ruling group on the County Council.

Wigton swimming pool has a new independent committee responsible for running the pool, which will have to be stand-alone financially viable. There are likely to be changes in usage and hours of opening.

**5. MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES**

None.

**6. CORRESPONDENCE**

Land Factor Ltd had sent a series of maps and details of woodland management proposals for Dentonside Woods over the next ten years.

**7. CO-OPTION OF NEW COUNCILLORS**

Mrs Maria Chesters-Bouma and Mrs Christine Tinnion had signified their interest, and were co-opted onto the Council.

**8. WIND TURBINE UPDATE**

Carwath—the EHO has recommended that the application be refused as potential noise would be harmful, and there had been a lack of acceptable mitigation proposals from the developers. Councillor Fairbairn gave a brief report on a recent meeting between Allerdale BC officers & the developers.

**9. PLANNING APPLICATIONS**

2/2014/0275 Royal Oak, Welton: There was expression that parishioners did not wish to lose the facility of a Public House in the village, and that this be communicated to Allerdale for their consideration.

**10. ACCOUNTS**

This item (agreeing accounts for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2014, and payment of cheques) was deferred to the next meeting.

**15. DATE OF NEXT MEETING.**

Weds 11<sup>th</sup> June at 7-30pm, et seq on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of alternate months.

Meeting closed at 21.03

AV Rule  
Chairman