Present: Councillors of Hockwold cum Wilton Parish Council

Cllr Raburn, Cllr Johns, Cllr Sullivan, Cllr Turner, Cllr Southwell.

Apologies from Cllr Sismey, Cllr Arbour and Cllr Gossage, Cllr Randall

Squadron Leader Neild

Norfolk County Cllr M. Storey

Parish Clerk Ms H. Cox

**OPEN FORUM**

1. **Minutes:**

* *Minutes for meeting held 12th September 2017*, proposed by Cllr Southwell, seconded by Cllr Johns. Agreed by all Councilors present.
* *Minutes for the EXORD meeting held 10th August 2017,* proposed by Cllr Turner, seconded by Cllr Southwell. Agreed by all Councilors present.

1. **Matters Arising and Correspondence:**

a. RAF Lakenheath: Squadron Leader Neild reported exercises will be starting. Other than that, a fairly quiet month ahead. When asked about the night flying, Squadron Leader Neild informed the Parish Council that any out of hours flying is because of an operation, and NOT a practice exercise.

b. NALC and Community Action Norfolk updates: all Councilors have received all updates, no queries.

c. Police update: all Councilors have received all updates, no queries. The clerk asked for more police presence in the area due to problems with vandalism, fires and exploded cans in and around the village.

d. Queen Anne Memorial: Clerk read out the English Heritages information about the heritage site on the village green. The site is not a Queen Anne memorial. It is a meeting marker. Clerk to publish the information on the Parish Council Website.

e. Allotment inspections update: Chairman Raburn reported the findings and informed the Parish Council of a re-visit in mid-November. Norfolk County Cllr Storey wondered if the Hockwold Primary School would like an allotment for use by the children. Clerk to enquire with the Iceni school.

f. Notice board and Memorial plaque (wording): After a discussion it was proposed by Cllr Johns that we place the old plaques with the new plaques. The new plaques to have the same wording, but with current dates. Seconded by Cllr Southwell. Agreed by all.

g. Elder Trees on Station Road: Clerk to write a letter to the Highways Department about the overgrown elder trees on both sides of the path along Station Road. Proposed by Cllr Johns and seconded by Cllr. Sullivan. Agreed by all.

1. **Planning**

* 17/01571/F | Retrospective planning permission for the permanent retention of the water bailiff's dwelling, fishing club facility and use of surrounding land for amenity purposes at Blackdyke Fisheries. | Blackdyke Farm Black Dyke Road Hockwold cum Wilton Norfolk IP26 4JW The Parish Council has voted approve the application.  Proposed by Cllr Southwell, seconded by Cllr Sullivan and agreed by all.

**Permissions/Refusals/withdrawals:**

* 17/00296/F Hockwold cum Wilton, Land Between 15 And 19 Nursery Lane Hockwold cum Wilton Norfolk - Detached dwelling with cart shed (garage) Application Permitted 18 September 2017 Committee Decision
* 17/00130/TREECA Hockwold cum Wilton 23 Nursery Lane Hockwold cum Wilton Norfolk IP26 4ND - T1 Oak Tree T2 Horse Chestnut Tree - Remove within Conservation Area Tree Application - No objection 18 September 2017 Delegated Decision
* 17/00140/TREECA Hockwold cum Wilton 1 Lakelands Hockwold cum Wilton Norfolk IP26 4NJ - 2 trees of unknown species to be felled within a Conservation Area Tree Application - No objection 21 September 2017 Delegated Decision

**Bill of Accounts**

**Payments: 10.10.17**

K&M Lighting Services (invoice ) £ 76.03

Bus Shelter Cleaning £25.00

Ms. H. Cox --

* CiLCA Training (3 of 12) £0.00
* WIFI/Broadband £9.00
* Wages £577.00
  + 34 hours normal
  + 16 transparency IMP

**TOTAL £586.00**

Eon- Direct Debit – Street Lighting £147.98

John Long – Village Green, Ivy removal £120.00

MAZARS – External Audit £120.00

Norfolk County Council-NPLAW £480.00

**Total Payments £1555.01**

**Income:**

**Total Income £0**

1. Accounts as above agreed by all. Proposed by Cllr. Southwell and seconded by Cllr. Sullivan.
2. **Items for the next agenda/other business**

* The Lode to be put on all future agendas until further notice.
* Village Donations
* Beech Walk
* Triangle at the top of the Lode

1. **Next Meeting**
   1. 14th November 2017 at 7.30pm at the Village Hall, Main Street, Hockwold.

Distribution:

One copy to each Councillor. Copies to Mr M Storey Norfolk County Councillor, Mr M Peake & Mr A Lawrence District Councillors, Downham Market Police, RAF Lakenheath and one copy for the web-site.