

**Hutton Cranswick Parish Council**  
**Minutes of the Meeting of the Centenary Wood Management Committee held in the Hall at**  
**Hutton Cranswick School, on Monday, 6<sup>th</sup> March, 2017 at 7.00 pm.**

**Present:** Councillors Mrs Johnson, Richardson, Poolford.

**Parishioners present:** Two

The clerk recorded the minutes.

**17/CW 010 Appointment of Chairman** - Cllr Scullion had resigned from the Committee. Councillor Poolford was elected as Chairman.

**17/CW 011 Apologies** - Cllr Mrs Taylor.

**17/CW 012 Minutes - Resolved** - That the minutes of the meeting of the Council held on 6<sup>th</sup> February, 2017 be approved and signed as a correct record (proposed Cllr Richardson/Cllr Mrs. Johnson).

**17/CW 013 Declaration of interests** - None

**17/CW 014 Public participation** - Parishioners thanked the Council for taking positive steps to address concerns raised about the Wood. The maintenance work that had been carried out recently was welcome and had greatly improved the Wood. The footpaths would benefit from a further layer of road scrapings. There was a group of volunteers willing to assist in removal of leaves. Cllr Poolford advised the use of specific chemicals was a safe method of controlling weeds and unwanted plants, which was accepted by the parishioners present.

**17/CW 015 Membership** - A request from Frances Johnson to join the Committee to represent a community of dog walkers was approved.

**17/CW 016 Current situation and next steps** - No further maintenance was planned until Autumn, 2017. It was agreed to recommend to the Parish Council that an annual maintenance contract should be put in place.

**17/CW 017 Next Meeting** - It was agreed the next meeting would take place on the 6<sup>th</sup> September, 2017.

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 7.20 pm.

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