

**Healey Parish Council Interim Report No 89**  
**27th August – 14<sup>th</sup> September 2020**

**1. Matters Arising:**

- a) 5a 26/8/20; 1a Int 87; 1a Int 86; 6i 4/3/20: The request for the meeting with road safety officer Neil Snowdon at The Glen crossroads is to be Friday September 18<sup>th</sup> at 12 noon. Cllr Jon Storey attending from Slaley PC and Alastair Smith representing Healey parish. County Councillor Colin Horncastle has said he wants to attend.
- b) 5b 26/8/20; 1b Int 87; 1b Int 86: School House Correspondence between Healey PC and the Director of Planning: Cllr Warde-Aldam emailed 14/8/20 stating disappointment at lack of response. Automated reply that Director on leave until 15/8/20. Four-line reply by email on 16/8/20. Cllr Warde-Aldam replied by email 16/8/20 this was acknowledged by email on 16/8/20. Cllr Warde-Aldam emailed on 23/8/20 disappointed not to have heard back. Acknowledged on 24/8/20 at 7.42 and Cllr Warde-Aldam replied by email at 7.51 then at 7.52 an email saying more will follow. After discussion it was agreed to send a follow up PC email reminding Mr. Murfin about the unanswered points and asking that while notices are being served and reworded enforcement action is still proceeding and the site being monitored. **Two draft letters written but neither sent.** Cllr Warde-Aldam to speak with Catherine Saxon of the Environment Agency. Cllr C. Johnston reported that the Motorcross activity had been heard on the south side of the Derwent Reservoir.
- c) 5c 26/8/20: School House - Copy of a letter dated 12/8/20, from our MP to Director, North East of Environment Agency, received. Further correspondence between EA and Cllr Warde-Aldam.

**2. Correspondence**

Clerk & Councils Direct September issue. The Pensions Regulator- confirmation that TP Jones has completed the re-decoration and that Healey PC has no employees with pension entitlement.

**Emails:**

- a) 27/8/20: NALC Enews
- b) 27/8/20: NALC Member Update
- c) 27/8/20: NALC Member Update – Pay Scales
- d) 2/9/20: RSN Rural Bulletin
- e) 3/9/20: NALC Member Update
- f) 3/9/20: RSN Monthly Bulletin
- g) 4/9/20: CAN Broadband Upgrade Fund (*see agenda 5a*)
- h) 8/9/20: NCC Northumberland Local Plan Phase 2 hearings
- i) 8/9/20: RSN Rural Bulletin
- j) 8/9/20: NCC Elections office – PC elections May 2021 – expectation of a contested elections? Any vacancies expected? Councillors asked on line. **Only MC & PC replied so far**
- k) 9/9/20: NALC Enews
- l) 10/9/20: NALC Member Update includes Government update of Sept 9 - continuation of Physical meetings /unsure guidelines for community buildings and village halls.
- m) 10/9/20 Streetworks, TTRO Dilston to Corbridge
- n) 10/9/20: Streetworks TTRO Tyne Green, Hexham
- o) 11/9/20: NCC Iain Hedley Community chest Scheme first round deadline 2/10/20 & second 15/1/2021
- p) 14/9/20: NALC COVID-19 update
- q) 14/9/20: Streetworks TTRO Hexham 10 Race.

**Telephone**

Bev Ridley of Dipton Foot telephoned the Clerk 31/8/20 reporting cyclists speeding down the new surface of the U8090 and unable to stop – asked if warning notice could be placed. Email to highways 8/9/20 asking if a warning notice can be placed – redirected to Alex Thompson who acknowledge irresponsible cyclists but said no signage available

**3. Planning**

**20/02103/FUL:** Erection of single storey portal frame agricultural shed for the use of hay storage and livestock. Williams Farm, Kiln Pit Hill. Applicant Billy Addison **Comments by October 2nd**

**20/01457/CLEXIS:** Motorcycle track west of School House Farm (see 1b above) **Pending**  
**19/01867/FUL:** Retrospective windbreaking/stabilizing unit at Williams Farm, Kiln Pit Hill. Applicant Wm Addison. **Disappeared from the planning portal**

**Decisions from planning**

**20/01483/LBC:** Listed Building consent to replace Gingang roof, structural timber, repairs and other associated works. Low Fotherley Farm, A68. Applicant Minsteracres Estate. **Granted**

**20/01770/FUL:** Proposed change of use of part of an existing grazing field by constructing an outdoor arena for personal use. Erect a fence around the arena. Land north of Backworth Letch Farm, Kiln Pit Hill. Applicant Dr. J. Dudley Isaacs. **Granted.**

**20/00686/FUL:** Replacement of existing conservatory, reinstatement of front door with porch and first floor extension to rear of property with pitched roof construction. Backworth Letch South Cottage, Kiln Pit Hill, Consett. DH8 9SG. Applicant Mr. Sam Clifton. **Granted June 4th**

**4. Financial Report.**

A Second half of precept £1,200 received 3/9/20

**5. Domesday Project & Local History Club Report.**

The Slaley, Healey & Minsteracres History Group – the group had hoped to resume in October but the new rule of 6 is causing confusion.

**6. Barley Hill Endowment Fund**

**7. Cllr Janeen Smith will represent Healey PC at Slaley Commemoration Hall Management Committee meeting on Wednesday September 23rd.**

**8. Global Warming & Overuse of Plastic**

Meetings cancelled because of Coronavirus.

**9. AOB**

Emailed dated 8/9/20 received from owner of South Lodge with comments and photographs made by Nicholas Badcock to NCC about speeding traffic at South Lodge Minsteracres. Clerk acknowledged and confirmed that traffic safety at South Lodge was again requested in the LTP for 2021/22.

**10. Date of 2020 Meetings**

(AGM) Wednesday December 2nd