

Healey Parish Council Interim Report No 91
13th October 2020 – 9th November 2020

1. Matters Arising:

Glen Crossroads Slaley PC

Public Participation from Slaley PC 9/11/20. Helen Copeman from Healey parish wished to make a formal complaint about the Glen crossroads. Helen explained her near misses with cyclists and motorized vehicles this year, she warned that unless something was done there was going to be a fatal accident. Drivers coming to the crossroads from the east (Healey parish) cannot see anything from the north (Slaley village) until the car is over the central white line. Helen also warned that a car insurance will be void if the driver is found to have pulled out to the central white line in front of oncoming traffic. County Councillor Colin Horncastle reported having Neil Snowdon's Line Manager, Robin McCartney, out to the crossroads on Friday morning (November 6 2020). Mr. McCartney agreed there was a problem and traffic could not be seen. CC Horncastle has to make a written report to Mr McCartney, who will then discuss safety measures. Cllr S. Carson suggested that all drivers should sound their horns at the crossroads and keep sounding as the crossroads is navigated. Helen Copeman was thanked for her report, asked if all incidents at the crossroads could be reported to the Clerk who had a substantial historical record.

Slaley PC report to County Councillor: meeting with Neil Snowdon and a member of both Slaley & Healey PC's – In October the County Councillor was going to organize a site meeting. Email correspondence from J Reeves received, acknowledged and circulated. Telephone call from H Copeman received, recorded and circulated.

(see agenda 1 above for update on crossroads). Hilary Portous reported a very close near miss on Thursday 29/10/20 when a black pick up exited onto the crossroads from the east straight into her direction, only quick swerving avoided a collision.

Healey PC Glen crossroads see above from Healey parishioner

b) 1b Int/90; 1b Int 89; 1b Int 88; 5b 26/8/20; 1b Int 87; 1b Int 86: School House Correspondence between Healey PC and the Director of Planning: Continued with a ZOOM meeting on 20/10/20, again on 24/10/20 and on 4/11/20.

2. Correspondence

Hard copies. CPRE Autumn newsletter. War Memorial Trust Bulletin. Clerks & Councils Direct November. Northumberland age UK – received funding for food parcels, care packages & activity packs or trusted tradesperson to support completing a Welfare Benefit claim or PIP assessment.

Emails:

- a) 13/10/20: RSM Rural Bulletin
- b) 13/10/20: Streetworks TTRO Allendale Road, Hexham
- c) 14/10/20: NALC Member Update
- d) 15/10/20: North Pennines News - Stargazing Week
- e) 15/10/20: NALC Member update
- f) 16/10/20: CAN Enews
- g) 16/10/20: Carol Hessey Local council disruption as a result of phishing attacks
- h) 20/10/20: RSN Rural Bulletin
- i) 20/10/20: Ann Atkinson VCS Assembly West Northumberland Zoom meeting 3/11/20
- j) 20/10/20: Dr. Richard M. Clarke Research fellow RTO Covid-19 project – recruit members of the public to take part in the long-term effect of those that have suffered from COVID-19 during the pandemic. Suggested this go on website. Cllr SC Douglas created a link.
- k) 20/10/20 Streetworks. TTRO St. Mary's Chare, Hexham.
- l) 20/10/20: NALC rebuilding communities – Cllr I Stevens volunteered to lead on this. Cost of £30 to be reimbursed.
- m) 20/10/20: NHS Northumbria Healthcare Stakeholder update
- n) 21/10/20: NALC Enews
- o) 28/10/20: RSN Rural Bulletin
- p) 29/10/20: NALC Member update
- q) 29/10/20: email request for Christmas decorations to be placed in gardens
- r) 29/10/20: CAN AGM online

- s) 30/10/20: Streetworks TTRO Newcastle Road Corbridge.
- t) 2/11/20: Streetworks TTRO amendment Beaumont / Market Street, Hexham
- u) 2/11/20: NHS Northumbria Healthcare Stakeholder Update Covid-19 update
- v) 2/11/20: Nichola Turnbull Tynedale Local Area Council virtual meeting 10/11/20
- w) 3/11/20: RSN Rural Bulletin
- x) 4/11/20: RSN Funding Digest
- y) 4/11/20: Healthwatch Northumberland - Care Homes Forum
- z) 6/11/20: CAN Village Halls & Community Buildings update from ACRE

3. Planning

Decisions from 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. **Refused**

4. Financial Report.

Bank account statement as at 4/11/2020: ££1,870.39

5. Domesday Project & Local History Club Report.

The Slaley, Healey & Minsteracres History Group decided they could NOT resume because of the North-East additional infections.

6. Barley Hill Endowment Fund

7. Cllr Janeen Smith representative of Healey PC at Slaley Commemoration Hall Management Committee. Management meeting to take place on November 18th 2020

8. Global Warming & Overuse of Plastic

Meeting arranged for Thursday October 15th administered by ZOOM.

9. AOB

10. Date of 2020 Meetings

(AGM) Wednesday December 2nd