THORNTON PARISH COUCIL

**ORDINARY MEETING OF COUNCIL HELD AT HOLY FAMILY HIGH SCHOOL ON**

**MONDAY 14th January 2019**

**Present:** Councillors Cooke (Chair), Draper, White and McGill.

**Also present:** Mr Challinor (clerk)

**1365** **To receive apologies for absence:** Councillor Pennington sent his apologies.

**1366** **To receive** **declarations of interest:** No declarations were made.

**1367 Minutes of an Ordinary Meeting of the Council held on 3rd December 2018**:

Council agreed minutes as an accurate record.

**1368 Matters Arising (for information only)** The following matters were highlighted:

* Defibrillator will not be installed by February meeting, Chair recommended including CPR training for residents before Ordinary Meetings.
* Mr Hounsell received a complaint from a resident regarding the pavement on Runnells Lane, Councillors to investigate issue.
* Chair requested for more frequent updates to the Council’s social media and website, particularly highlighting the achievements of the Council in 2018.

**1369 Chairman’s Update (for information only):**

* Chair reported on the rejected Holgate housing development from Sefton Council. Councillors congratulated the Holgate group for their work regarding the matter.
* Clerk to confirm whether insurance will cover the defibrillator.
* Clerk to confirm current location of Christmas Crib.

**1370 Finances:**

* Clerk’s wages (December) - £230.00
* Clerk’s Expenses (December) - £20.00
* British Heart Foundation Grant (Defibrillator) - £600.00

**1371 Planning and Correspondence:**

The Clerk read out correspondence received from Sefton’s Planning Department. For noting only.

**1372 Public Participation:**

The Chairman welcomed 6 members of the public and the following items were discussed:

* Holgate residents thanked the Council for their support in raising objections to the Holgate housing development.
* Holgate residents requested reinstating HGV signs.
* The Nags Head have been granted an extended license to sell alcohol from 9am and until 1am on Fridays and Saturdays. Residents have raised objections citing potential noise pollution.

**1373 To adjourn the meeting so that Councillors may provide an update on any Council related matters.**

**1374 Date of Next Meeting**

It was noted that the meeting would take place on **Monday 4th February 2019 at 7pm**.

Signed …………… Date …………… (Chairman)