NORTON DISNEY ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

Held on Wednesday 16th May 2018

Those attending were:

Parish Councillors

Vanessa Hall
Clive Moles
Terry Johnson
Pat Gibson
And 10 members of the public

The Parish Clerk

M Salmon

County Councillor

Marianne Overton MBE

District Councillors

Sue Howe

Pat Woodman MBE

Apologies for absence

Cllr Mark Fearnley

The Police

1. Vanessa Hall

Welcomed those attending and submitted her Parish report. In large part, the planning application to build a rendering plant adjacent to Folly Lane by Lincoln Protein was the single most important event to, potentially, have an impact on the Parish.

However, other, more welcoming developments were listed – firstly the creation of The Bomber County Gateway Trust and their planning application, which was subsequently passed, to erect a full scale replica of a Lancaster Bomber adjacent to Brills Farm. Also the renovation of the village phonebox and those to the Church were mentioned.

2. <u>District Councillors Reports</u>

Among the issues/topics mentioned were the very low crime rate in the District – in fact the lowest in the country statistically. Also, the construction of Affordable Houses and, a hot topic – Data Protection.

3. County Councillors Report

Mainly dealt with Highways issues – potholes being the main one caused by 'the Beast from the East' and magnified by County Council budgetary constraints. However, Marianne also reported that a new Highways Chief Executive had been appointed and that priority for expenditure had been given to the Counties A roads for the 2018/19 year.

4. Police report

Attached

5. Village Hall Report

Another very solid year financially was reported by Jenny Wright, who went on to mention various repairs undertaken in the year as well as the Summer Fete held in June.

6. Church Report

Although not on the agenda, due to an oversight by the Parish Clerk for which he humbly apologizes, Reverend Dee Freeman came to the meeting and elaborated on the improvements and repairs which had been carried out during the previous 12 months, which are substantial and varied, giving the Church modern facilities, which, it is hoped, will be fully utilized. Due to the recent retirement of the long serving Church Wardens, the Church was without any at the time of the meeting.

Signed and dated	