



WELLS TOWN COUNCIL

WELLS COMMUNITY HOSPITAL, MILL RD,
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2014/01

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MINUTES

Annual Town Meeting held on 28 April 2014 at 1900 at The Methodist Room

Chairman: Councillor Allen Frary

- 1) Installation of a Flag Pole at the Buttlands
Members of the carnival committee proposed the erection of a flag pole on the Buttlands to commemorate the centenary of World War One. The Carnival Committee would gift the flag pole to the people of Wells. It was suggested the flag pole could go on the grass island with the telephone kiosk. Pat Weston would make some enquiries concerning planning permission and liaise with the Town Clerk.
- 2) Town Pump on Church Plain
Ray Hewitt had inspected the Town Pump and reported that it was in need of re-building. He suggested the Town Council could pay for the materials if someone could be found to complete the work. It was suggested that CITB at Bircham Newton be contacted and Pat Weston said he could help.
- 3) Big Issue Seller Staithe Street
Concerns were voiced about the behaviour of the Big Issue Seller who stands on the road outside Lefley's Store and can be very intimidating. The Town Clerk said he had already written to the Big Issue people and the Police. It was suggested the Town Council invite the local Police Inspector to a Town Council Meeting to discuss the problem.
- 4) The empty plot on the Quay where Gifts Galore (Yellow Shop) previously stood
It was asked if anything could be done to tidy the empty plot and could hoarding be erected. District Councillor Peter Terrington stated that North Norfolk District Council was trying to get this done but it was difficult to single out just one site when there were others requiring similar action in the town.
- 5) Road markings at the junction of the Glebe and Theatre Road
Lindsay Dew asked if anything could be done about the state of the road markings at the junction of the Glebe and Theatre Road, they are so worn that the junction is dangerous. The Town Clerk said he would write.
- 6) Proposal to flood the land to the east of Wells during flood events to alleviate damage on the Quay
John Terrington voiced his concerns that this proposal had again been raised and suggested that it be shelved for good. The meeting was in agreement with Mr Terrington
- 7) Congregational Church Wall
It had been drawn to the Town Clerk's attention that the wall on the west boundary of the congregational church was in need of repair. The Clerk had contacted the Revd. Woodruff who has made arrangements to have the repairs done.

The meeting was closed at 1940



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