

ANNUAL ASSEMBLY MEETING OF THE PARISH OF ULNES WALTON

MINUTES of the **ANNUAL PARISH ASSEMBLY MEETING** of the **PARISH OF ULNES WALTON** held on Monday, 12 May 2010 at Wymott Social Club, Wymott, Ulnes Walton at 7.00 pm.

Present: Cllr D Todd (Parish Council Chairman), Cllr E Doran (Parish Council Vice Chairman), Cllr D Williams, Cllr B Pickthall, Cllr G Bird, A Partington (Clerk), Karen Livsey, Gemma Hyland, Vaike Armistead and Anthony Parker from LCC Young People Services, 1 Resident, Mike Emery & Lynette Morrissey from Chorley Magistrates Court.

Cllr D Todd welcomed everyone to the meeting.

1. **Apologies**

No apologies for absence.

2. **Minutes of Last Parish Assembly Meeting held on 11 May 2009**

The minutes of the Parish Assembly Meeting held on 11 May 2009 were accepted as being an accurate record of the meeting and the Chairman of the Parish Council signed the minutes.

3. **Annual Report of the Parish Council 2009/10**

Cllr Dorothy Todd tabled and presented the Annual Report of Ulnes Walton Parish Council for 2009/10 and provided a précis which included a Chairman's overview, financial summary and a summary of parish council activities during the year.

4. **Young People Services**

Representatives from Lancashire County Council Young People Services were welcomed to the meeting. An overview of the services delivered by YPS was given with particular emphasis to the detached work to the young people of Wymott, Ulnes Walton.

Anthony Parker, young resident in Ulnes Walton addressed the meeting and spoke on behalf of the young people from Ulnes Walton involved in the Youth Engagement Day project which is scheduled to take place on 19 June 2010. Anthony indicated that the young people have expressed their enjoyment in being involved in the community event and have been instrumental in promoting and publicizing the event, assisting with the design of the flyers and questionnaires, attending regular meetings, creating T-shirts and much more. Anthony indicated the youth project has given them independence and the opportunity to experience new and exciting activities within their community. It remains their aim to create a Youth Council/Committee in Ulnes Walton and to work with the Parish Council in the future.

Anthony and the representatives from LCC YPS were thanked for their overview of the work currently being undertaken in Ulnes Walton.

5. **Role of Magistracy**

Mike Emery, JP and Lynette Morrissey, JP (and resident of Ulnes Walton) were welcomed to the meeting from Chorley Magistrates Court. They provided an overview of the role of the Magistracy in fostering community liaison. The salient points of their presentation included the history of the Magistrates Court,

an overview of the type of people appointed to the Magistrates Court, what their remit entails and the legal powers they have.

Appreciation for their detailed and highly interesting presentation and attendance at the meeting was offered.

6. Public Forum

A resident advised that the track from the Prison roundabout up past Stannings Wood to Ridley Lane/Cocker Bar had been closed. It was noted, that following consultation with LCC, it was the landowner who had closed the track, however, LCC have been in dialogue with the landowner as there are some public rights of way which should remain accessible.

7. Any Other Business

None.

Cllr Dorothy Todd thanked everyone for attending the Annual Assembly Meeting of the Parish of Ulnes Walton and declared the meeting closed at 7.45 pm.

Signed:

Dated: