Minutes of the meeting of Seaton Ross Parish Council held on Friday 17 July 2020

A Parish Council meeting was held via Microsoft Teams on Friday 17 July 2020 at 7.30pm.

Members present: J Henley (Chair), R Chapman, G Gardham, P Johnson, R. Underwood, K. Weallans.

Apologies – D Gascoyne, C. Hunt, J. Stewart (Clerk)

Members of the public -0

29/20 Declarations of interest – None.

30/20 Minutes – Agreed – that the minutes of the meeting held on 26 June 2020 be approved and signed by the Chairman.

31/20 Resignation of C. Curran, with immediate effect, was received. She was thanked for all her work with the Parish Council.

32/20 Village emergency no. for Covid-19 - Agreed - RC will take this on for the time being.

33/20 Unsuitable for HGVs sign – the shape and wording and where the sign should be displayed were discussed. **Agreed** - JH will photograph the 2 existing signs (Seaton Ross and Everingham) to recommend to ERYC which the PC feels is most appropriate and suggest siting it near the Open Reach boxes opposite the mill, angled to be seen on both entrance roads to the village.

34/20 Lorries going through the village to Rolawn – it was noted particularly that Downton lorries are regularly going through the village on Sundays although they then turn right onto the A614 at the end of Southfield Lane, when leaving. **Agreed** - to write to Rolawn asking them to remind Downton about not driving through the village.

35/20 Planning application 20/01893/PLF Cross Farm Barn – the reapplication lowers the roof lights to stop overlooking as requested. The Parish Council still feels that parking is a major problem and disagrees with Highways on this. Cross Farm Barn and Cross Farm are now two separate properties but with only one parking space (and no turning circle) in total for both properties. This causes problems on the highway for deliveries and visitors with delivery vans frequently blocking neighbouring drives. The Parish Council, having looked through all the applications for this property, can find no reference to the garage having change of use to an annex. **Agreed** – to write again expressing our concerns, with photos.

36/20 Parish Council Certificate of Exemption - Approved

37/20 Parish Council Annual Governance Statement - Approved

38/20 Parish Council Annual Accounts - Approved

39/20 Grants to help local groups because of Covid-19 – the Village Hall has already received a grant via ERYC. Agreed – RC to check whether the Playing Field has already received any mitigating grants or if they want to apply to the Parish Council.

Date of next meeting: Friday 7th August at 7.30 on Microsoft Teams

The meeting finished at 8.01pm