

Minutes of the East Harling Internal Drainage Board held on 16<sup>th</sup> June 2015 at The Pines, 50 Connaught Road, Attleborough, Norfolk at 8.30am.

**Present:**    **Mr D Stammers (Chairman)**  
                  **Mr H Beevor**  
                  **Mr I Walker**  
                  **Mr P Lee**  
                  **Mr A Thornton**  
                  **Mr G Ellis (Town Council)**  
                  **Mr C D Wright (CEO and Clerk)**

1. Apologies for absence were received from Mr A Southgate, Mr P Drake, Mr Tom Charles (Strutt & Parker / Quidenham Estate), Mr A Bingham (Engineer),

The Chairman welcomed Mr Ellis as the Town Council representative.

2. Minutes of the meeting of the 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2015 having been previously circulated were approved and this was proposed by Mr Walker and seconded by Mr Beevor and carried unanimously.

3.    **Matters arising**

- a) The Clerk read the report from Mr Bingham

There were some comments made by members and in particular that there is apparently going to be a further development proposed near Hills Lane on London Road Attleborough which neither the Clerk or Mr Bingham seem to be aware of. Mr Beevor asked if a plan could be produced for the next meeting showing where the various agreed and proposed developments were and the numbers that each development was proposing.

- b) The Clerk reported that the notice of election had been advertised in the EDP on the 4<sup>th</sup> June 2015.
- c) Mr Beevor asked if the accounts were moving towards computerisation and the Clerk confirmed that the entries were being made now on spreadsheets. He said that he would assist the Clerk in computerising the rate demands.

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- a) After discussion and explanation of the Annual Return, it was proposed by Mr Thornton and seconded by Mr Beevor that the accounts be approved.
- b) The Clerk went through the Governance statement and it was proposed by Mr Walker and seconded by Mr Thornton that this be approved.

**5. Any other Business**

- a) There was general discussion about the problems of Attleborough drainage raised by Mr Ellis and in particular the area between Hargham Road and London Road where the Drainage Board does not cover the drainage.
- b) Mr Beevor asked if the Clerk was aware of the proposals for surface water drainage from the new Snetterton Power Station and the Clerk agreed to keep this under review.

There being no other business, the Chairman closed the meeting.