WOODSIDE PARISH COUNCIL

Meeting held Thursday 16th May 2019 at 7.30 p.m. in Oulton Institute Hall.

**Members Present**

W.F.Marrs (Chairman) D.Wright

S.Connor J.Mattinson

W.McKie Mrs A. Lewis

H.Barrow M.D.McCabe (Clerk)

## Members of the Public Present

## None

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**Apologies for Absence** were received from the following.

M.Mullett

**The Minutes of the Last Meeting** were read and approved by the chairman.

**Matters Arising from the Minutes**

The three street lights in Oulton which were not working had been fixed, although two have since failed again. The clerk is to report this.

**Cumbria County Councillor’s Report**

None

**Allerdale Borough Councillor’s Report**

None

**Wigton Burial Joint Committee**

The cemetery is short of money. The Curator has taken redundancy and a pension. He is currently working three months notice. At a recent meeting of WBJC, public opinion was that Allerdale B.C. shouldn’t run the cemetery. The Council will be kept up to date on any developments.

Following an enquiry from a parishioner, it has been advised that minutes and accounts are available for inspection at Wigton Market Hall by members of the public.

**Correspondence**

**Merchant Navy –** The Council has been asked if they would celebrate Merchant Navy Day, on 3rd September.

**Clerks & Councils Direct –** was made available to the meeting.

**Trade Catalogues –** None.

**Cllr Mrs Fox**

Ann has been a Parish Councillor for many years, contributing much to the surrounding area. It was agreed to send a gift voucher for £25 for Dobies, as she is a keen gardener.

**Highway Matters**

Three street lights in a row are out in Oulton. A parishioner has reported this to Cumbria C.C. They have replied, saying they have no record of these lights, and to get in touch with Allerdale B.C. to see if they belong to them. The clerk is to pursue this.

**Bank Statements**

None since the last meeting.

**Applications for Planning**

**New Applications**

VAR/2019/0007 A.Lattimer, Longthwaite Nook – Non compliance with cladding material. APPROVED

**Accounts for Payment**

Cumbria Association of Local Councils (2019 Subscription) £ 152.33 Chq 100621

Wigton Wiza Club (Donation) £ 50.00 Chq 100622

Zurich Insurance (2019/20 Insurance Cover) £ 257.60 Chq 100623

**Date and Time of the Next Meeting**

The next meeting was provisionally arranged for **Monday** 22th July 2019, at 7.30 p.m.

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 8.40 p.m. and moved on to the Public Meeting.