

## South Muskham and Little Carlton Parish Council

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**All residents of South Muskham and Little Carlton are warmly welcome to attend the Annual Parish Meeting to be held in South Muskham Village Hall on Wednesday 18 May 2016 at 7.00pm.**

**WELCOME        by the Chairman**

**Note of the Annual Meeting held on 20 May 2015**

**PUBLIC SESSION**

**CLOSING REMARKS**

**The Annual Parish Council Meeting will follow at 7.30pm or at the close of the Parish Meeting.**

**Signed**

**Councillor Howard Clack  
Chairman of the Parish Council**

**13 May 2016**

## SOUTH MUSKHAM/LITTLE CARLTON PARISH COUNCIL

### Note of the Annual Parish Meeting held on Wednesday 20 May 2015 at 7 pm in South Muskham Village Hall

- Present: From the Parish Council  
Councillors H Clack, L Francis, R Gill, Mrs G Gilroy and Mrs K Walsh  
Apologies were received from Cllrs D Catanach and R Pollard
- With: County and District Councillor, Mrs S Saddington
- And: 6 members of the Public

Howard Clack, as Chairman of the Parish Council during the term 2014-15, presided

Howard expressed a very warm welcome to everyone present. The Annual Parish Meeting provided an opportunity for local residents to raise any issues they had which related to the Parish now and in the future.

No issues having been raised, Howard wanted to take the opportunity to publically thank Cllr Mrs Sue Saddington for her help throughout the year and for all her hard work on behalf of the residents of the Parish. He then invited those Councillors present, who had been in Office last year, for their observations on the work of the Parish Council during 2014-15.

Cllr Ron Gill felt that the Council was going forward positively. He mentioned in particular the issues relating to proposed closure of level crossings, highways generally and the long-requested improvements made to Manor Farm Road.

Cllr L Francis reported on the negative results in opposing the erection of local wind turbines. He was hopeful that suggestions made in the Tory manifesto might give local residents more say in such matters. He also reported on the negative impact on the two Villages as a result of disruption on the A1 in respect of both noise nuisance and detrimental affect on the village roadways and verges.

**County & District Ward Councillor, Mrs Sue Saddington**, presented her report for the year (a copy will be included with these notes). In addition she reported on

- recent incidences of rural crime and disappointment in the proposed likely cutback of Community Police Support Officers; and
- also on the likely changes to District Ward boundaries as a result of the ongoing Boundary Commission review.

Howard thanked everyone present for attending: and each individual Councillor and the Clerk for their hard work and support during the last twelve months. He also acknowledged and thanked the regular attendance at meetings by a small number of residents, whose input during the Public Sessions was helpful and appreciated. And, once again, he stressed that the future of the two villages could only be maintained and improved with the support and involvement of the parishioners and he very much hoped that more residents would attend Parish meetings or contact the local Councillors to inform them on what they, as a community, would like to be achieved in the future.

The meeting closed at 7.20 pm  
Clerked by Christine Slim