

The church requires to be advised of the source from which our electricity is drawn. The Parish Council's contract is with npower, who need to be assured that the lamp on the path leading to the church is within our contract. The Clerk is to try to obtain an OS plan of the churchyard.

If not required by the PCC the new rear path light must be removed. The Chairman pointed out that not only had Peter Jesty in his capacity as churchwarden agreed to the installation of the new light, but that since it is already in place, there is nothing to be gained by its removal, only further disruption.

Electric cables should be properly guarded etc. and re-routed if in areas of future burials. The Clerk is to ask our electrician, Paul Ward, for a plan of the electrical layout.

The PCC shall report to the Registrar when these conditions are fulfilled but no later than six months from the date of the letter. The Clerk is to enquire when the 6 months runs from – in other words when is the date of determination.

To Update the PC's
Financial Regulations
with NALC Changes and
Ensure Books Ready for
Early Audit

It was agreed that the amendments already distributed by the Clerk be adopted. Early accounts to be on the April agenda for ratification of the Governance Statement.

To Consider Programme
of Work 2016/2017

The meeting was reminded of items agreed in the past which remain outstanding, among which are the provision of Welcome to Saxton signs, further drainage work including investigating the water issuing from the land by Wayside Cottage, also the investigation of the reason for the lack of footpath along Headwell Lane.

To Decide Action over
Mrs Barker's Complaint
over Tree Roots through
the Wall of Her House

Roots of trees planted by the Parish Council are reported to be encroaching into the garden; it was decided that should the roots come through the wall, then the Parish Council will deal with it.

Report on Progress
over Moving Electricity
Cables underground, and
further action necessary

This work was now completed, though the Clerk was instructed to write asking that the verge 100 yards on the left in Cotchers Lane up from the crossroads be reinstated where it has been disturbed and is in danger of collapse. At the same time, the Clerk is to point out to Northern Powergrid that the promised street sweeper has not yet visited.

Dates of next meetings

These were set for Tuesdays the 12th April and 17th May 2016.