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The Minutes of the Meeting of Matlaske Parish Council held on the 16th January 2019 in Matlaske Church.

PRESENT. Mrs Shepherd (Vice-Chairman) Mrs Rushmer, Mr Fiddian, Mr Fitzpatrick-Swallow, Mr Amis and Mr England. Apology was received from Mrs Buxton (Chairman).

The Minutes of the previous Meeting having been circulated were approved and signed.

MATTERS ARISING

MILLENNIUM TREE – Mr Fiddian said Mr Fitzpatrick-Swallow said they will be arranging to inspect and report to the Parish Council.

CORRESPONDENCE ETC

VILLAGE GATEWAYS

The reply from Highways was read to Members. The Highways Engineer stated in principle he had no objection to village gateways but it would ultimately depend on locations, available verge widths and visibility for any adjacent roads or accesses. The Clerk handed round details from another company for consideration. Members agreed to consider proposals for location and details received at the next Parish Council Meeting on the 13th March. It was agreed a copy of the details be sent to County Highways when replying to the letter.

GRITTING. A copy of the letter from Highways had already been sent to Members explaining the situation regarding road gritting. It was agreed a copy be sent to Mr Gough for information.

NCC Re. Consultation to create a Norwich Western Link. Details contained in the letter were noted. The Clerk will keep the letter on file for future reference.

NNDC Review of Polling Districts and Places. The District Council had put forward the proposal that the Polling Station for Matlaske should now be at Little Barningham Village Hall instead of The Stables at Barningham Hall. The Clerk read the letter sent in reply that the Parish Council totally disagrees with the proposal. The letter set out its reasons for this and why the Polling Station should remain at The Stables.

PRECEPT – The Application Form had been received for the Precept for 2019/2020. It was agreed to apply for £400.00 as before. The form was completed and signed as required.

The next Meeting was arranged for the 13th March 2019.

CHAIRMAN

13th March 2019.

