

Bonby Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting

Minutes of the meeting of Bonby Parish Council held at 7pm on 7th October 2021, , at the Village Hall, Bonby.

Present: Chair – Cllr Sarah Harriman.
Cllr Denise Peachey, Cllr Steve Roberts
Clerk – Holly Hanson

Ward Councillors – Cllr Rob Waltham

Public Participation

1 member of the public attended.

21/22 – 1001 Apologies

- a) Apologies were noted from Cllr Bishop.

21/22 – 1002 Declaration of Interest

- a) No declarations of interest were made by any member of the council in respect of the agenda items.

21/22 – 1003 Minutes of Previous meeting

- a) The minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 7th September 2021 were reviewed and agreed as an accurate and true record and signed accordingly.

21/22 – 1004 Report from Ward Councillors

- a) No Ward Councillors attended.

21/22 – 1005 Highways / Neighbourhood Services & NLC issues

- a) Councillors discussed the following highways issues:
 - i) Mud on the road from Middlegate to the B1206, from Potato Harvest
Resolved – Clerk to contact responsible contractors and request road is swept
 - ii) Cllr Roberts asked if the 30 mph limit extended up Church Lane Hill, as there was no speed limit on exiting the 30 mph limit, Councillors discussed and agreed that it was thought that the national speed limit applied past the 30 mph sign.

21/22 – 1006 Police Matters / Neighbourhood watch / NATs

- a) The Clerk gave a brief update from the NATs meeting of 9th September.
- b) The Clerk advised that PC Lawrence Grant had left the Brigg and Wolds Police Team to take up the role of Rural and Wildlife Crime Officer.
- c) No update from the Neighbourhood Watch Group.

21/22 – 1007 Planning

- a) Councillors discussed the following planning application received:
Application No: PA/2021/1739
Proposal: Planning permission to erect a single-storey rear extension
Site Location: Chapel Farmhouse, 79 Main Street, Bonby, DN20 0PW.
Resolved – Councillors had no comments or objections to the application
- b) No planning decisions received.

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21/22 – 1008 **Village Environment**

- a) The Clerk advised that the new planters would be built around the middle of October. A budget of £300 for Perennial and Autumn bedding plants for the new planters was unanimously agreed by Councillors.

Resolved – Clerk to arrange plants and ‘planting day’ once the planters are installed.

Councillors discussed that they would like additional daffodil bulbs in the Village, and unanimously agreed a budget of £300 for the purchase and planting of daffodil bulbs.

Resolved – Clerk to arrange the purchase and planting of bulbs in suitable locations.

- b) Councillors discussed the Community Orchard, and the need to cut back the meadow growth as had been done last year. Councillors unanimously agreed a budget of £350 for these works.

Resolved – Clerk to engage contractors to cut the Orchard.

- c) Councillors discussed the Gilman Trail. The clerk reported that she was waiting on a professional inspection of the trees on the trail which would be undertaken ahead of winter.

- d) Councillors discussed the Play Area and the Clerk advised that the barrier was scheduled to be installed later in the month.

- e) Councillors discussed that the speed limit signage on Church Lane and at other locations around the Low Villages was obscured by overgrown trees / hedges.

Resolved – Clerk to report to North Lincs Council.

- f) Councillors discussed request for a memorial bench on Middlegate Lane, Councillors had no objections as long as the bench was placed so as not to cause obstruction to field access..

21/22 – 109 **Low Villages Speed Sign**

- a) Councillors discussed the updated quote for 2 Low Villages Speed Signs.

Resolved – Councillors welcomed the increase to 2 speed signs for the Low Villages..

21/22 – 1010 **Clerk’s Report**

- a) The Clerk updated Councillors on other items that had required attention since the September meeting.

21/22 – 1011 **Accounts**

- a) Current financial position reviewed by all Councillors.

Resolved – That the Financial Summary and Bank Reconciliation be noted and signed by Cllr Harriman.

- b) Bank statements reviewed by all Councillors.

Resolved – That the document be noted and signed by Cllr Harriman.

Resolved – That the following invoices be authorised for payment:

- c) Autela – Q2 Payroll Charges - £50.40
d) North Lincs Council – Playground Inspection - £108.00
e) Sissons Gardening Services – September Verges & PROW - £422.00
f) HMRC – Q2 P32 - £136.60

21/22 – 1012 **Minor Items**

- a) No minor items were raised
b) No correspondence had been received.

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21/22 – 1013 Date and time of the next meeting

- a) The next meeting of Bonby Parish Council will be held on Monday 1st November 2021, commencing at 7pm, in the Village Hall, Bonby.

21/22 – 1014 To consider the exclusion of the public and press in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 s1(2) due to the confidential nature of the items to be discussed.

- a) Resolved – To exclude the public and press owing to the confidential nature of the business to be discussed accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 s1(2).
Employment matters
Resolved – To pay Clerk’s salary and expenses.