

## KIRKBY OVERBLOW PARISH COUNCIL

### Minutes of the Meeting of the Parish Council held on Monday 20 March 2023 at Low Hall, Kirkby Overblow

Present: Councillors D Yeadon, J Cross, A Whiteley, S Snowden.

1. **Apologies for absence.** Apologies for absence were received and accepted from Cllrs P Perry, S Jacobs, and Cllr A Paraskos (NYCC/HBC). Mr M Richards (Clerk) was also absent following a hospital procedure.
2. **Members' Declaration of Interests** - There were no declarations of interest for the meeting.
3. **To receive and if thought fit, approve the minutes of the meeting held on 16 January 2023** Resolved: That the minutes of the Meetings be approved as a correct record. Proposed by Cllr Cross, seconded by Cllr Whitely. The Chairman duly signed the minutes.
4. **Matters arising from the minutes** - Dealt with as part of the agenda.
5. **Questions from the public.** - None.
6. **Planning matters**

**Applications** – None

#### **Decisions**

(a) 23/00058/FUL -The Old Forge, Weeton. Granted

(b) 22/04910/FUL - Erection of agricultural storage building. Healthwaite Hall, Green Lane, Weeton. Refused.

Councillors noted the above decisions.

#### **Other**

(c) 1 Bridge House Cottages – Noted letter from planning officer to visit property re potential enforcement notice

#### **7. Finance**

**(a) Approval of Receipts & Payments since 21 November meeting** - Councillors approved the schedule of payments presented for the period 16 January to 20 March 2023.

**(b) Bank reconciliation** - The bank reconciliation was accepted as a true record of the Council's financial position.

#### **8. Parish Matters**

(a) Star and Garter. Enforcement letter from planning officer noted. No plans have yet been submitted for a change in use. Works can be internal to the building only.

(b) HBC litter bin consultation. Requests have been received to reinstate the small bin at the end of Walton Head Lane. **Action – Mike Richards to follow this up with HBC**

(c) Faulty streetlight – Barrowby Lane. This has now been fixed.

(d) Warning signs – A658/Follifoot Lane Junction. The missing reflective marker posts on both sides of the junction have now been replaced.

(e) Litter pick. A date was fixed for 16<sup>th</sup> April 2023. **Action - Mike Richards requested to organise pickers, plastic bags etc. Cllr Whiteley to advertise at school. Cllr Cross to publicise on notice board, and via village Facebook account.**

(f) Hesselden quote for grass cutting for the year was accepted at a cost of £4586.33 plus VAT.

### **9. Dunkeswick Matters**

Development at Wharfedale Gardens is now complete

There had been issues with peacocks – but 7 out of 8 have now been rehomed.

### **10.School**

Cllr Whiteley reported that PTA had entered Knaresborough bed race, raising funds for playground equipment.

### **11.Village Events**

Notes for diaries – King's Coronation to be shown in church on 6 May. Coronation concert to be held in church on 8 May. Village Clay Pigeon Shoot will be held on 10 June.

### **12.Any items for next meeting**

It was noted that Geof Nuttal – former Parish Clerk for many years was leaving the village to be nearer to his family in the south. All wished him well, and thanked him for his many years of service and attendance at PC meetings in the past.

***Action – Cllr Snowden to contact Police Rural Task Force representative to see if she can attend a future meeting***

There being no other items, the meeting closed at 9.05pm.

***Date of next meeting – Monday 15 May 2023 - the Annual Meeting of the Parish Council, commencing at 8.00pm, preceded by the Annual Parish Meeting, commencing at 7.30pm.***

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