

ELVINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of the Parish Council held on Tuesday 21st June 2022 at 7.30pm in the Atkin Room, Elvington Village Hall.

Yvonne Eggleston

088/22 Councillors Present: Cllrs Moorhouse, Young, Rickard, Gallery plus the Clerk
Cllr Vassie for part of the meeting.

Apologies: Cllrs Laverack, Lloyd

Parishioners Present: 1

089/22 Declaration of Interests: None

090/22 Minutes. To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 20th April 2022.
Proposed: Cllr Young Seconded: Cllr Rickard

091/22 Matters arising from the Minutes not covered in this agenda.

- i. Speed sign - Dauby Lane - confirmation received from CYC that the VAS will be reinstated. Potential options to deal with vibration from passing vehicles are being looked into.
- ii. Replanting of trees on the Green - a cutting from one of the old trees will be planted. The tree stump is still to be drilled out. Cllr Young will chase this. **JY**
- iii. The Grey Horse - ACV listing - has been included on the agenda for CYC's July Decision Session.
- iv. Email Provision - this is deferred to the next meeting.
- v. Casual Vacancy - the Clerk has not received any expressions of interest. The vacancy will be advertised in the Parish Newsletter and on Facebook.

092/22 Agenda Items.

- i. Permanent siting of the beacon - it was proposed that the beacon should be permanently sited on The Green in the bottom right hand corner near the footbridge. All agreed.

093/22 Correspondence (in):

Available from the Clerk

- i. Enquiry about parking in Blacksmith's Close.
- ii. YCLA - invitation to nominate interest Councillors to be substitute parish representatives on City of York's Standards Committee - Cllr Young volunteered to represent Elvington.
- iii. Voluntary Voice
- iv. White Rose updates
- v. Public Sector Executive Newsletters

094/22 Correspondence (out):

- i. Advised that Blacksmith's Close is a private road and parking is not allowed. (Clerk)

095/22 Financial.

- a. Receipts noted: i. £250 - CYC grant for Jubilee celebrations
- b. Payments approved:
 - i. Village Hall Room Hire - £17.00
 - ii. Grass cutting - £585.00
- c. Other Matters:
 - i. Operating Statement agreed. Bank Statement checked by Cllr Moorhouse.
 - ii. Donations for the hire of a big screen at the Jubilee celebrations were received from local businesses. As the screen was not delivered, it was agreed that an offer to refund the contributions should be made. Any unreturned monies will be used towards the cost of permanently siting the beacon.

096/22 Planning Applications:

New Applications:

22/01124/FUL Two storey extension - Sycamore Cottage, Church Lane, Elvington, YO41 4AD for Mr & Mrs Baraugh.

No objections.

Approvals: None

Other Matters:

- i. City of York Local Plan Phases 3 & 4 - hearings will be held in July. Cllr Moorhouse will circulate the Parish Council's previous response for Councillors to consider making an addendum. Cllr Gallery will represent the Parish Council at the H39 and H26 (Church Lane and Dauby Lane) hearings on 20th July. Cllr Laverack will represent the Parish Council at the ST15 hearing on 26th July.

Any additional comments must be submitted by 5th July.

The Parish Councillors in attendance authorised Cllr Laverack to make any additional submissions on their behalf.

Arguments on ST15 remain the same even though the area has moved even nearer the B1228, essentially splitting the Airfield in two.

Cllr Young pointed out that the 'green corridor' now overlaps the planned ST15 site.

- ii. Moor Closes - this application was not available in time to be placed on the agenda. Councillors should pass their comments to the Clerk for submission. Cllr Moorhouse will circulate a potted history of the site for reference. **MM, YE**
- iii. Home Lea - this will be kept on the agenda. Cllr Vassie suggested that he and Julian Sturdy MP revisit the issue. It is noted that the site is being advertised as a residential park and not for touring caravans as originally approved.

097/22 Highways, Paths and Verges

- i. Becksides crossing - Cllr Vassie is meeting with Liam Dennis (CYC) next week. He informed the Parish Council that the work will be carried out in the current financial year

- ii. Wheldrake Lane - CYC have acknowledged that there is zero visibility for pedestrians at the corner. Councillors made the point to Cllr Vassie that they consider the Wheldrake lane crossing to be more dangerous than the Becksideside crossing.
An extension of the 30mph zone by 20 metres is being considered by CYC.
- iii. HGVs and speeding - the Clerk informed the meeting that Sutton upon Derwent Parish Council had received a holding letter from their MP, Sir Greg Knight, who will speak to ERYC.
- iv. Church Lane - the pump has been removed as it is currently the dry season. CYC is in discussions with the landowners.
- v. Village Walk: a) Loose railing outside school - the Clerk will continue to pursue CYC about this. **YE**
b) Cllr Young reported the presence of giant hogweed near the sub-station.
The landowner will be determined and approached about this. Glyphosates will be required to remove this. **MM, JL**
Elvington Goes Green information will be put on Facebook. **JR**
CYC will be asked to carry out additional road sweeps to prevent weeds growing in the gutters. **CV, YE**
The Parish Council has received £750 from CYC to purchase mechanical equipment for removing weeds.
Cllr Vassie volunteered to walk round the village with Cllrs Moorhouse and Rickard to identify the most serious areas.

098/22 Legacy Project - Cllrs Gallery and Lloyd to meet again.

099/22 Village Events

- i. Queen's Jubilee 2022 - 2nd-5th June 2022 - was a successful event. Letters of thanks will be sent to the sponsors.
- ii. Open Gardens will be held this coming weekend.

100/22 Village Assets

- i. Playpark - the new equipment has been well received.

101/22 Recent and Forthcoming Meetings - None

102/22 Items for Newsletter, Website and Facebook - as mentioned elsewhere.

103/22 Any Other Business:

16 Wheldrake Lane - the Parish Council has been approached by Reeds Rains with a potential purchaser.
Cllr Moorhouse will speak to Cllr Laverack about the correct procedure to be followed. **MM**

104/22 Items to be placed on the next Agenda - to be with the Clerk before Friday 8th July 2022

Date of next Parish Council meeting: Tuesday 19th July 2022 at 7.30pm

Meeting closed at 9.15pm