

ELVINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of the Parish Council held on Tuesday 15th October 2024 at 8.00pm in the Atkin Room, Elvington Village Hall.

MINUTES

127/24 Councillors Present: Cllrs J Laverack (Chair), J Young, J Rickard, S Lloyd.

Co-option of new Councillors:

Emma Yates - proposed: Cllr Lloyd seconded: Cllr Young

Samantha Ware - proposed: Cllr Laverack seconded: Cllr Rickard

All agreed.

128/24 Apologies: Cllr M Moorhouse

129/24 Declaration of Interests: None

130/24 Minutes: To approve the notes of the meeting held on 17th September 2024.

Proposed: Cllr Young Seconded: Cllr Lloyd

131/24 Matters arising from the Minutes not elsewhere on this agenda:

- i. Elvington Lane addresses - no further update
- ii. Email domain change - Cllr Laverack is awaiting confirmation of costs. The Parish Council is eligible for a grant of £100 when setting up an elvingtonpc.gov.uk website and email domain. It will then be necessary to purchase Microsoft 365 for the Parish Councillors. **JL**
- iii. Railings near the bridge - Morrison Utilities have received the metal poles but are now awaiting for the concrete posts.
- iv. Permanent siting of the beacon - Cllr Laverack informed the meeting that the beacon will be sited by Ad Astra on 7th November. The Christmas tree and maypole will use the existing sleeve once the beacon has been removed.
- v. Fence at 4 Algarth Terrace - no further update

132/24 Agenda Items:

- i. YLCA Training Course for New Councillors - Cllrs Laverack and Yates attend the YCLA Branch Meeting on 10th October. They reported that YLCA is willing to do Whole Team Training for Parish Councils. It was agreed that Elvington Parish Council should express an interest in this. **YE**

133/24 Correspondence (in)

(Available from the Clerk)

- i. Public Sector Executive Newsletters
- ii. White Rose Updates
- iii. Voluntary Voice

134/24 Correspondence (out): None

135/24 Financial:

Receipts to note: Precept - £6996.00

Open Gardens - £850.00

Payments to approve: Room Hire - Parish Council - £20.00

- First Responders - £20.00

Grass Cutting - £580.00
Email support - £201.60

Agreed by All

Other Matters: Operating Statement. Bank Statement checked by Councillor.

136/24 Planning Applications:

New Applications:

24/01770/TCA - 4m crown reduction of Fir tree in rear garden - tree in a conservation area - Rusdale, Main Street, Elvington, YO41 4AA

No objections

24/01598/OUTM - Outline application for erection of up to 32no. Dwellings with only access from Becksid - Land to the of Becksid, Elvington for Mrs D Sunderland and Mrs S Wilson.

The Parish Council is supportive of more housing in Elvington, however, not at this location. A discussion was held on the various aspects of the planning application. Cllr Laverack will draft a response and circulate it for comment. **JL**

24/01675/TPO - Fell 2no. Sycamores (T1, T2) and pollard 1no. Ash (T5) with Ash Die Back - trees protected by Tree Preservation CYC 145 - Brinkworth Hall, Elvington Lane, Elvington, YO41 4AT for Mr M Moorhouse.

No objections subject to CYC Arborist approval.

24/01769/TPO - 4m crown reduction all around of 1no. Oak tree protected by Tree Preservation Order CYC104 - 19 White House Grove, Elvington, YO412 4AL for Mrs J Charters

No objections subject to CYC Arborist approval.

Approvals:

24/01510/FUL - Erection of a detached garage - Allenby House Wheldrake Lane Elvington York YO41 4AY for Mr & Mrs Handley

24/01038/FUL - Erection of detached dwelling and double garage following demolition of existing dwelling and outbuildings with associated landscape and access (resubmission) - Merrymoles, Elvington Lane, Elvington, YO41 4AX for Mr A Handley.

24/01460/TCA - Up to 1m crown reduction of 1no. Yew tree in a conservation area- Sycamore Farm, Church Lane, Elvington, YO41 4AD for Mrs Stead

24/01479/TCA - Crown reduce Robinia and remove dead wood from Silver Birch and Yew - Holy Trinity Church, Church Lane, Elvington, YO41 4AD for Mrs Stead.

24/00441/FUL Two storey side and single storey rear extensions - 2 Hopewell Place, Main Street, Elvington, YO41 4AJ

Refusals: None

Withdrawals: None

Other Matters: None

137/24 Highways, Paths and Verges:

i. Verges - Cllr Laverack has taken pictures of the verges near the water leak. He will ask for an update

on a completion date for the repairs. It is hoped that Yorkshire Water will give a grant for the disruption to the school and reparations to the verges.

ii. HGVs - the matter is with CYC.

138/24 Legacy Project - Cllr Lloyd explained to the new Councillors of the wish to set up a digital archive of Elvington history plus a Village Trail of historic and natural interest. He and Cllr Ware will liaise on this. **SL, SW**

139/24 Village Events:

i. Remembrance Day - Sunday 10th November - confirmation of approval to close the road is still awaited from CYC. Cllr Laverack will speak to Yorkshire Water about assistance with the road closure as it is anticipated that they will still be on site. **JL**

The availability of any courses on manning road closures will be looked into.

140/24 Village Assets:

i. Playpark - the Inspection Report is being looked at by Ad Astra. Monies for the upgrade of the Playpark will be built into next year's budget.

ii. The Green - the benches were removed in a timely manner.

141/24 Recent and Forthcoming Meetings:

i. YLCA Branch Meeting - 10th October was attended by Cllrs Laverack and Yates. The frequency of this meeting will now be reduced to 1 per year.

142/24 Items for Newsletter, Website and Facebook:

i. Litetripick - the date has been changed to Sunday 3rd November.

143/24 Urgent Business:

Any other business which the Chair considers urgent under the Local Government Act 1972

144/24 Items to be placed on the next Agenda - to be with the Clerk before Friday 8th November 2024

Date of next Parish Council Meeting: Tuesday 19th November 2024 at 8.00pm

Meeting closed at 9.08pm