

Minutes of a meeting of Hinderwell Parish Council

7th October 2021, 7pm at St Hilda's Old School, Hinderwell

2021:10-00 Those Present

Cllr A Jackson Chair; Cllrs: Walker, Brooker, Smith, C Jackson, Buck, Fowler, Longster, Bailey and Endean. Three members of the public. Carol Barker, Clerk.

2021:10-01 Apologies

Cllrs Watson. Proposed to accept by Cllr C Jackson and seconded by Cllr Longster.

2021:10-02 Declarations of interest

None.

2021:10-03 Minutes of previous meeting

Minutes for September accepted as a true record, proposed Cllr Walker seconded Cllr Bailey.

2021:10-04 Matters arising from previous minutes

Bollards at Staithes Co-op – Finally installed by NYCC after a wait of nearly 4 years.
Milestone at Ellerby - a replacement is currently with Cleveland Corrosion and will be reinstated soon.
Hinderwell Rockery - fallen wall at High Farm, Hinderwell, since May 2019 – NYCC report that despite writing to the landowner asking them to repair their wall they have taken no action. NYCC to contact them again to say that NYCC are to remove the stones.
Port Mulgrave Parking area - Yellow lines have been re-drawn.
Staithes new housing – Open Days were big success – new tenants will be allocated by Beyond Housing very soon.
Vehicle Activated Sign: has been ordered. Hinderwell Old Rectory have agreed to trim their trees.
Runswick Bay Portaloos have been removed after their 8 week term. Clerk has contacted NYMNPA for future funding but their reply was 'no capacity in their toilet budget to fund further projects'.
Traffic Issues on Hinderwell High Street – Awaiting action by NYCC.
Parish Communication: the Facebook page has been well received with over 1400 followers already.

2021:10-05 North Yorkshire Police Report

PCSO Daisy Pennock attended her first HPC meeting. She read out the crime report and answered questions. She had spoken to the abusive resident at Runswick Bay as reported at last meeting. She circulated her contact details and any inconsiderate/obstructive parking could be reported by sending her a photo of the offending vehicle and she could write to the owner. She left forms to report speeding vehicle incidents.

2021:10-06 Reports from Borough/County Councillors

Cllr David Chance has been busy throughout Covid as he is portfolio holder for 'Stronger Communities' and has taken the lead liaising with various support organisations. He has been in regular contact with the Clerk on a number of items. The elections in May 2022 will form a shadow authority in preparation for the new unitary authority starting on 01.04.2023. Danby and Mulgrave will be represented by one County Councillor. If SBC has any debts then NYCC will take them on. Cllr Marion Watson had asked the Clerk to advise that if any resident required sandbags to protect against flooding, she could arrange a delivery.

2021:10-07 Planning Matters

NYM//2021/0686//FL – Toffee Crackle Ho, Staithes: ,Change of use from dwelling to holiday let – Objection as housing stock should be preserved for residents.

NYM/2021/0728/FL- Seaton Hall, Staithes: siting of 6 shepherds huts (re-submission of 2016 permission) – Objection reiterating our 2016 concerns

NYM/2020/0716/FL – 99 High St, Hinderwell: replacement door and 3 x windows – No Objection

NYM/2021/0577/FL – 7 Seaton Close, Staithes – amended plans – No Objection

2021:10-08 Finance - Authorisation of cheques

Payments to the value of £4646.72. Proposed Cllr C Jackson and seconded Cllr Buck.

Interim Audit Control-Cllrs Bailey and Brooker submitted their report – accepted and signed.

2021:10:09 Staithes Bus Shelter - Northbound

Clerk had contacted a Structural Engineer who would visit the shelter and write a report on it.

Cllr Fowler proposed this went ahead, seconded Cllr Longster. Vote taken – all in favour.

2021:10-10 Hinderwell Clock

Clerk reported that Clock stopped on 3 June. NYMNPA Conservation Officer had finally located a Horologist who visited on 28 September and took the clock away for repair. The re-pointing of the clock tower with lime mortar is still in the planning stage and HPC did not want scaffolding on the tower for Remembrance services.

2021:10-11 Section 137 Grant Applications

Clerk read out two applications, one from Seton School towards a new library and the second from Port Mulgrave Residents Group for a De-Fibrillator for Port Mulgrave. Cllrs voted to give £340 to the Port Mulgrave application.

2021:10-12 Runswick Bay Car Parks

Cllr Watson had asked for this to be on the Agenda. Chairman stated that car parks had been in operation all summer and if any resident had a problem with them exceeding planning consent then it was a matter for the NYMNPA Planning Department not HPC.

2021:10-13 Remembrance Sunday 14.11.21

Clerk required consent from Cllrs to purchase two poppy wreaths. All in favour.

Cllr Fowler to present Staithes wreath and Cllr Smith the Hinderwell wreath.

Clerk advised that crocheted or knitted poppies were being made and a net was required to hang them on the War Memorial railings. Cllr Buck to investigate a net and Chairman authorised to spend a reasonable sum on the net.

2021:10-14 Correspondence

Grass cutting beside footpath from Hinderwell High Street to Oakridge School has caused a complaint from resident. Clerk has now secured assurance from SBC that they will cut it in future.

Enquiry re ownership of old Legion building in Hinderwell for possible conversion to Arts Workshop
NYMNPA Planning Training for Cllrs – 21 October at Helmsley

NYMNPA Coastal Area Forum – Loftus Town Hall on 25 October

Queen's Green Canopy Initiative – support is available for anyone wanting to plant a tree.

Car Park at Staithes – Clerk had received two complaints from visitors who had been fined for parking – Clerk had responded that it was not HPC's car park.

2021:10-15 Parish Maintenance

Cllr Longster provided photos of potholes in lower Staithes

Gateway Centre Car Park – fencing needs repairing and cars parking on the grass verge

Large vehicles still entering lower village at Staithes – needs more signage – action req'd by NYCC

Hinderwell Play Park fence needs some repairs – Clerk to progress

HPC's blue chairs in storage at Old School – Clerk to seek new home for them or sell them.

Newton Farm, Hinderwell – asking for a street light shade and a road sign to be moved.

Seaton Crescent, Staithes, Resident claiming verge – SBC may own the land – tell Cllr Watson

Runswick Lane, H'well – uncut verge – NYCC apologised for lack of cut once again

55 Coronation Av, H'well – collapsed pavement - NYCC to repair after a long campaign by HPC

Rotting railings 5-23 Hinderwell High Street, H'well - to be replaced soon, but will be galvanised and then need painting green in the future – Clerk in discussion with NYCC.

Overgrown trees clashing with high vehicles outside High Farm, H'well. – A letter has been sent to landowner by NYCC requesting that they be cut back.

Road Closure- Staithes Lane – from 1 November for cliff stabilisation work for 6 weeks

Road Closure – Rosedale Lane – 1 & 2 November to enable repair work to be made to water pipe outside number 3.

Road Closure – Porrett Lane – between 1 & 2 November for repair work

2021:10-16 To notify Clerk of matters for inclusion on the Agenda for the next meeting

Meeting closed at 8.35pm

Date of Next Meeting: Thursday 4th November 2021, 7pm, St Hilda's Old School, Hinderwell.

Moved By

Seconded by:

Resolved that the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 07.10.2021 having been circulated be taken as read and approved by the Council.

Chairman to sign: