

Minutes of a meeting of Hinderwell Parish Council

2nd December 2021, 7pm at St Hilda's Old School, Hinderwell

2021:12-00 Those Present

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

2021:12-01 Apologies

Cllrs Watson, Wilson, Fowler, Brooker and Bailey. Proposed to accept by Cllr C Jackson and seconded by Cllr Buck.

2021:12-02 Declarations of interest

None.

2021:12-03 Minutes of previous meeting

Minutes for November accepted as a true record, proposed Cllr C Jackson seconded Cllr C Longster.

2021:12-04 Matters arising from previous minutes

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 has written to landowner giving him 14 days to remove the stones from the public highway. If they are not removed then NYCC will remove them and recover the cost from the landowner.

Overhanging trees, High Farm Hinderwell. – NYCC has written to landowner asking him to have overhanging vegetation removed.

Vehicle Activated Sign: has arrived and is working well. Sign to be moved between the three agreed locations at 6 week intervals.

Traffic Issues on Hinderwell High Street – NYCC's final proposals are being drawn up then a consultation process will start.

A714 between H'well and Staithes widening of pavement for wheelchair users – awaiting funding.

Remembrance Services: Hinderwell War Memorial looked great with its poppies and both wreaths were presented on Sunday 14th November.

Dalehouse - Dog poo bag dispenser – waiting to see if SBC will provide a bin.

Hinderwell Clock broken again after only 2 weeks – pointers have been removed for repair.

Christmas Decorations Competition – entries coming in slowly.

2021:12-05 North Yorkshire Police Report

PCSO Daisy Pennock and colleague arrived in time to distribute the report and after answering Councillors' questions, left.

2021:12-06 Reports from Borough/County Councillors

None received.

2021:12-07 Planning Matters

NYM//2021/0930/FL – 130 High St, Hinderwell – single storey extension - No objection.

NYM/2021/0933/FL- 21 Rosedale Lane, Port Mulgrave – first floor extension - No Objection.

2021:12-08 Finance - Authorisation of cheques

Payments to the value of £3559.38. Proposed Cllr C Jackson and seconded Cllr Smith.

Clerk advised that she had recently gained 3 x grants from NYMNPA for a value of £1960.

Pavement bollards at both Staithes and Hinderwell had been predicted to cost £1,000 each site, but the Clerk had negotiated both down to £500 each.

Recent fundraising from the Co-Op Community Fund had raised £1294 towards outdoor play equipment.

2021:12:09 Staithes Bus Shelter - Northbound

Structural Engineer's report had been circulated. The report raised issues over its safety and long term viability.

Clerk to talk to NYCC Highways concerning their requirements, firstly re repairs and secondly for a re-build. Clerk to ask NYMNPA if planning consent is required.

2021:12:10 Cemetery Grass Cutting Tenders 2022-23-24

Tenders were opened. One was not complete and as there was a price difference, Chairman deferred decision to January meeting when all documentation should be in place.

2021:12-11 Correspondence

Councillors read legal advice re vexatious emails and an amendment was made to include 'any correspondence by emails or any similar written medium'. Vote taken: Majority in favour.

TV Reception: Clerk continues to be in touch with Arqiva and other Parish Councils. In adequate customer service from Arqiva. Clerk to continue to press for more action from Arqiva.

Northern Powergrid to install low voltage cables underground in lower Staithes in future. Clerk to advise them of road closure in January 2022.

Email read out from Kirk Cottage, Staithes re recently erected fence. Clerk to reply that this is a planning and civil matter and beyond HPC's remit.

Email re street furniture blocking the pavement in lower Staithes - Clerk to advise NYCC Highways.

2021:12-12 Parish Maintenance

Blocked roadside grates outside 154 High Street, Hinderwell and on Coronation Avenue Hinderwell, following recent wet weather – Clerk to inform NYCC Highways.

The new pavement railings between 5 and 21 High Street Hinderwell were a big improvement, but Clerk to inform NYCC Highways that water was accumulating in the holes at their base.

Replacement sign for Hinderwell Play Park will be installed by Cllr Walker

Road sign outside Newton Farm had been inspected by NYCC Highways and no fault found.

2021:12-13 Chairman's Statement

Cllr Arthur Jackson advised the Council that following over 15 years service, 8 as Chairman, that he intended to retire from the Council in May 2022, as he felt he could not give the commitment required in the future especially with the changes ahead implementing the unitary authority.

2021:12-14 To notify Clerk of matters for inclusion on the Agenda for the next meeting

Budget for 2022-23.

Grass cutting Tenders

Remembrance Day Service

Meeting closed at 8.30pm

Date of Next Meeting: Thursday 6th January 2022, 7pm, St Hilda's Old School, Hinderwell.

Moved By

Seconded by:

Resolved that the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 02.12.2021 having been circulated be taken as read and approved by the Council.

Chairman to sign: