

# **Minutes of a meeting of Hinderwell Parish Council**

## **4<sup>th</sup> May 2023, 6.45pm at St Hilda's Old School, Hinderwell**

### **2023:05-00 Those Present**

Cllr I Walker, Chair. Cllrs: Smith, Brooker, Jackson, Bailey, Endean, I Longster, J Longster and Ellis.  
Cllr D Chance (NYC). Mrs C Barker, Clerk, One member of the public was present.

### **2023:05-01 To receive apologies for absence and approve reasons for absence**

Cllr Brew sent apologies. Proposed to accept Cllr Jackson, seconded by Cllr Endean.

### **2023:05-02 Declarations of interest**

None.

### **2023:05-03 Minutes of previous meeting**

Minutes for the April meeting of the Council accepted as a true record. Proposed Cllr Jackson, seconded Cllr Bailey.

### **2023:05-04 Matters arising from previous minutes**

Clerk reported that Kate Houghton was due to visit local primary schools re play area updates. Clerk had submitted a Planning Application for renewal of Planning Permission for the Parish Office. Chair and Vice Chair had moved the seat in Hinderwell's play park and inspected the wooden seat at Newton Lane End. The seat was sound and useable. It will be replaced with a recycled plastic one, in line with HPC's policy, when funds allow.

### **2023:05-05 Report from County Councillor David Chance**

The merger of 8 council into one had gone ahead with no real issues. Glitches had been found with the communication systems – Websites and Phone systems, but working through this. The new telephone number for all services will be 0300 131 2 131.

NYC now hoped to make savings of £35million, minimum, as only 90 Councillors not 350. New Community Network groups will be formed that are non political and made up from elected groups.

### **2023:05-06 Planning Matters**

NYM/2023/0164: 12 Runswick Lane, H'well: two storey extn & parking on front garden - No objn.

NYM/2023/0193: Store, Lion Yard, Staithes: conversion of store to form one open market dwelling: Object as Cllrs want a local restriction on it to secure it for local residency.

NYM/2023/0213: Garr End cottage, Garth End, Staithes: change of colour of windows – Object Cllrs want windows to retain character of the village.

NYM/2023/0218: 18 Runswick Lane, H'well: alterations to fenestration and patio doors- no objection.

NYM/2023/0226: 5 High Street, H'well: siting of HPC office for a further 5 years- No objection

### **2023:05-07 Finance - Authorisation of cheques**

Payments to the value of £4140.76. Proposed Cllr Jackson and seconded Cllr Smith.

### **2023:05-08 Annual Governance Statement & Annual Accounting Statement**

Internal Auditor had visited and inspected documents and procedures and all in order.

Both statements were read and approved. Vote taken. All in favour – Cllr Ellis declined to vote.

Both statements signed by Chairman.

Dates for Exercise of Public Rights set for 5.06.23 to 14.07.23.

Cllr Ellis wanted notices re Public Rights in all 8 notice boards, but overruled by Chairman. Clerk to put on website and 2 x main notice boards.

### **2023:05-09 Boulby Mine Funding**

Chairman and Clerk had met with Sharron Sumner of NYMNPA as she has Section 106 funding of £5 million. This funding has been ring fenced by NYMNPA to be used to support the tourism industry - not for local residents. There could be the opportunity for a re-vamp of Staithes play park as it is next to visitor's car park. HPC hopes that this funding could be used to pay for widening of footpaths Runswick/Hinderwell and Hinderwell/Staithes - but we need to say that these are used by tourists. Chairman and Clerk to pursue this funding.

### **2023:05-10 Annual Parish Meeting 11 May**

Chairman reported that his invitation to local groups to attend the meeting had been well received. Error by Chairman over date, so Clerk to advise that date is 11<sup>th</sup> May.

### **2023:05-11 Adoption of NYC's Code of Conduct**

Chairman proposed that HPC adopt NYC's Code of Conduct now that Scarborough Borough Council no longer exists. Seconded Cllr Smith. Vote taken. All in favour. Cllr Ellis declined to vote.

### **2023:05-12 Coronation Plans**

Clerk and Vice Chair have produced a flier for the Coronation Ramble which has been distributed around the villages and been well received. Chair and Vice Chair to put out signs on the route. Raffle prizes for Ovarian Cancer Action have been received from seven Councillors and the public.

### **2023:05-13 Parish Maintenance**

Cllr I Longster brought photos of poor road surface at Bell's Bank. Staithes – Clerk to forward to NYC Highways.

Cllr J Longster reported that poor lighting at boat park in Staithes is permitting anti-social behaviour, Clerk to ask NYC if a new light could be erected in this dark corner of the Gateway Centre car park. Chair read out response from NYC Highways – They are still no closer to putting down double yellow lines in Hinderwell – HPC very disappointed.

Water leak on Rosedale Lane, P Mulgrave : NYC say they will now drill test holes.

Moor View, Hinderwell – Beyond Housing has missed cutting certain areas of grass – Clerk to action.

Sewage leak for second time in 5 weeks at Dalehouse – Clerk contacted Y Water.

### **2023:05-14 Correspondence**

NYMNPA have agreed to increase funding for the Village Caretaker by 10% (£250).

### **2023:05-15 To notify Clerk of matters for inclusion on the Agenda for the next meeting**

Meeting closed at 8.20pm

Date of Next Meeting: Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> June 2023, 6.45pm, St Hilda's Old School, Hinderwell.

Moved By

Seconded by:

Resolved that the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 04.05.2023 having been circulated be taken as read and approved by the Council.

Chairman to sign: