

**Minutes of a meeting of Hinderwell Parish Council**  
**11<sup>th</sup> January 2024, 6.45pm at St Hilda's Old School, Hinderwell**

**Chairman welcomed Jane Kilpatrick and Mark Dorgan to the Council**

**2024:01-00 Those Present**

Cllr I Walker, Chair. Cllrs: Smith, Brooker, Buck, Jackson, Endean, J Longster, I Longster, Dorgan, Kilpatrick, and Ellis. Cllr David Chance NYC. Mrs C Barker, Clerk. One member of the public.

**2024:01-01 To receive apologies for absence and approve reasons for absence**

None – all present.

**2024:101-02 Declarations of interest**

None.

**2024:01-03 Minutes of previous meetings**

Minutes of the December meeting of the Council were accepted as a true record. Proposed Cllr Smith, Seconded Cllr Jackson.

**2024:01-04 Matters arising from previous minutes**

Hinderwell Cemetery - Jonathan Bramley of NYC awaiting legal advice before he can respond fully.

Hinderwell's Double Yellow Lines - NYC Highways update stating that a new report has been written (7 weeks to do this) and is being checked before a new consultation exercise will start. Chairman was disappointed that the consultation process had to be carried out again further delaying the scheme when only one resident had objected to the proposal

Boulby 106 funding has finally paid for the 2 seats at Staithes.

Hedge Lingrow Close, R Bay: Highways have sent landowner 3 written requests and it now has gone to North Yorkshire Council's Legal team to pursue.

Drains blocked all over the parish - Clerk has been advising NYC Highways of locations.

NYC Engineer had phoned Clerk to advise that they were working on plans to widen footpath H'well to Staithes very shortly and would be incorporating drains to take water run off from fields alongside path.

Northern Powergrid meeting at Staithes re works in lower village was attended by Cllr Jane Longster. She reported that they were way behind with planned work and very little communication with the real residents – Clerk to contact NPG and relay our concerns.

**2024:01-05 Report from North Yorkshire County Councillor David Chance**

Cllr David Chance spoke re delays for Hinderwell's Double Yellow Lines and said there was nothing HPC/NYC could do to speed up the process – it will take as long as it takes - which is very disappointing.

**2024:01-06 Planning Matters**

NYM/2023/0816: 50 Rosedale Lane – construction of garden room on gable end. Plans fail to show existing letterbox and notice board. HPC need to know what planned location will be and homeowner to pay for movement of notice board to a location that satisfies HPC.

NYM/2023/2023/0817: East View, High St, Staithes: replacement garage doors (retrospective) – No objections.

NYM/2023/0798: Hillcrest, R Bay- construction of side extn, steps, patio etc – No objection.

NYM/2023/0838: 22 Rosedale Lane- dormer, roof lights and flue – No objections

NYM/2023/0858: Seaton Hall Farm - holiday let to dual use as holiday let/local occupancy – No objections.

NYM/2023/0107 – Phone mast at Gateway Centre Garages, Staithes – appeal to Secretary of State has failed, so refusal is upheld.

**2024:01-07 Finance: Authorisation of payments**

Payments totaling £2789.38 were approved. Proposed Cllr Jackson, seconded Cllr Endean.

**2024:01-08 Co-option of Councillor**

Chairman read out application from Elizabeth Wilson of Staithes. Cllrs in favour of acceptance. Vote taken – Cllr Ellis declined to vote.

**2024:01-09 Staithes Bus Shelter northbound.**

Chairman proposed to ask NYMNPA for Boulby 106 funding to solve the damp problems and maybe install artwork or tourist information to shelter – to improve it as currently an eyesore. Discussion re proposals, but anything would be an improvement.

**2024:01-10 Hinderwell Play Park**

HPC had agreed in December to apply for a £15,000 loan to fund new equipment. HPC has 3 quotes to choose from, so Clerk will send them out to Cllrs to look at fully and come back to February meeting to make a decision. Cllr Ellis still not happy that HPC spending money and wanted further consultation. Chairman stated that we had consulted widely already and stalling again would not help.

**2024:01-11 Parish Maintenance**

Hinderwell's new Village Caretaker – Cllr Brooker stated he was doing a good job.  
Brown's Terrace, Hinderwell – huge pothole – Clerk already reported this last week  
A174 opp Endeavour Close – 3 street lights out – reported but no action yet. Clerk to re-report.  
Co-op Staithes and Gateway car park – Salvation Army clothes bank regularly overflowing – Clerk to ask for them to be emptied on a more regular basis.  
Boat Park, Gateway Centre, needs more lighting and police monitoring as vandals causing problems in and around the boats.  
Hinderwell war memorial – overgrown tree now trimmed back.  
Pavements around clock need sweeping – Clerk has asked village caretaker to do this  
A174 – Seton Hall corner – hedge blocking hazard signs  
H'well High St/Runswick Lane junction – old fingerpost sign to be reinstated – not necessary but OK if no cost to HPC.  
Staithes bus shelter southbound. Seating broken - repairs required.

**2024:01-14 Correspondence**

NYC : Free Home Upgrades – poster to go in noticeboards and on Facebook

**2024:01-15 To notify Clerk of matters for inclusion on the Agenda for the next meeting**

Meeting closed at 8.00pm

Date of Next Meeting:

Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> February 2024- Full Council meeting 6.45pm at St Hilda's Old School, Hinderwell.

Moved By

Seconded by:

Resolved that the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 11.01.2024 having been circulated be taken as read and approved by the Council.

Chairman to sign: