

ASHBY CUM FENBY PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON MONDAY 4TH APRIL 2022 AT 7.00PM IN THE CHURCH HALL, MAIN ROAD, ASHBY CUM FENBY

Present: Cllr John Shaw Cllr Jane Thomson
Cllr Nick Pettigrew Cllr Mark Richardson
Cllr Philip Jackson (NELC)

In Attendance: Kim Kirkham Parish Clerk

22/001 To receive apologies from Members not able to attend the meeting.

Apologies were received from Cllrs D Hornby and C Shaw

22/002 Declaration of Interest (Model Code of Conduct Order 2012).

- (a) To record declaration of interest by any member of the Parish Council in respect of the agenda items listed below. Members declaring interest should identify the agenda item and type of interest being declared – Cllr Pettigrew declared an interest in item 22/006 Whitsend Farm.
- (b) To note dispensation's given to any member of the council in respect of the agenda items listed below – None received.

22/003 Questions raised by members of the public on agenda items (15 minutes).

None in attendance.

22/004 To approve the Minutes of the Meetings held on 7th March 2022.

To consider and approve the minutes of the meeting held on 7th March 2022.

RESOLVED: The minutes were approved as a true record and the Chair signed them.

22/005 Police Report

The Police were unable to attend the meeting, but a Police Report was submitted. There have been twenty-six crimes reported in the Waltham Ward. **RESOLVED: Clerk to place Police Report on the Notice Board.**

22/006 Highways / Public Footpaths / Items Carried Forward:

- 09/104 Whitsend Farm – Clerk advised that an update had not been received in time for the meeting. Ongoing.
- 20/072 FP89 Safety Issues – Clerk advised that the footpath officer has confirmed that he has recently had a meeting to discuss public footpath 89 and options that could be implemented are being looked at. Noted.
- 21/0554-5 Village Green – Clerk advised that the TPO application is now on NELC planning portal. Noted.

- 21/112-1 Queens Platinum Jubilee – Sunday 5th June 2022. Clerk advised that three residents have volunteered to help. Councillors discussed costs and agreed ticket price at £12 per adult, £6 per child up to 12 years and under 5's free. **Resolved: Clerk to contact Mr & Mrs Guest to arrange a meeting before May's meeting. Create a poster and place on the notice boards and in the telephone kiosk informing residents when tickets can be purchased.**
- 21/124-1 Grass Cutting – **Resolved: The Parish Council noted that Alexander Gardens have completed the first cut on the village green.**
- 21/124-3 Newsletter – The Parish Council discussed and agreed date for hand delivering the newsletter. **Resolved: Clerk to print newsletter and deliver to Councillors before Easter**
- 21/136-2 Great British Spring Clean – 26th March 2022. **Resolved: The Chair thanked Cllr Thomson for representing the Parish Council. A huge thank you to four residents who also turned up on the day.**

22/007 Items for Discussion

1. Defibrillator – The pads and battery have been ordered and await delivery. Noted.
2. SSE Renewal Contract – Clerk advised that the contract for supply of electric was up for renewal which has increased by £2.07 per month. **Resolved: The Parish Council approved the renewal.**
3. Telephone Box – Clerk advised that the telephone box required some maintenance work as the paint was flaking off and rust is showing. **Clerk to obtain quotes.**

22/008 Planning Matters

Application Received:

- a) DM/0140/22/FUL – The Stables, Ashby Hill, Ashby cum Fenby. Retrospective temporary change of use of land to site residential caravan for one year during construction of the dwellinghouse approved under DM/0082/21/FUL. **Resolved: The Parish Council reviewed the plans and raised no objections.**

22/009 Clerk's Report - To receive and report any correspondence from Councillors or Members of the Public for consideration at the meeting.

1. New Clerk's contract was signed by the Chair. Councillors discussed possibility of providing a mobile phone and agreed contact should be via email and would review the position. Pension was also discussed. Noted.
2. NALC's smaller Councils Committee have written to smaller councils to ask what issues of relevance to them they would like the committee to address and the services they would like NALC to provide. Noted.
3. ERNLLCA has advised that Chairman's allowance cannot be used for donations. Noted
4. Environmental initiatives and what assistance NELC can supply has been discussed and to see if Parishes are interested in attending a meeting. Noted.

22/010 Future Dates

- Date of Next Meeting – **Monday 9th May 2022 at 7.30pm in the Church Hall and the Annual Parish Meeting.**
- Planning Committee Meeting – Wednesday 27th April 2022 at 9.30am in Grimsby Town Hall.
- Mayors Civic Service – Sunday 10th April 2022 in Grimsby Minster at 1pm.

22/011 Finance

- a) To receive a Finance Review – Quarter 4 reconciliation was given to Councillors and explained by the clerk.
- b) To receive year end information from the Clerk for all necessary year-end financial procedures and agree necessary actions. Clerk advised that all paperwork for the audit requires approval before the end of June 2022. **Resolved: Clerk to action necessary paperwork and scheduled to comply with audit process.**

- To receive a list of Accounts payable up to 4th April 2022 and approve their payment:

- 1) Kim Kirkham – Salary £143.00
- 2) Kim Kirkham – Mileage £6.75
- 3) Best Kept Village Competition £30.00
- 4) Southern Electric – Telephone Box electric supply £14.20
- 5) ERNLLCA – Membership Renewal £279.98

RESOLVED: Accounts approved for payment.

The meeting closed at 20.40

Prepared by: - Kim Kirkham, Parish Clerk

Approved by: _____

These minutes are subject to approval at the next meeting of the Parish Council.



Local Community News

Protecting Communities, Targeting Criminals, Making a Difference

Waltham, Brigsley & Ashby-cum-Fenby April Update

Crime

There were 26 crimes reported during March for the Waltham Ward. Of these, the following offences have occurred.

An attempt burglary took place at a property on Atkinson Lane where two suspects have climbed into a garden and opened the door of an outbuilding. The suspects were disturbed and made off before gaining entry.

There have been five reports of damage. A car parked at its home address on Cheapside, on separate occasions has had paint stripper poured over the bodywork and the car was set alight.

A padlock on security gates at a property on Cheapside was damaged after being forced to gain entry. Damage caused as a result of a domestic incident.

Other crime includes:

Eleven assaults, eight of which are the same child offender against other family members. Police and other agencies are dealing with this child.

Four offences of sending malicious communications. Three reports of harassment

One shop theft all from the Spar.

There have been five reports of ASB.

Youths causing issues on Kirkgate x2.

Youths parked in a car playing loud music on Woodhall Drive.

Youths throwing stones at passing cars on Fairway.

Youths causing issues at the rear of the Co-Op during the early hours.

How you can help

Your local Neighbourhood Policing Team appreciates the importance of being in the right place, at the right time, for the right reasons to reassure the public, improve public confidence and reduce crime and anti-social behaviour in the area which we all live and work.

We encourage all residents to call and report any issues where they live so that we can deal with any issues and step up our patrols in the area. The number to call for non-emergency issues is 101.

If you feel there are issues in your community that your local Police should be prioritising, please inform your local officers or the local Parish Council.

The named officers for Waltham Ward are:

PC 2056 Chris Skelton christopher.skelton@humberside.pnn.police.uk

PCSO 7536 April Haynes april.haynes@humberside.pnn.police.uk