

Ulleskelf Parish Council
Meeting 10 of 2021/2022 – 10th February 2022

Present: Councillors Martin Doolan, Andrew Lowe, Gary Burton, Mick Parnaby, Andy Haw, David Parkes, Rachel Glynn, Debra Grace PUSH Committee secretary and the Clerk.

186/22 APOLOGIES – None

187/22 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST – Councillor Burton declared an interest in item 201/22 and did not take part in the decision.

188/22 MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC TO SPEAK – None

189/22 MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING – The minutes of the meeting held on 13th January 2022 were approved as a true record, subject to removing the word bench from item 177/22.

190/22 CLERKS REPORT – 205/21. Hallgarth Drain – No further update has been provided.

206/21. Cherry Tree Drain – The tender for a contractor is expected to be published at the end of February and work is expected to commence on the repairs in May.

81/22.3. Garage doors in poor state of repair – Action: Councillor Parnaby to progress

191/22 STREET LIGHTS – It was reported that LP5 on Church Fenton Lane is still not working and the old streetlight columns have not yet been removed. Action: Clerk to chase. The site meeting with the contractor to discuss what can be done to improve the lighting on the bridge is to be arranged.

192/22 SPORTSFIELD/PLAY FACILITIES - 192/22.1. Children's play area and gym equipment repairs – Still waiting for Playscheme to complete the outstanding repairs. Action: Councillor Burton to chase

192/22.2. Sports field development – Action: Councillor Parnaby will ask Network rail about the possibility of using their electricity connection when meeting with them on 16th March

192/22.3. MUGA Lighting – A proposal was presented by Debra Grace to replace the MUGA Lighting with LED lights which use 50% less electricity and reduce CO2 emissions. Resolved: To approve the replacement but enquire with the football club if double headers would be beneficial on the two facing the sports field and to look for grant funding for it. Action: Debra Grace to enquire with the football club and obtain revised quotes. Councillor Glynn to enquire about funding

192/22.4. Other – It was reported that there are potholes in the car park. Action: Councillor Parnaby to ask Network Rail if they would re-instate it.

It was reported that moles are causing a problem on the sports field. Resolved: To hire a molecatcher. Action: Councillor Burton to progress

193/22 SPORTS AND SOCIAL CLUB – They will be holding a Call my Bluff Wine Tasting evening on Saturday 19th March and a Platinum Jubilee Garden Party on the sports field on Sunday 5th June.

194/22 VILLAGE HALL – 194/22.1. Broadband – Resolved: To stay with Talk-Talk but ask if they can offer a better deal.

194/22.2. Other – No other updates reported.

195/22 CHURCH FENTON AIRBASE – 195/22.1. Sports field purchase proposal – Still no response received.

195/22.2. Other – No other updates reported

196/22 HIGHWAYS – A meeting has been arranged for 1st March

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- 197/22 SELBY AND DISTRICT RAIL USERS GROUP** – The service is still running at 75%.
- 198/22 VILLAGE GREEN** – The meeting with the Sports and Social Club Chair did not go ahead due to a holiday. Councillor Burton has prepared drawings and will bring quotes for consideration at the next meeting.
- 199/22 NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN** – David Gluck advised that he would work on it this month
Action: Clerk to request that he attends the next meeting to report back to the Council
- 200/22 NEW ROAD SHELTER PROPOSAL** – Volkerrail have agreed to provide the base free of charge. Action: Councillor Parnaby to progress. Resolved: To approve bottle green for the colour of the shelter and seats. Action: Clerk to progress the order
- 201/22 GARAGE RENTAL** – Resolved: To reduce the monthly rent to £20, due to it being used to store equipment used for parish council business.
Action: Councillor Parnaby to obtain quotes to put a base in
- 202/22 PLANNING – 202/22.1. 2021/1218/HPA - Erection of single storey front porch and front extension at 3 Little Ings Close, Church Fenton** – Permission granted.
202/22.2. 2021/1173/HPA - Erection of house front, side and rear single storey extensions at Cutters End, Wath Lane, Ulleskelf - Permission granted.
- 203/22 FINANCE - 203/22.1. Accounts –**

Payments

No	Item/Payee	Chq No.	Voucher No.	Net £	VAT £	Total £
1	Talk Talk - broadband	DD	PV83/21	25.66	0.00	25.66
2	Park Cleaner - February	000213	PV84/21	30.00	0.00	30.00
3	Clerks Salary - January	000214	PV85/21	327.60	0.00	327.60
4	Clerks printing costs	000214	PV86/21	1.27	0.00	1.27
	Total			384.53	0.00	384.53

Receipts

No	Item/Payee	Voucher No.	Total £
1	Garage rental Jan	RV22/21	30.00
	Total		30.00

The balance at bank after all payments and receipts is £169,001.46

203/22.2. Online banking – The other signatories and the Clerk have now been set-up and a smart card and card reader ordered to enable them to activate their accounts.
Action: Other signatories and the Clerk to activate their accounts.

203/22.3. Bank Mandate – Resolved: To remove Avis Thomas from the mandate

203/22.4. Savings account – Resolved: To set up a savings account with Redwood Bank.

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- 204/22 YLCA CORRESPONDENCE - 204/22.1. White Rose updates** – The latest news and guidance were noted.
- 204/22.2. Training E-bulletins** – The training available was noted.
- 204/22.3. Selby Branch Meeting Wednesday 9th February** – Councillor Glynn was unable to attend.
- 204/22.4. The Queen's Platinum Jubilee 2022** – The updates were noted
- 204/22.5. Breakthrough Communications** – Social media health check not required.
- 205/19.6. Draft structural order for the North Yorkshire Council** – Noted
- 205/19.7. YLCA Remote Conference 25 March** – Noted.
- 205/22 CORRESPONDENCE - 205/22.1. SDAVS Coronavirus updates** – The regular updates from organisations and community groups were noted.
- 205/22.2. Community First Yorkshire** – The newsletters and funding bulletin were noted.
- 205/22.3. Rural Services Network** – The latest news and information were noted.
- 205/22.4. 20s Plenty Campaign** - The update on the campaign was noted.
- 205/22.5. Complaint about the Network Rail generator** – Resolved: To write to network rail raising concerns about the impact on the sightline and the colour of the fence and copy in the Highways department. Action: Councillor Burton to draft.
- 206/22 SDC CORRESPONDENCE – 206/22.1 Gambling and Taxi Licensing Policy Consultations** – No comments required.
- 207/22 MINOR MATTERS AND AGENDA ITEMS FOR THE NEXT MEETING – 207/22.1. Grass cutting** – Councillor Burton will check if the grass cutter is willing to continue for another year.
- 207/22.2. Zoom** – The subscription does not need to be renewed.