

GUNTHORPE PARISH COUNCIL

DRAFT Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting on Wednesday 26th January 2022 at 7.15pm
in Gunthorpe Village Hall

Apologies – Cllr Jeffrey

20.09.01 Present Cllr Everington (Chair) Cllr Cope, Cllr Platten, Cllr Hill, Cllr Milward, Cllr Severn

20.09.02 In attendance: Yvonne Greenfield Parish Clerk

Declaration of Interests - None

20.09.03 Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on Wednesday 22nd December 2021

Approval: -

Each Councillor had the Minutes sent to them for approval. The minutes of the meeting were proposed by the Chairman Cllr Everington and passed unanimously

20.09.04 Open Session for the Public - None

20.09.05 Highways and other County Matters – Two gangs of workers employed on pothole repair works, an extra £12 million pounds has been allocated.
Parking near Shaney's Field and the traffic incidents caused was discussed, The Clerk to contact Sean Brown from VIA and request a site visit and suggest yellow lines on Main Street

20.09.06 Newark and Sherwood District Council Matters – Gunthorpe Parish Council are still dissatisfied with the result of the Planning Enforcements Officers report about developments on Shaney's Field.

20.09.07 Environmental Matters

Cllr Platten reported a very successful meeting with Matt Duckworth. Matt to arrange meeting with EA and feedback. Concerns about overhanging trees preventing clearance work on A6097 dyke, a working party was discussed. Clerk to report overgrown verge along the A6097 from Gunthorpe Bridge to Main Street turning

The safety railings along Trentside and the slip road to Gunthorpe Bridge have still not been repaired Clerk to chase.

Clerk to contact NSDC Enforcement Officers regarding Dogs on Leads signs for the riverside and playpark.

20.09.08 Anglers and Fishermens Working Group

No meeting held Update gate access to be reviewed in the future.

20.09.09 Riverside Project, Gravel Extraction and Flood Alleviation

Communication from Marstons discussed, copy of letter passed to the Clerk from the Chairman. Cllr Platten to speak to them again.

Riverside group are looking into funding to make tree plantation a nature reserve. Funding stream available. The Parish Council voted unanimously to support the plan.

The Solicitor thanked the Chairman for GPC cheque for NCC work. Cllr Everington asked Cllr Jackson if the terms of the agreement could roll over after seven years rather than have to be renewed.

Queens jubilee information, beacon plans circulated by the clerk, Siting at the village hall field was discussed. Green Canopy information for the Queens Jubilee was sent to Cllr Platten.

A request from the Clerk for Cllr Milfield to provide a plan of the path across the fields at the back of Trentside as a route for residents to escape flooding if required (Part of EA flood plan)

20.09.10 Correspondence - Circulated

20.09.11 Planning -

New Applications – None

Decisions- To note District Council planning – None

20.09.12 Village Hall and Playing Fields - Cllr Severn thanked Cllr Jackson for the latest grant from NSDC due to Covid effects. The Village Hall committee are planning a programme of events through the year, an Easter event a 'Village Trail', Queens Jubilee, Halloween, Bonfire Night and Xmas Party. They have also applied for a full bar licence. Cllr Jackson made a donation of £300 towards the events.

20.09.13 Financial and Administration -

Monthly financial statement, cheque list and accounts year to date, Circulated to all Councillors and agreed, Cheque payments list agreed. The PWLB load was discussed, with regards to balance of the account. Cllr Platten not receiving any minutes, information etc. Clerk circulates to all members of the Parish Council and has had no notice of them bouncing,

20.09.14 NSDC Precept options discussed, it was decided unanimously to request a 5% increase, in line with NCC

20.19.15 It was noted that Tom Browns Restaurant has been sold. One of the village defibrillators is sited on the boundary wall of the premises, it might be a problem if it had to be moved.

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Any photographs to be sent to Paul Jeffery for the website

Next Parish Council Meeting Wednesday 23rd February 2022 7.15pm

Meeting closed 8.30 pm

Signed ----- Date -----

Chairman of Gunthorpe Parish Council

