

Doddington and Whisby Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held at the Grain Store Café at Doddington Hall on 06 January 2025 at 7pm

Agenda Item		Action by
Welcome	Councillor Hall welcomed everyone to the meeting	
Public Time Min. No.2025.01.01	<p>No members of the public were in attendance.</p> <p>District Councillor Meryn Head had been invited to give a presentation on climate change and building community resilience.</p> <p>Councillor Hall thanked Cllr Head for his very informative presentation and suggested this should be put on the next agenda and asked everyone to bring ideas of how the Parish Council could move forward with this to the next meeting.</p>	All
County/District Council Updates Min.No 2025.01.02	<p>District Councillor Johnston advised that currently there was some confusion regarding the devolution project and the next elections and advised he would update the Parish Council with any updates when available.</p> <p>District Councillor Goldson advised that he had made enquiries with the Lincolnshire Road Safety Partnership (LRSP) regarding the number of serious accidents at the Doddington Road/Black Lane crossroads and had received a response advising that the AIP team within LRSP are aware of the personal injury collision history at this crossroads and currently have an ongoing cluster analysis investigation into this site and will be drawing up plans soon for low-cost Local Safety Scheme intervention measures. Updates will be given when available.</p>	
Formal Session	Formal session commenced at 7:50pm	
Present Min. No. 2025.01.03	Councillor's (Cllr's) Beale, Cunliffe, Hall (Chair), Whiles (Vice Chair) Kerrie Vickers (Parish Clerk).	
Apologies Min. No. 2025.01.04	Cllr Hollingworth	
Declarations of Interest Min. No. 2025.01.05	<p>To receive Declarations of Interest In accordance with The Localism Act 2011 –</p> <p>None</p>	
Minutes of Previous Meeting Min. No. 2025.01.06	Notes taken at the previous Parish Council Meeting on 04 November 2024 were approved as a true record of events and signed by the Chair.	

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Finance Report Min. No. 2025.01.07	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The payments as per Appendix A section i were noted and agreed. • The year-to-date budget as per Appendix A section ii was noted. • The parish precept for 2025/26 was agreed at £6750. 	
CIL Funds Min. No. 2025.01.08	<p>The Parish Clerk advised that the deadline for the CIL funds of £3978.75 is 24/04/2025.</p> <p>It was unanimously agreed to update the 6 streetlight lanterns to LEDs at a cost of £350 per lantern.</p> <p>It was unanimously agreed to purchase a thermal imaging camera following the presentation on climate change to be made available to the parishioners.</p> <p>It was unanimously agreed to pursue the village gateway/signage proposal. Cllr Hall advised she would speak to the maintenance team at Doddington Hall to enquire if they would be able to assist with this matter.</p>	<p>Parish Clerk</p> <p>Parish Clerk</p> <p>Cllr Hall</p>
Planning Min. No. 2025.01.09	RH/404 Whisby Crossroads - Proposed Reduction in Speed Limit. No comments or concerns.	
Clerk and Councillors reports Min. No. 2025.01.10	<p>i. Flooding. Cllr Hall advised that she had attended a meeting with LCC Highways and the residents on Eagle Lane along with Cllr Briggs to discuss the flooding issue. Interim measures were agreed. The bigger scheme would depend on the ongoing bidding process for works and could take up to 2 years.</p> <p>ii Temporary Crossing. Permission has been granted. Surveys for residents and visitors to Doddington Hall to be done.</p> <p>iii VE Day Celebrations. Everyone was asked to bring ideas to the next meeting.</p>	<p>Cllrs Hall & Hollingworth and Parish Clerk</p> <p>All</p>
Correspondence Min. No. 2024.11.11	<p>i Safety mirror request. The Parish Clerk advised that she had received a response from LCC Highways explaining they would not give formal permission to install a safety mirror and advised alternative methods for improving visibility. Cllr Hall to report back to the resident.</p> <p>ii The Parish Clerk advised that she had received a Freedom of Information request regarding communication from a company named Bioenergy. The clerk advised that the Parish Council has not received any communication, and she would respond to the FOI accordingly.</p>	<p>Cllr Hall</p> <p>Parish Clerk</p>
Date of Next Meeting Min. No. 2024.11.12	03 March 2025	
	Cllr Hall thanked everyone for their attendance and contributions and the meeting closed at 8.20pm	

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Appendix A**i. Items of expenditure**

24.10.2024	Direct Debit	Npower	Streetlight electricity	-45.21
25.10.2024	BACs	K Vickers	Salary	-222.08
31.10.2024	Service Charge	Unity Trust Bank	Service charge	-5.40
26.11.2024	BACs	Npower	Streetlight electricity	-48.90
28.11.2024	BACs	K Vickers	Salary	-245.80
30.11.2024	Service Charge	Unity Trust Bank	Service charge	-6.00
10.12.2024	BACs	Npower	Streetlight electricity	-57.07
10.12.2024	BACs	Eon Energy	Streetlight maintenance	-44.40
16.12.2024	transfer	transfer	transfer to savings account	-24,284.24
27.12.2024	BACs	K Vickers	Salary	-246.00

ii Budget position

Expenditure	Budget	Actual
Salaries/expenses	4350	-2,004.02
Expenses	300	-75.00
Maintenance	2910	-557.72
Fee's/Subscriptions	710	-143.39
Insurance	400	-496.75
Office Running Costs	500	0.00
Election Costs	200	0.00
S137 Expenditure	30	-100.00
CIL		0.00
	9400	0.00
		-3,376.88
Income		
Precept		9,400.00
Other receipts		0.00
		9,400.00
Balance Sheet		
Balance B/FWD		24,284.84
Precept		9,400.00
Other receipts		0.00
Staff costs		-2,004.02
All other payments		-1,372.86
Current Account		6,023.72
Savings Account		24284.24
		30,307.96

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iii Parish Precept 2025/26

	2024/25			2025/26
Expenditure	Budget	Actual	Remaining estimated	
Salaries	4350	1773.02	1154.6	3600
Expenses	300	60	60	250
Maintenance	2910	456.25	320	1500
Fee's/Subscriptions	710	142.79	76	400
Insurance	400	496.75	0	600
Office Running Costs	500	0		50
Election Costs	200	0	200	200
S137 Expenditure	30	100	0	150
Precept	9400	3028.81	1810.6	6750

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