

SOUTH FERRIBY PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of the Meeting of South Ferriby Parish Council held at 7.00pm on Monday 13th March 2023, at the Village Hall, South Ferriby.

Present: Chair - Cllr Roy Holloway,
Cllr Noreen Cecil-Purvis, Cllr Cathy Logan, Cllr Vicky Wells, Cllr Dewi Bennett, Cllr David Mouncey
Clerk – Holly Hanson

Ward Councillors – Cllr Carl Sherwood and Cllr Nigel Sherwood

One member of the public attended.

Public Participation

There was no public participation

22/23 – 0301 Apologies

a) Apologies were noted from Cllr Sara Haddon and Ward Cllr Rob Waltham

22/23 – 0302 Declarations of Interest

- a) Councillors Holloway, Wells and Cecil-Purvis declared an interest in the following agenda items 22/23 – 0312 c)) South Ferriby Village Hall Committee – Hire of Hall and 22/23 – 0310 Kings Coronation
b) No dispensations given.

22/23 – 0303 Minutes of Previous meeting

Resolved – That the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on Monday 13th February 2023, were reviewed and agreed as an accurate and true record and signed accordingly.

22/23 – 0304 Report from Ward Councillors

- a) Cllr Sherwood gave an update stating that a grant of £250 had been awarded to South Ferriby Village Hall Committee to assist with celebrations for the King's Coronation. At the recent budget setting, NLC approved concessionary fares at the same level as the previous year. The new Emergency Department at Scunthorpe General Hospital will be opening on Thursday 16th March 2023. The Great British Spring Clean will take place from 17th March to 3rd April 2023. In November 177 fixed penalty notices were issued for littering and dog fouling, in December 233 were issued and in January 227.

22/23 – 0305 Highways & Footpaths

- a) Cllr Sherwood updated on the following issues raised during the highways walkabout:

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- i) Footpath outside Windmill Cottage Sluice Road – To request that this is moved forward in the programme
 - ii) Abandoned cars in the car park – No update
 - iii) Weeds and trees encroaching over footpath on the Hill – Some works completed.
 - iv) Road breaking up North End – No update
 - v) Gulley clearing on Hill - Ongoing
 - vi) Faded 30mph signs at Horkstow end – To chase up
 - vii) New Village sign at Horkstow end – No update
 - viii) Footpath breaking away Horkstow Road near School Ward Councillors to follow up
- b) Councillors discussed the speed limit between South Ferriby and Barton, and reducing it to 50mph, especially in light of several accidents recently on this stretch of road – Clerk to contact Barton Town Council to see if this is something they could support with.
- c) There were no other highways and footpath issues discussed

22/23 – 0306 **Environment Matters – CEMEX, Flood Defences, Village Environment**

- a) The Clerk presented an update from Cllr Haddon in her absence, stating CEMEX continue to use the South Ferriby Plant as a depot. There have been issues with rubbish etc on their football pitch, and they are planning to increase security in that area.
- b) There was no update on Flood Defence Matters.
- c) There were no other discuss village environment matters discussed.

22/23 – 0307 **Planning**

- a) No planning applications received
- b) No planning decisions received
- c) No other planning matters were raised

22/23 – 0308 **Community Facilities and Open Space Management**

- a) Councillors discussed the management of Beulah Courts, a request had been made by a resident for the Tennis Nets to go back up. It was agreed that the Tennis Nets would go back up at the end of March in time for the Easter Holidays, when hopefully the worst of the weather had passed.
- b) Cllr Cecil-Purvis gave an update regarding the monthly inspections of the playground equipment, noting that much of the equipment requires cleaning
- c) Cllr Mouncey updated on flowerbeds stating that the team were moving to perennials, to ease annual planting pressures. Cllr Mouncey confirmed that the Gardening Team wished to enter BKV and East Midlands in Bloom again.
 - i) Councillors reviewed sponsorship and spending to date
 - ii) A budget of £400 was requested for planting over the forthcoming month.

Resolved - Cllr Cecil-Purvis proposed a £400 budget for Open Space spending, this was seconded by Cllr Logan.

- d) Cllr Holloway presented a proposal for 300 wild primrose plants to be planted in the Play Area, and requested a budget of £275 for this. Cllr Holloway stated that the planting of these would take place on Monday 8th May as a volunteer event for the Coronation.

Resolved – Councillors resolved a budget of £275 for wild primrose plants for the Play Area

- e) Updating on broadband in the Village Cllr Holloway stated that Quickline had held an engagement event, and were looking at an expected connection date of June 2023. Internetty are also progressing well with installation in the Village.

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- f) Councillors discussed improving the under used playing field with wildflowers, and installing dog bins with a view to this being used as a recreational area. Cllr Holloway to follow this up.

22/23 – 0309 **South Ferriby Vikings Bowls Club**

- a) Councillors discussed the proposed contract of use with South Ferriby Vikings Bowls Club.
Resolved – Councillors unanimously approved the contract.

22/23 – 0310 **Kings Coronation**

- a) Councillors discussed plans for the Kings Coronation. South Ferriby Village Hall Committee have a kids party planned for the afternoon of Friday 5th May, a Ball on the evening of Friday 6th May, and a Community Volunteering event on the Bank Holiday Monday 8th May. The Clerk presented a request from South Ferriby Village Hall Committee for a grant to assist with these activities.

Resolved – A grant of £500 was awarded to South Ferriby Village Hall Committee to assist with the Coronation celebrations.

22/23 – 0311 **Clerk's Report**

- a) The Clerk reported on items requiring attention since the February meeting reporting that there was an issue with the SLA agreement for litter bin emptying in the Play Area and on Cliff Road. The SLA agreement had been in place for the 2022/23 year, and had been paid for, however NLC Waste Services were unaware of the SLA Agreement, so had not emptied any of the requested bins during the period. The Clerk is working with NLC Officers to put in place an SLA for the emptying of these bins in 2023/24, and confirmed that NLC would provide a full refund for the 2022/23 period.

22/23 – 0312 **Accounts**

- a) Current financial position reviewed by all Councillors.
Resolved – That the Financial Summary and Bank Reconciliation be noted and signed by Cllr Holloway.
- b) Bank statements reviewed by all Councillors.
Resolved – That the document be noted and signed by Cllr Holloway.
- Councillors approved the following invoices for payment:
- a) South Ferriby Village Hall Committee – Hire of Hall - £185.00
b) Autela – Q4 Payroll - £69.31 (Local Authorities (Goods and Services) Act 1970 ch 39)
c) ERNLLCA – Membership - £412.33 (Local Government Act 1972, s143)

22/23 - 0313 **Ongoing, Minor Items, Correspondence and Agenda Items for the next meeting**

- a) There were no updates on any progress on items not requiring decision and resolution, not otherwise detailed on the agenda.
- b) Councillors discussed the following items of correspondence received:
i) Correspondence from South Ferriby Pre School
Resolved – To make a donation of £50 to South Ferriby Pre School (Local Government Act 1972, s137)
- c) No items of correspondence had arrived since the agenda was posted
d) No Articles were put forward for the Low Villages News
e) There were no items put forward for the April agenda.

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22/23 – 0314 Date and time of forthcoming meetings

- a) The next meeting of South Ferriby Parish Council will be held on Monday 17th April 2023.

22/23 – 0315 Councillors resolved to exclude the public and press in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 s1(2) due to the confidential nature of the items to be discussed.

- a) To authorise payment of Clerk’s Salary and expenses.
Resolved - To pay Clerk’s salary and expenses (Local Government Act 1972, s112)
- b) Councillors discussed Community Groups within in the Village