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A meeting of Ulceby Parish Council was held on Monday 21st March 2022 at 7.00pm in the village hall.

PRESENT :- Chairman: Cllr Mrs D Macefield.
Cllr A Ogden, Cllr C Rowland, Cllr S Hulatt, Cllr A Beaton,
Cllr D Johnson, Cllr B Jeffery, Cllr C Smith, Cllr M Berney,

IN ATTENDANCE: Cllr D Wells, Mrs K Pickering(Clerk)
3 members of the public.

PUBLIC FORUM

No matters raised

1. **Apologies for absence** : Cllr's L Burdin, A Caygill-Ogden, P Clark and R Hannigan
2. **Declaration of Interest on any Agenda Items** : No matters to declare
3. **Adoption of the minutes of the monthly parish council meeting held on 21st February 2022.**
IT WAS RESOLVED that the minutes of the parish council meeting held on 21st February 2022 be confirmed as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.
4. **Clerks Updates:**
 - a) Emergency Plan – clerk to has contacted the people who have offered to help with this plan and will arrange a meeting with the clerk and Chairman to establish how we want to progress this plan.
 - b) Walkers Way – Paths and overhanging tree branches – no progress to report.
 - c) Missing litter bin Abbey Road – Suitable locations on Abbey Road have been sent to N.L.C who have agreed to put a bin up in a location acceptable to them. Clerk to follow up with N.L.C and ask when this bin will be put in place.
 - d) Waste bin – Church Lane – Keigar Homes have agreed to put a bin up to the specification requested by N.L.C. Clerk to contact Keigar Homes to ask when the bin will be in place. A discussion took place regarding a seat in this vicinity and it was thought that the verge of grass to the entrance of Oak Drive would be a suitable place. Clerk to speak to Keigar Homes to see if they are agreeable and ask if the Parish Council purchased a new seat (the old one was worn out) would they kindly fit the seat.
5. **Planning Applications - Opportunity for one person from each side (members of the public to state within three minutes objections/support of contested applications.**
 - a) Application PA/2022/97 – Planning permission to erect a grain store – Carr Farm, Carr Road, Ulceby
IT WAS RESOLVED to report **NO OBJECTIONS OR COMENTS.**
 - b) Application PA/2022/471 – Planning permission to erect a single storey rear extension to form a conservatory – Berberis, Spruce lane, Ulceby.
IT WAS RESOLVED to report **NO OBJECTIONS OR COMENTS.**

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6. Finance

a) Accounts for payment and Income received.		
PAYEE	Cheque no	Amount
1. Ulceby Village Association	1797	500
2. K E Pickering salary March	1798	346.58
3. K E Pickering – Admin Stamps – 13.39 Photocopying – 12.25 Q'allowance - 50	1799	75.64
4. J Nettleton	1800	54.00
5. Lawn N Order	1801	144.00
6. Village hall Assoc (rent)	1802	94.50

Income Received : February: Link advertising - £255.00

The accounts were proposed for payment by Cllr B Jeffery, seconded by Cllr C Rowland and unanimously agreed.

- b) To receive Income and Expenditure year to date sheet – circulated with minutes.
- c) Grass cutting at the playing fields – to receive the quotation of £144/cut from Lawn N Order. The meeting agreed to continue to support the Village Association with the playing fields mowing this season.

7. Police Matters :

a) Community Speed Watch – Mr Birtle provided the down loaded data from the radar activated speed sign on Brocklesby Road which the clerk had circulated to all councillors. This data indicates that there is a speed problem on Brocklesby Road with a vehicle in February recorded as travelling at 97mph.

A discussion took place regarding the possibility of obtaining this data from the speed sign on Spruce lane, however the sign on Spruce lane belongs to N.L.C and their policy is not to down load data from these signs. The meeting asked the clerk to ask N.L.C if this data can be down loaded as it would provide very accurate evidence of how vehicles are travelling through the village. Cllr Wells agreed to support this request.

b) NATS meeting – If the clerk receives the minutes of this meeting they will be circulated.

8. North Lincolnshire Council Matters:

a) Reports from N.L.C representatives: No reports to receive.

b) Road Safety :

- i. Updates on the road safety initiative and freight report: The freight report has not materialised as yet. It is unlikely that Ulceby will see this report as apparently there are no suggestions for improvement for the village in this report. However, North Lincs Council are working on a proposal to improve the volume of traffic travelling through Ulceby but no details of this proposal have been sent to the parish council as yet. Clerk was asked to find out when any detail will be made available to the parish council.
- ii. Pedestrian Crossing – to receive the design and location of the proposed crossing. The proposed design of the pedestrian crossing had been circulated prior to the meeting. The main concern with the proposal is the apparent loss of parking spaces on High Street (because of regulatory zig zag road markings on which parking is illegal) which will adversely affect residents on High Street. The clerk has raised this issue with N.L.C but has not heard back as yet.

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c) Station Road – land for community garden/allotments – The clerk has made contact with 2 companies who have expressed an interest in this project and it is hoped that site meetings will take place in April.

d) New matters to report: It was noted that the fencing along the quarry side has been removed and overhanging branches have also been removed so the mowing of this public footpath should be more manageable. The clerk has made contact with the contractor who cuts the public footpaths in Ulceby and they will be incorporated into his schedule this year.

It was reported that there was a lot of fly tipping from the motorway layby towards the quarry area – the clerk was unsure if this was the responsibility of Highways England or N.L.C. Cllr Jeffery indicated that this was a possible job for the Community Pay Back Scheme, along with clearing the Station Road field site ready for the community project and perhaps painting the War Memorial railings.

9. **Correspondence** - circulated list and items received too late for circulation.

- Rural Services Network – information
- ERNLLCA/NALC – various information emails
- N.L.C – Forthcoming meetings.
- Various emails from N.L.C regarding the solar activated signs in Ulceby
- Police and Crime Commissioner – Community Pay back scheme.

10. **Environmental and Village issues**

a) Neighbourhood Plan – This will remain on the agenda but considered once other projects have been completed.

b) To give consideration to the examples of commemorative planters circulated and agree which planter is to be purchased and set a budget for this project. The meeting considered all the planters but agreed that perhaps it might be best to have two smaller planters within the War memorial area.

IT WAS RESOLVED to accept the quotation from J Nettleton of £601.00 +vat (1 Planter, compost and plants) and ask him to supply two of the same.

A discussion took place regarding the possibility of having a larger, more ornate planter adjacent the co-op store - clerk to ask highways if it would be possible to position a planter in this vicinity and have as an agenda item next month for further discussion.

c) New matters to report: Cllr Mrs Hulatt asked if a new Neighbourhood Watch group had been formed as she had received an email about this. The clerk advised that she had received a similar email but knew nothing about the forming of a group.

The new Indian restaurant has been well received in the village and has received very good reviews. There is a concern about parking and visibility when exiting the Abbey Road and Front Street junction can be impaired. This will have to be monitored.

11. **Agenda items for next month's meeting.**

Planter adjacent the co-op.

12. **Date of next meeting** – TUESDAY 26th April 2022.

The meeting closed at 8.15pm