

A meeting of Ulceby Parish Council was held on 20<sup>th</sup> January 2025 at 7.00pm in the village hall.

**PRESENT :** Chairman: Cllr A Ogden

Cllr L Burdin, Cllr S Hulatt, Cllr D Macefield, Cllr C Rowland, Cllr B Jeffery

Cllr C Smith, Cllr A Caygill-Ogden, Cllr J Marwood.

**IN ATTENDANCE:** Cllr R Hannigan, Mrs K Pickering (Clerk), 1 member of the public.

1. **Apologies for absence:**, Cllr M Berney, Cllr P Clark and Cllr D Wells.

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 18<sup>th</sup> November 2024**

**IT WAS RESOLVED** that the minutes of the monthly parish council meeting held on 18<sup>th</sup> November be confirmed as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

4. **To give consideration to the following application for co-option to the parish council**

- Mr James Steele

**IT WAS RESOLVED** unanimously to co-opt Mr Steele to the parish council.

4a. **Clerks Updates:**

- Signs – Crossroad and Thornton lane – all need reinstating.
- Hedge opposite old Post Office and on Abbey Road – this hedge has been cut back – unfortunately the hedge debris was not cleared away at the time of cutting.

5. **Planning Applications** - Opportunity for one person from each side (members of the public to state within three minutes objections/support of contested applications).

No applications to consider.

6. **Finance**

a) Accounts for payment and Income received.

PAYEE		Amount
K E Pickering – Dec & Jan	BACS	1,032.68
HMRC - Dec	DD	43.80
HMRC – Jan	DD	43.60
K E Pickering – Admin	BACS	106.55
Stamps – 23.80		
Photocopying – 12.75		
Q'allowance – 70		
K Pickering – Xmas tree	BACS	65.00
Barton Mowing Services Ltd	BACS	120.00

**Income Received : November:** Link advertising - £60.00, **December** - 0

**The accounts were proposed for payment by Cllr D Macefield, seconded by Cllr S Hulatt and unanimously agreed.**

b) To receive Income and Expenditure year to date sheet – circulated with the agenda.

c) To receive and approve the bank reconciliation for Q3 of 2024/5.

The bank reconciliation was received and approved.

d) To give consideration to and set the precept for 2025/6.

**MOTION:** To set the precept at £24,000 – proposed by Cllr Burdin, seconded by Cllr Marwood and unanimously agreed.

7. **Police Matters :**

- NATS meeting – Clerk to circulate the date of the next NATS meeting when it is published.
- New Police matters to report – No new matters to report.

## **8. North Lincolnshire Council Matters:**

- a) Reports from N.L.C representatives: Cllr Hannigan advised the meeting that the application process for the community grant scheme will be simplified to encourage all parishes to apply for funding from the scheme. The 'In Bloom' grants will not be specific this year – councils can apply for the grant for every type of plant/shrub etc.
- b) Community Speed Watch – URSG representatives circulated the latest speed data relating to the radar activated speed signs on Spruce Lane and Brocklesby Road. High speeds are still being recorded.
- c) Road Safety : The double yellow lines planned for Abbey Road and Spruce lane are still in the final stages of consultation, they will be put in but the time scale from highways keeps slipping back. The agreed works on Brocklesby Drive have been agreed by highways but still waiting for a date for these to be implemented. The Police have been undertaking enforcement on HGV's travelling through the village but HGV's will travel through the village if there is an emergency closure of the A180. URSG have contacted Cllr Hannigan regarding the pedestrian crossing as they feel the signs are incorrect for this crossing. URSG have also asked that this crossing be upgraded to a pelican crossing. Cllr Hannigan advised that he has passed these matters onto N.L.C highways department. It was also noted that flooding/pooling of water still occurs at one side of the crossing – the other side (LHS as you face the co-op) has been remedied but this problem still occurs on the RHS.
- d) New matters to report : Cllr Macefield asked if the proposed data centre at South Killingholme was progressing, Cllr Hannigan responded that it was still progressing but going through the detailed planning stages. Cllr's were reminded that S106 money will be available for surrounding villages. Cllr Hulatt advised the meeting that the bin Christmas collection notice was incorrect with many residents failing to put out their brown bins for collection

## **9. Correspondence**

- Rural Services Network – information
- ERNLLCA/NALC – various information emails
- N.L.C – Forthcoming meetings.
- Application for parish council vacancy – Mr Steele
- National Highways – notification of road works A180
- URSG – Questioning signage around the pedestrian crossing.

## **10. Environmental and Village issues**

- a) Station Road – land for community garden – The clerk advised that the Singleton Birch community fund has provided £750 to purchase the orchard trees for this project. The clerk has asked J Nettleton to progress the purchase of the orchard trees and schedule planting these trees within this planting season. This should all take place before the end of March 2025.
- b) Parish Pump area – History of the parish pump and plaque – This will be progressed in the spring.
- c) New village matters: A discussion took place regarding 'Halmshaws' yard and that it is an eyesore and detrimental to the appearance of the village. The environmental team at N.L.C have been advised but it is unlikely that they can do anything about this. Unfortunately there is no breach of regulations but it was agreed it is very unsightly.  
Pot Hole – first double bend at the co-op – Cllr Burdin will report. The road surface at Wootton bends will hopefully be repaired whilst the road at Singleton Birch is closed.  
Cllr Hulatt advised the meeting that the link magazine is about to be printed and will be ready for delivery next week.

## **12. Agenda items for next month's meeting**

## **13. Date of next meeting – Monday 17<sup>th</sup> February 2025.**