

HOLBECK & WELBECK

PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting of the Parish Council held in the Education Room at The Harley Gallery on Thursday, 26th January 2023

Present: Councillors: D Wall (Chair), J Cuckson, S Cuckson and M Welch (Clerk)

1. Apologies for absence

Apologies were received from Councillor Dukes.
There were no members of the public present.

2. Declarations of interests

There were no declarations of interest.

3. Public Forum

There were no members of the public present.

4. Minutes of the previous meeting held 23rd June 2022

The Minutes of the Meeting held on 23rd June copies of which had been previously circulated to members were confirmed as a true record and were signed by the Chairman.

5. Matters arising

a) Noticeboard

The Chairman has not heard back. Resolved – The Chairman proposed that as there are also problems with noticeboards in Cuckney that they can all be done after the merger, this was unanimously agreed.

b) Defibrillator

Resolved - Councillor J Cuckson proposed a defibrillator be installed in Holbeck, seconded by Councillor Wall and agreed. Councillor J Cuckson will find out if the post office could be used as a site for the defibrillator, the Chairman will ask Mr J Parente.

c) Memorial Tree

The clerk has requested the tree for the Memorial Garden and is waiting to hear back.

6. Financial statement and accounts for payment

a) The clerk reported that the balance is £17644.94.

b) Payments were made for M Welch £195.35, EON £12.27 and M Welch (Feb) £195.15.

c) Precept

A sub-committee had met to discuss the precept and recommended that the same amount as last year be requested for both councils with an additional £3023.10 to be taken from reserves to reduce the payment per Band D property to £49.49 in the new merged parish. Resolved – Councillors all agreed to accept this recommendation.

7. Correspondence/New Business

a) Merger

Norton and Cuckney Council are not aware of areas for the Handyman to cover. The areas are the road down to the A60 crossroads, Church Path, Millenium Piece and Holbeck Woodhouse. For mowing the Council Highways do the verges and the Estate do Millenium Piece and around the benches by the church.

Councillors agreed meetings could be the second Thursday of the month when Norton and Cuckney meet at present and suggested the meetings start at 7pm. Councillors agreed a separate meeting was not necessary before the election of the new council.

b) Spring Clean

Norton and Cuckney had suggested a joint Spring Clean be held on 25th/26th March. Councillors explained that as a council they do not do the spring clean but it is done by a group of volunteers and it was agreed they should do it again this time.

8. Reports from representatives

There were no reports.

9. Highway matters

a) A60

The scheme of volunteers doing speed checks was discussed.

10. Planning matters

a) New Applications

There were no new applications received by the council.

Councillor J Cuckson reported on an application for the distillery which had again not been sent to the Parish Council. This has been taken up with Bassetlaw on a number of occasions that planning applications are not being received by the Parish Council and was supposed to have been sorted.

b) Decisions

There were no decisions.

11. Any other business- for information only

There was no other business.

12. Date of next meeting

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be held on Thursday, 23rd March 2023 in the Education Room at The Harley Gallery at 6:30 p.m.

The meeting closed at 7.40 pm.

Chair's Signature: _____

Date: _____