

HEADON-CUM-UPTON, GROVE & STOKEHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of the Parish Council held on Monday 4th December 2023, 7.00pm at Headon Village Hall.

Present: Cllrs Sean Whelan, Nigel Greenhalgh, David Landon, Rob Goulden, John Mosley, Eric Briggs, Craig Smith, Charlotte Scothern and David Spencer

Apologies: Cllr Janet Landon

In attendance: Joan Clarke and 1 member of the public.

Public Session

To allow the public the opportunity to raise matters with the Parish Council. (Members of the public will adhere to the rules set out by the Council.) (10 minutes)

A member of the public reported that not all of the parish's defibrillators were registered on the national defibrillator database called The Circuit. It was agreed that the clerk would register these on behalf of the parish.

Commencement of the Parish Council meeting

1 Chair's welcome and to record apologies for the meeting

Cllr Janet Landon (sickness)

2 To record declarations of interest from councillors in any item to be discussed.

None.

3 To consider the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 6th November 2023.

84/2324: It was resolved that the minutes were approved. The Clerk pointed out that there had been some anomalies with the numeration of the Minutes and these would be corrected.

4 To receive the police report.

No officers were in attendance and no written report had been submitted.

5 To receive an update from the District Councillor

Cllr Coultate reported on residents being affected by newly proposed pylons, flooding issues and the LGBC review of councillors and wards at Bassetlaw District Council.

6 To receive an update from the County Councillor

Cllr Ogle was not in attendance.

7 To receive an update on the defibrillator checks.

85/2324: it was noted that the Clerk was purchasing replacement pads for the Headon defibrillator.

8 To receive an update on the recruitment of a Lengthsman.

There had been some issues with contacting the new Lengthsman. The Clerk would also compile a list of all Parish Councillors contact details.

9 To receive any correspondence

A circular had come out from NALC detailing this year's pay award for Clerks. It was agreed that the Clerk's salary should increase to £13.06 per hour (SCP 9).

86/2324: It was resolved that this would be implemented

10 To consider any planning applications

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Farmstead At Sunnyside Main Street Stokeham Nottinghamshire
Redevelopment of the Old Farmstead Ruin to provide a Single Storey Dwelling within the same footprint of the Farmstead Buildings and Farmhouse/Dwelling

87/2324: It was resolved that this was supported by the council

11 To raise any highway or footpath matters.

Various issues around the parish were raised including: water gathering near Westfields in Upton and the 30 MPH sign at Upton being damaged.

88/2324: It was resolved that the Clerk would raise these issues with Nottinghamshire CC.

12 To discuss car park resurfacing in Headon opposite the church

The Clerk would check if the Parish could undertake improvements at the car park without the Parish needing to buy the land.

13 To consider the celebration of the war memorial at Grove's centenary.

The Clerk was still awaiting a response from Nottinghamshire CC about whether the interpretation board could be installed at street level.

14 To consider the removal of the recycling bin at Headon

Bassetlaw DC says it will reassess its decision to remove the recycling bin and respond back to Cllr Mosley.

15 To receive a report on financial matters:

a. Payments for authorisation

HMRC	£52.80
Clerk salary	£139.20

b. Income and expenditure, bank reconciliation

Business account	£1808.00
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Savings account

£16.276.14

89/2324: it was agreed that the financial report be accepted and that the Clerk should look into savings accounts that had a better rate of interest.

c. Precept 2024-25

It was agreed that the precept for the financial year 2024-5 should be unchanged, that is, £10, 382.

16 To notify the Clerk of matters for inclusion on the agenda for the next meeting on Monday 4th February 2024 at 7.00 pm.

None

The meeting closed at 8.08 pm

Signed by: _____

Date: _____