**LONDESBOROUGH WITH EASTHORPE PARISH COUNCIL**

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**15th April 2023**

Londesborough with Easthorpe Parish Council – Minutes of the meeting held on the **30th of March 2023 at 7.00pm** in the Reading Room, Low Street, Londesborough.

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| **Present** | |  |  | |
| Cllr. Graeme Stephenson | | NM | Chairman | |
| Cllr. Lynne Shepherd | | LS | Councillor | |
| Cllr. Emily Lloyd-Huitson | | ELH | Councillor | |
| Cllr. Kath Watson | | KW | Councillor | |
| Cllr. Heather Wood | | HW | Councillor | |
| Cllr. Julie Dunning | | JD | Councillor | |
| Cllr. Katie Cobb | | KC | Councillor | |
| Cllr. Mike Stathers | | MS | Councillor | |
| **Attended by** | |  |  | |
| **Officers** | |  |  | |
| Catherine Simpson | | CS | Clerk and RFO | |
| **Others** | |  |  | |
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| **22/23-76** | **CHAIRMAN’S WELCOME** | | |  |
|  | The Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting. | | |  |
| **22/23-77** | **APOLOGIES** | | |  |
|  | Apologies were received from Cllr. Nick Milson and the reason accepted. | | |  |
| **22/23-78** | **PUBLIC OPEN FORUM** | | |  |
|  | There were no members of the public present. | | |  |
| **22/23-79** | **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST** | | |  |
|  | Cllr. Mike Stathers declared his ward councillor status. | | |  |
| **22/23-80** | **ADOPTION OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING(S)** | | |  |
|  | The following minutes were adopted as a true record:  Ordinary Meeting 15th February 2023 | | |  |
| **22/23-81** | **MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES NOT COVERED ELSEWHERE ON THE AGENDA** | | |  |
|  | None. | | |  |
| **22/23-82** | **WARD COUNCILLOR UPDATE** | | |  |
|  | Cllr. Stathers update Council on the social housing issue in Shiptonthorpe. | | |  |
| **22/23-83** | **FINANCE** | | |  |
|  | 1. The following payments were approved:   SLCC £36.50 – ¼ annual membership  SLCC £52.42 – ¼ Charles Arnold Baker  ACE Tree Services £150.00 (to be reimbursed by ERYC)  ERYC £108.00 – salt bin refill   1. The February accounts were approved and the bank reconciliation signed. | | |  |
| **22/23-84** | **ENVIRONMENTAL & COMMUNITY MATTERS** | | |  |
|  | 1. Maintenance:   It was suggested that the local Men in Sheds group might be able to repair Mr Thwaite’s bench.  The street lights have still not been cleaned.   1. Highways:   The verges on the approach to the roundabout have been badly churned up.  There is a large pot-hole between The Lodge and Intake Hill.  The surface along Love Lane is in poor state. | | |  |
|  | **ACTION:** Clerk to contact the Men in Sheds and speak to ERYC about the highway issues. | | | **CS** |

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| **22/23-72** | **ADMINISTRATION** |  |
|  | The following policies were reviewed & adopted:   * + 1. Equality     2. Scheme of Publication     3. Social Media     4. Recording     5. Health & Safety |  |
| **22/23-73** | **CORRESPONDENCE – for information purposes only** |  |
|  | All relevant emails have been circulated. |  |
| **22/23-74** | **COUNCILLORS EXCHANGE AND AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING** |  |
|  | There has been a spate of thefts of agricultural GPS equipment |  |
| **22/23-75** | **DATE OF NEXT MEETING** |  |
|  | The next meeting will take place on the 1st June 2023 at 19:00. |  |

The meeting closed at 19:30

Signature of Chairman: