## **TOLLERTON PARISH COUNCIL**

# MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 5 NOVEMBER 2024

## at 6.30PM in St. Michaels Church Hall

**PRESENT**: Councillors: Paula Thompson (Chairman), Sarah Ellis, Murray

Ferris, Colin Runciman, Andrew Maunder and Cllr Malcolm

Taylor.

Clerk: Sandra Windross 2 members of the public (MOP)

#### **Public Forum**

Christmas lights was brought forward. NYC do not want to be involved. It was agreed to go back to Mark Cockfield of Northern Powergrid and trying to persuade him to give us the extra net increase rather than having to request return of funds and send funds again to obtain a meter serial number (MPRAN).

Nick Thompson was present at the meeting in his capacity as acting chairman of the Sports and Recreational Club, he presented some financial accounts. He advised there has been no 5 year inspection of the electrics at the Sports ground which has been now carried out which has thrown up some historic matters, they have had a quote which comes to £3000 plus Vat there has also been some damage following a leak in the ladies store room. The main costs are insurance and grass cutting which come to over £3000. The only regular rents are the Bridge Club and some footballers using the field for training sessions. A request was made to the PC for a contribution to the cost of the works. The accounts were left for PC's consideration and discussion later.

#### 1. Apologies

Apologies received from Cllr Ian Jackson.

#### 2. Declarations of Interest

02.01 To receive any declarations of interest not already declared under the Council's Code of Conduct or members Register of Disclosable Pecuniary interest and the receive and consider any applications for dispensation **non received.** 

# 3. Minutes of the meeting held on 3 September 2024

The minutes of the above meeting were formally approved and signed by the Chairman.

# 4. NYC matters

Cllr Taylor provided information who to contact regarding registering the pub as a community asset.

The grants may not be available for future years due to lack of public funds.

Cllr Ferris asked Cllr Taylor regarding the building works at The Acorns who after the enforcement officer has inspected they are in breach of the conditions, Cllr Ferris some neighbours are upset about this.

- 5. Matters arising from the Minutes of the last meeting and Clerks report the following matters were deferred to the next meeting.
- 5.1 The road junction at Station Road/Alne Road Cllr Runciman advised there is no visible change. The instruction has been given to improve the signage but nothing has yet happened. Cllr Runciman has chased this but has no date when the work will be completed.
- 5.2 Electricity Supply to the Village Green this was discussed in Public Forum.

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- 5.3 Footbridge over the Kyle No update
- 5.4 Depth Poles the clerk was requested to chase up the order.
- 5.5 Defibrillator training This has been put on the website we need to make sure there is enough interest prior to booking.
- 5.6 Emptying of the bins on the playing field The clerk advised she understood this matter was no resolved.
- 5.7 Thank you to Mark Ellis Chairman wished it to be recorded a thank you to Mark Ellis for the lifebuoy installation for the pond.
- 5.8 Speeding issue from Aldwark Parish Council Cllr Runciman has responded to this request and has received an acknowledge of his response.

# 6. **Planning Matters**

- 6.1 No planning applications were received.
- 6.2 The following approvals/refusals were received from Hambleton District Council:
- 7. VAS Signs Cllr Maunder agreed to assist Cllr Jackson with the moving of the signs.

#### 8. Financial matters

- **8.1** The bank reconciliation/financial reconciliation circulated by the clerk was approved.
- **8.2** Payment of accounts were approved Appendix!
- 8.3 The budget was accepted prepared and circulated by the clerk was accepted. It was agreed to increase the precept by 15%.
- 8.4 The report received from the external audit of AGAR was acknowledged.

# 9. The following items of correspondence had been received and noted.

13.9.2024 NYC Democratic Services Standard Bulletin September 2024

13.9.2024 24 YLCA White Rose Bulletin

20.9.2024 YLCA Training information (various)

24.9.2024 YLCA Training and Discussion Forums (Various)

27.9.2024 YLCA Training and Discussion Forums

01.10.2024 YLCA Training

04.10.2024 YLCA Training

07.10.2024 Robin Henderson Remembrance Bench

08.10.2024 YLCA Training

11.20.2024 YLCA Training

30.10.2024 NYC Parish Liaison Parish Update

#### 10. Minor matters and Agenda Items for the next meeting

An update of the Emergency Plan. Consideration of a Community Plan.

11. The next meeting was scheduled for Tuesday 7 January 2025 at 6.30pm in St. Michaels Church Hall The meeting closed at 19.25pm. Cllr Ferris offered his apologies he will be absent for the next meeting.

Cllr Paula Thompson (Chairman) 28 Janua	ry 2025

# Appendix I

S.Windross salary & expenses (Sept)	£	273.76
G Marston	£	310.20
Bank charges	£	8.00
MK UK Ltd	£	36.00
Bank charges	£	8.00
York Survey Supplies (Depth Poles)	£	125.35
S. Windross Salary & expenses (Oct)	£	282.57
G. Marston	£	331.20
Rospa Playsafety	£	156.00

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