

Hibaldstow Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting

Minutes of the meeting of Hibaldstow Parish Council held at 7pm on Thursday 20th October 2022 at Hibaldstow Village Hall, Station Road, Hibaldstow.

Present: Cllr Allaby, Cllr Brooks (Chairman), Cllr Done, Cllr Elletson, Cllr Mawdsley, Cllr North & Cllr Pickering.

Also present: Clerk to the Council – Deb Hotson.

2210/01 Apologies for absence

Apologies for absence received from Cllrs Riley, Stothard & Whitaker.

2210/02 Public Participation

No members of the public present.

2210/03 Declaration of Interest

- a. To record declarations of interest by any member of the council in respect of the agenda items listed below. Members declaring interests should identify the agenda item and type of interest being declared.

Cllr Brooks declared a personal interest in agenda item 2210/06b.

Cllr Elletson declared a personal interest in agenda item 2210/06c.

Cllr Pickering declared a personal interest in agenda item 2210/13b.

Cllr Mawdsley declared a personal interest in agenda item 2210/07.

- b. To note dispensations given to any member in respect of the agenda items listed below.
None outstanding.

2210/04 Minutes of Previous meeting

Resolved - Minutes of the Parish Council meetings held on 29th September 2022 were approved and signed as a true and correct record.

2210/05 Clerk's Report

- Clerk has chased the contractor regarding the cutting of the Dallisons area.
- NLC Tree Officer engaged with the conifer project at the hall.
- NLC Enforcement & Estates have been informed regarding the activities on the airfield and this is being looked into.
- Clerk has requested an update from NLC regarding the missing dog bins on Brigg Road and Hunts Lane.
- Clerk has contacted the school regarding the overgrown hedge, and this is being dealt with.
- Clerk has provided details of the VHC plans for green energy to NLC.
- Clerk has provided group information via the local newsletter and social media to Sir John Mason House.
- Clerk has taken the following actions with regard to the Best Kept Village results and comments received:
 - Informed the PCC that the notice board in the closed church grounds that this needs cleaning.
 - Thank you message sent to the lady that maintains the flower bed on Hopfield.
 - Asked NLC to cut the ivy back from the bus stop on Redbourne Road.

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2210/06 Delegate Reports

- a. To receive a chairman's report on activities undertaken on behalf of the Parish Council.
Cllr Brooks attended the following meetings:
 - 04/10 – NALC National Assembly who are preparing for the AGM and an increase in the increment from the ERNLLCA membership by 3%.
 - 13/10 – ERNLLCA Resources sub-committee meeting.
- b. To receive an update report from the Cemetery Working determining actions required.
The works to repair the capping on the closed churchyard wall will commence in the next few weeks.
The gates have recently been removed and refurbished by the nephew of the person who originally made the gates. It was agreed a great job had been undertaken and the Clerk to write a thank you letter.
- c. To receive an update report regarding the Hibaldstow Play Park, determining any further actions.
The report was circulated earlier in the week and no issues had arisen.
- d. To determine actions regarding the planting and maintenance of the flower beds for 2023.
It was agreed that the beds in the village had not been maintained to the standard of the contract.
Clerk to put an advert in the next village voice and on Facebook asking for volunteers to come forward to join and manage a Gardening Group or to sponsor a bed and maintain.

2210/07 Village Hall Report

- a. To receive an update written report from the Executive Village Hall Committee including the following:
Cllr Mawdsley update the Council on the following subjects:
 - Solar Grant update – funding has been approved and it is hoped that the panels will be installed by Christmas. The lights and heating will be done in the new year as not to disrupt any planned events.
The Committee are still investigating the modular buildings and brick buildings. Julie Reed, the Community Funding Officer will attend a future Parish Council meeting with a view to discussing the best options for this funding application. If it is the Parish Council then they will have to adhere to the Procurement Policies but if the VHC apply they will be unable to reclaim the VAT. Julie Reed is also writing the CIO and this will be debated at the AGM in January.
 - King Charles III Coronation event – the coronation will take place on May 6th and an event will possibly take place on the Sunday in the form of a Gala.
 - Wi-Fi – the VHC are looking at different options and a temporary solution will be installed in due course.
- b. To receive an update on the costs/actions to carry out works on the conifers at the hall determining actions required.
Item deferred until the NLC Tree Officer has provided advice. There is a meeting scheduled for next Wednesday.

2210/08 Report from Ward Cllrs on NLC issues

To receive a report from Ward Cllrs on NLC activities.

Apologies received from Cllr Foster who provided the following report in his absence.

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Village Hall, Julie Reed - all her funding initiatives are in place.

She does not think the proposed prefab changing facility is a good idea. (this was done in Messingham and it now needs replacing. They are now looking at building a permanent brick structure). In retrospect we would not have gone for a portacabin type facility.

Julie has suggested a way forward is to investigate a Village Hall enhancement on the lines of the previous £150k funding initiative.

Church Street hedge - The owner has agreed to cut next week after NLC contact. If this is not done NLC will cut it and bill the property owner. Cllr Brooks suggested that the hedge was NLC responsibility, and it may have been confused with another overgrown hedge in the parish.

Any future Airfield planning will be notified to both Hibaldstow and Redbourne Parish Councils, irrespective of who's parish it is in.

NLC Winter/Spring in Bloom grants to be submitted by November 14th.

Due to additional amendments from the applicant submitted after the closure date, NLC Planning have opened PA/2022/1294 and PA/2022/1282 up again until Nov 3rd, to invite any further comment if desired. Cllrs to provide any comments to the Clerk by 31st October.

Rob Waltham, leader of NLC, has promised that we will oppose any attempt to initiate fracking in North Lincolnshire.

Cllr Foster has also written to the Ward Cllr David Rose with regard to the NLC bin survey and the removal of bins (including Parish Council owned) within Hibaldstow. The Council have been assured that the bins will be replaced in the next couple of weeks. This will be monitored.

2210/09 Police Matters / NATs

To receive an update report from Humberside Police and the NATs representative.

There has been no NATs meeting since the last meeting. All crimes to be reported via 101 to ensure captured within the stats.

2210/10 Highways / Neighbourhood Services / NLC issues / Parish Issues

- a. To receive an update regarding the former tyre dump determining any actions required.

NLC have stated that there is evidence there is some unauthorised activity and this is being investigated. Item to be kept on the agenda.

- b. To receive an update regarding the north drain maintenance determining any actions required.

The Environmental Agency have stated that the works planned had not been carried out as expected and more work will be carried out.

Cllr North stated that as a landowner they had been doing some works and more is expected.

- c. To inform the Clerk of any further highway issues to report to NLC.

Clerk to report the flooding of the road between the levelling cross and the turn to Scawby on Brigg Road due to the lack of grips.

2210/11 Planning

To receive any decisions from North Lincolnshire Council.

2021/1210 – appeal allowed, and reserved matters approved for access, appearance, landscaping, layout and scale details submitted pursuant to condition 1 of outline PA/2018/1716 in accordance with the terms of the application and subject to the conditions set. 48 residential properties at land at Station Road, Hibaldstow.

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2022/961 – full planning permission granted to vary condition 2 of PA/2019/996 to revise design to plot 12 at Barnside, Hibaldstow.

2022/1512 – listed building consent granted to carry out repairs due to fire damage and associated works at Hibaldstow Bridge, South Carr Lane, Hibaldstow.

2210/12 Correspondence for Discussion/Decision

- a. To be notified of the Lindsey Lodge’s Festival of Lights project determining any actions required. (Info issued 11/10).

Resolved –

Clerk to arrange the purchase and delivery of a 3m Christmas tree to be located in the cemetery.

Clerk to arrange the purchase of solar lights to go on the tree.

Clerk to ask Sissons Gardening to install the tree.

Clerk to arrange with Lindsey Lodge to be part of the project and obtain baubles and collection boxes and for them to remove the tree after Christmas.

Clerk to ask Church Stores, The Wheatsheaf and the Memorial Club to have the baubles and donation boxes.

- b. To be notified of the ERNLLCA North Lincolnshire District Committee meeting scheduled for 27/10 determining actions required. (Info issued 11/10).

Cllrs Allaby & Brooks to attend.

Correspondence for Information

- d. Village Hall minutes – 07/10.

e. Parish precept data.

f. Data Protection renewal fee.

g. NALC – Events survey 23-24.

2210/13 Accounts

- a. To consider a donation towards the Jubilee event spend from the VHC. (Info issued 11/10).
It was agreed that funding was not required for this but to leave until the coronation for a possible contribution to that funding from the Parish Council.

- b. To consider a grant request from the North Lincolnshire Aviation Heritage Centre. (Info issued 14/10).

Resolved – a donation of £400 was approved.

- c. To consider the North Lincolnshire in Bloom 2023 fund determining actions required.

Resolved – Clerk to obtain quotes for 9 hanging baskets, 10 rose bushes for the cemetery and 300 mixed spring bulbs for the cemetery and village hall bed.

- d. To approve the monthly accounts for payment. See financial report.

Resolved – approval of accounts for payment.

04.10.22	NLC	Dallisons Park SLA - bins	£576.00
04.10.22	Sissons Gardening Services	Churchyard & Cemetery Ground Maint – Sept 22	£473.00
04.10.22	Cloudy Support	Sept support	£17.21
30.09.22	K Allaby	Post Mix - bench	£7.63
29.09.22	D Hotson	Salary, Expenses & Tax – September	

2210/14 Minor Items

- a. To take any points from members.

- Clerk to resurrect the meeting between Cllr Done and the Dog Warden regarding the dog fouling problem in the village.

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- Cllr Allaby stated that Cllr Stothard had erected the plaque on the newly installed bench on Cross Carr Lane.
 - Clerk to report the bin on the junction of Beckside Lane/Barnside is buried in the overgrown hedge on this junction.
- b. Matters of correspondence for information which arrived after the agenda was posted.
- No further correspondence received.

2210/15 Agenda Items for the next meeting to be received by 7th November 2022.

- Budget and precept.

2210/16 To confirm the date and time of the next meeting as Thursday 17th November 2022 at 7pm at Hibaldstow Village Hall.

2210/17 To consider the exclusion of the public and press in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 s1(2) due to the confidential nature of the items to be discussed.

No items raised.

The meeting closed at 8.10pm.