KIRTON PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT THE CANTEEN ,FORTERRA BRICKWORKS, KIRTON ON MONDAY 11H AUGUST 2025

PRESENT

ACTING CLERK.... N BATTY

T WILDGUST, R BATTY, R FEGAN, H ATHERTON

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC IN ATTENDANCE.... CLLR DAVID CLARK

NUMBER	AGENDA ITEM	DISCUSSION/DECISION	ACTION POINTS.
1	Apologies For Absence	D Surgey, C Bown	
2	Declaration Of Interest	None	
3	To Approve The Minutes Of The Last Meeting	Minutes were approved and signed by Vice chair of meeting.	Sent to Cllr D Surgey for website inclusion 12/8/25
4	Public Participation Originally point 9 on agenda	County Cllr David Clark. Cllr Clarke introduced himself to the PC he gave a thorough chat about the issues he was addressing within our area and had to hand all works and issues that involved Kirton. A meeting to be arranged to do a walk round the village.	N Batty to arrange suitable meeting time
5	HR Committee Report	Further documentation added councillors requested to read and comment if amendments required. HR committee requested to re advertise the clerks position	R Fegan H Atherton to address
6	Playing Field/Pinfold	Post and preserver still to be ordered	R Batty post / N Batty preserver

	Pinfold	Chain link fencing at road side has now been re tensioned by N & R Batty. Cllrs were requested to come up with landscaping ideas for the pinfold at the next meeting which include the bench and lectern information board already agreed.	
7	Village Maintenance	Grass cutting by external contractor commenced and council are happy with the work completed. Hedges and verges have been cut back on church hill, kirton Park front, Boughton industrial estate to playing field entrance. A massive thankyou to Paul Crothers who completes this work for us. The ditch outside The Littemoor has been dug out to help alleviate the surface water. In addition to this we are pleased to learn that the broken drainage pipe at the junction of Egmanton Road is due to be repaired in October. This is quite a major job, thank you to Mrs G Batty who has allowed VIA to dig up her garden to run the pipe into the ditch where the water would have originally flowed. Via advise Landowner/s of the riparian dyke that this flows into have been sent letters to request their duty as landowner/s to clear out this ditch so that the surface water has free flow to escape and not cause flooding in a different area of the village. THANK YOU to all residents who pick up litter as an errand or when walking through the village, and those who do the extra bit of gardening. It is noted and greatly appreciated!!	
8	DeFib /Webnos	Deferred to next meeting as Cllr Bown not at meeting Cllr N Batty to chase glass replacement	N Batty chase quotes

9	Accounts	Printing and ink Hedge cutting Petrol Baugh Horticulture Hugo Fox	£6.49 NB £180.00 £51.14 NB £700.00 £11.99	All signed and approved
10	Date Of Next Meeting	Monday 29th September2025		
11	Meeting Closed	20.28		

Minutes prepared by Nicola Batty, Acting Clerk to Kirton Parish Council <12/08/2025>