

# Belsay Parish Council

## Minutes of the meeting of the Parish Council held on Wednesday 28 September 2022

**Present :** Councillor Storey (Chair)  
Councillors, Common, Mole and Sadler

**In Attendance:** I. Humphries - Clerk  
Cllr Dodd - NCC  
2 residents

### **86. Chairman's Opening Remarks**

The Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting.

### **87. Apologies for absence**

Apologies for absence were received from councillors Metcalf and Roe

### **88. Minutes of meeting held on 25 May 2022**

The minutes of the meeting held on 25 May 2022 were confirmed as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

### **89. Issues raised by the public**

There were no issues raised.

### **90. Highways Matters**

Members noted the signs were now in place but the additional road markings were still needed. A resident requested the 20mph zone be extended to past the Red house.

A drop in traffic speed had been noted as a result of the scheme being in place. Councillor Dodd undertook to get a written update of where the scheme is in its implementation and get a specification for gateways.

### **91. Local Resilience Measures**

Members were made aware of grants from Northern Power Grid for village halls and community centres to be available to cater for residents without power or as a result of some other emergency in the area. It was agreed that the school and if appropriate, Belsay Estate be asked if the Hall at Belsay School could be designated as such and work carried out from the grant aid available.

### **92. Planning Matters**

Notification was received of the grant of planning permission in respect of improvements to parking, Belsay Hall Drive (22/01031/LBC)

**93. Correspondence**

- A copy of the Local Plan was received from Northumberland County Council.
- Councillor Dodd undertook to contact the local resident complaining of light pollution from a neighbouring property.

**94. Financial Matters**

Members approved the following payments

Clerk Salary	£106.18
HMRC	£ 79.60
Hall hire	£ 25.00
NALC fees	£214.68

**95. Issues raised by members**

The noticeboard was in need of renovation or be replaced

There being no further business, the Vice Chair closed the meeting.

Chairman ..... Date .....