

# ***Harbottle Parish Council***

## **Minutes of the Meeting held on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2024** **At The Star Inn**

Present: Cllrs. S. Bolam, S. Kenny (Vice Chairman), J. Ormston, A. Stripp,  
S. Wardlaw (Chairman)

1. Apologies for absence: None

2. Declarations of Interest:

SB declared an interest in Planning Application No: 24NP0002 being a member of the National Park Development Management Committee

3. Minutes of the meeting held on 5<sup>th</sup> December 2023 were approved.

4. Matters arising:

SB reported that the new defibrillator had been installed on the wall of Sawmill Close in Sharperton.

5. Finance:

(i) A balance of £1,385 in the general account and £2,623.39 in the NPF account was noted.

(ii) Donations of £100 each to the Great North Ambulance Fund and the North Northumberland Hospice were approved.

(iii) £20 each to Julian Philipson and Karen Wilkinson were agreed as reimbursement for the electricity used by the defibrillators in Holystone and Harbottle.

6. Harbottle Surgery

Councillors were opposed to the proposal to re-site Harbottle surgery in a mobile van and resolved to write to the Health Authority accordingly.

7. Defibrillator/First Aid Training

With the new defibrillator at Sharperton, it was agreed to commission a defibrillator/first aid training course for residents of Sharperton as well as a refresher course for others.

8. Planning

Planning Application No: 24NP0002 for a small extension to Woodbine Cottage, Harbottle, was considered with no objections.

9. Date of Next Meeting:

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2024

Chairman