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Minutes of the Ordinary of the Parish Council held on 27th November 2023 at 7.00pm

Held at St. Leonards Hall, Burton Leonard.

(2023-2024 – 063) Present were, Cllr. Keith Townson, Cllr. Paul Bappoo, Cllr. Arthur Larry and Cllr. Cathy Kitchingham.

(2023-2024 – 064) Also present were David Taylor, Clerk. There were no members of the public.

(2023-2024 – 065) Apologies were received from Cllr. Fiona Barwick.

(2023-2024 – 066) It was **resolved** that the minutes of the meeting held on 12th October 2023 having been circulated for consideration beforehand were true and correct records. The Chair was authorised to sign them accordingly.

Reports:

(2023-2024 – 067) There was no report from Cllr Robert Windass from North Yorkshire Council.

(2023-2024 - 068) The Clerk reported that:-

- 1. Concerning the Parish Magazine: he had tried to communicate with the Editor of the PM but had not managed to speak with her yet. He was unsure what to put in the magazine. He was told by members that if there was no news then there was no need to draft copy. They suggested that he look at past copies of the PM.
- 2. He enquired if the members are receiving the emails he sends out. All members except Cllr Kitchingman said that they did. The Clerk will recheck the spelling of Cllr Kitchingman's email address on his system and send a test email.
- 3. He explained that North Yorkshire Council have requested that the Parish Precept demand is submitted by the end of August.
- 4. He asked what the bill from Scottish Water was in respect of.
- 5. He reported that he still has no access to Barclays Bank information as he is not on the mandate. He stressed that in order for him to be a Responsible Financial Officer he had to have control over the banking facilities of the Parish Council.

(2023-2024 – 069) The meeting considered the idea of a creating a community library in the village telephone box. The fundamental problem with this proposal is that the kiosk is still owned by BT and not the village, therefore it is not in the Parish Council's power to do this. It may be worth the person concerned looking at the possibility of suggesting that this scheme is run in the church.

(2023-2024 – 070) It was **resolved** that the Clerk can transfer the Website to another platform provider in order to make it easier to administer.

(2023-2024 – 071) The meeting **heard** that the drainage ditch on Limekilns Lane requires clearing.

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(2023-2024 – 072) There was concern about the leaves on footways in the village not being cleared by NYC. Farm and Land should be asked to install the speed gates in the village

Correspondence:

- (2023-2024 073) A letter to the Parish Council from local Citizens Advice was considered. It was **resolved** to defer this matter until Cllr Barwick is able to consider the letter as well.
- **(2023-2024 074)** A letter to the Parish Council from Kate Dawson NYC containing feedback from the Commuted Sums and CILs session was considered. It was noted that this situation is still far from resolved as there are many inconsistencies in the way the system is managed and decided. The contents were noted. The Parish Council considered applying for funding in respect of benches on the village green Cllr. Bapoo said that he would report back.
- (2023-2024 075) A letter regarding a Campaign to Clean Up the River Nidd was received. The contents were noted.
- (2023-2024 076) A letter regarding NYC Draft Housing Strategy Consultation The contents were noted.
- **(2023-2024 077)** A letter regarding Self-build and Custom Housebuilding Register consultation (PCs)
- (2023-2024 078) A letter regarding a new local plan for North Yorkshire. The contents were noted.
- **(2023-2024 079)** A letter regarding plans to develop household waste recycling centres. The contents were noted.

Financial Matters:

- (2023-2024 080) The accounts for payment as listed on "Appendix A", below, were approved for payment.
- **(2023-2024 081)** A Bank Reconciliation / Income & expenditure report to the period 27^{th} November 2023 (including all payments up to and over £100.00) was not available due to a lack of information held by the Clerk.
- (2023-2024 082) A Spending v Budget report to the period 27th November 2023_was not available due to a lack of information held by the Clerk.

Planning Decision Notices:

- **(2023-2024 083) Planning Enforcement Letter. 23-00230-BRPC15**. Flats House Scarah Lane Burton Leonard. HG3 3RS Non-compliance of re-planting condition 22/03138/TPO. (Planning Ref: 22/03138/TPO). This matter was noted and the meeting heard that Cllr Bapoo is involved with this intervention.
- **(2023-2024 084) Planning Decision Notification** ZC23-02938-FUL. Erection of 2no. glass roofed open sided canopies to the rear and side elevation. 1 Hymas Court Burton Leonard. Mr Martin Jackson. Application approved subject to conditions.
 - **NB- Planning applications.** All Comments and returns from the Parish Council can be seen on the NYC planning portal. Please see the note below for the meaning of Return Options.

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Planning Applications:

(2023-2024 – 085) Planning Application ZC23/03643/FUL Demolition of existing garage, side extensions to be replaced with 2 no. side extensions. Installation of 16 solar panels to the southeast elevation main roof and air source heat pump to the south west elevation. Replacement doors and windows. 2 Pinfold, High Peter Lane, Burton Leonard. HG3 3RZ.

(2023-2024 – 086) Planning Application ZC2-03808-TPO. Beech tree (T1) within A1 of Tree Preservation Order 59/2015. Reduce canopy tending toward the east by 2m leaving a canopy spread to the east of 5m. etc. 4 Beck View Burton Leonard. HG3 3FF. Mrs S Hart.

(2023-2024 – 087) It was confirmed that the next Ordinary meeting of the Parish Council would be an ordinary meeting on Monday 8th January 2024 at 7.00pm.

(2023-2024 – 088) It was **resolved** to approve the schedule of meetings which appears at "**Appendix D**", below.

(2023-2024 - 089) The meeting closed at 9.15pm.

These minutes were recorded and prepared by the Clerk to the Burton Leonard Parish Council, David Taylor.

Signed as a true record by Cllr. Fiona Barwick, Chair.

Date:

These minutes are in draft form only and will not be classed as officially recorded minutes until ratified at the next meeting of the Burton Leonard Parish Council.

At the Ordinary Meeting of the Burton Leonard Parish Council held on **8th January 2024** it was resolved by unanimous vote to approve these Minutes, copies of which had been previously circulated to Members, as a true and correct record. These Minutes were then signed by the Chairman accordingly.

The signed Minutes are held in the Parish Council minute book at the Clerk's address, below, and can be viewed by prior appointment.

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When returning a standard form Parish Council Notification consultation decision there are four options that the Council can return. These are: **Option A** – The Parish Council has no objections.

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Option B – The Parish Council objects on the planning grounds set out overleaf.

Option C – The Parish Council does not object to or support the application but wishes to make comments or seek safeguards set out overleaf.

Option D - The Parish Council supports the application.

Appendix "A" – Schedule of accounts approved for payment.

- a. Clerks Salary
- b. PAYE Clerk
- c. Standing Office Expenses
- d. Chess ICT

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Appendix "B" — Schedule of Forthcoming Meetings of Burton Leonard Parish Council:

Monday 8th **January** 2024 Ordinary Meeting. St Leonard's Hall, Burton

Leonard.

Monday 4th **March** 2024 Ordinary Meeting. St Leonard's Hall, Burton

Leonard.

Tuesday 7th **May** 2024 Ordinary Meeting, the Annual Meeting of

the Parish Council and the Annual Village Meeting of Burton Leonard. St Leonard's

Hall, Burton Leonard.

Monday 1st **July** 2024 Ordinary Meeting. St Leonard's Hall, Burton

Leonard.

Monday 2nd **September** 2024

Leonard.

Ordinary Meeting. St Leonard's Hall, Burton

Monday 4th **November** 2024 Ordinary Meeting. St Leonard's Hall, Burton

Leonard.

Monday 6th **January** 2025 Ordinary Meeting. St Leonard's Hall, Burton

Leonard.

- **All** meetings that are held on the 1st Monday of the month unless otherwise stated at St Leonard's Hall, Burton Leonard.
- **All** meetings start at 7.00pm unless otherwise advised. There will be a public participation session lasting 15 minutes prior to the start of each meeting.
- **Ordinary** Meetings will be held every other month. Extra Planning Meetings will be held where necessary.
- **Annual** Village Meetings will be held in succession before the Annual Meeting of the Parish Council.
- **There** will be six meetings per year unless more are required when extraordinary meetings may be called. These will be publicised on the Parish Council Website and the usual local noticeboards.
- **Please** check notice boards and the Parish Council website for changes to dates, times & venue.