

**MINUTES OF STANTON-ON-THE-WOLDS ANNUAL PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD IN THE  
PARISH CHURCH ON TUESDAY 9<sup>th</sup> MAY 2023 AT 7.30PM.**

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**PRESENT:**

**Chair:** Cllr Robert Day

**Parish Councillors:** Cllrs Danielson, Spillane, Watson

**Also present:** Michelle Law (Clerk) minuted the meeting.

Emma Goodman – RFO

**County / Borough:** Cllr Cottee, Inglis and Wells

23/0046 Apologies

Apologies had been received from Cllr Browett and the reason for absence was **ACCEPTED**.

23/0047 Declarations of interest

There were no declarations of interest.

23/0048 Election of Chair

Cllr Day was proposed, seconded and duly **ELECTED** as Chair.

23/0049 Election of Vice Chair

Cllr Watson was proposed, seconded and duly **ELECTED** as vice chair.

23/0050 Chair and Vice Chair's declaration of acceptance of office

Cllr Day signed the declaration of acceptance of office as Chair. Cllr Watson signed the declaration of acceptance of office as Vice Chair.

23/0051 Council members acceptance of office

Cllr Danielson signed the declaration of acceptance of office. It was **AGREED** that as Cllr Browett was unable to attend the meeting that she would sign her acceptance of office as soon as possible.

23/0052 Training

The Clerk informed Council that NALC often do training courses for Councillor's and it was **AGREED** that Councillors would undertake any training that they thought relevant to them.

23/0053 Council Vacancies

As not all seats have been filled on the Parish Council via the recent election, it was **AGREED** that the Clerk will advertise the vacant seats in the noticeboards and on the website to see if anyone would like to join the Parish Council.

23/0054 Open Session for the public (limited to 15 minutes)

There were no items brought for discussion under this item.

23/0055 Minutes

- a. Full Council Meeting minutes dated 7<sup>th</sup> March 2023 – **APPROVED** and signed by Cllr Day as a true record.

23/0056 Review of delegation arrangements

It was **NOTED** that Michelle Law (Clerk) is the proper officer for the Council and that Emma Goodman is the responsible finance officer for the council.

23/0057 Matters arising from the Full Council Meeting 7<sup>th</sup> March 2023

- a. Queens platinum jubilee bench – It was **AGREED** that the Clerk will write to county councillor John Cottee, to ask for a grant for the base of the bench. It was further **NOTED** that the bench has now been purchased.
- b. New litter bins – The Clerk informed the council that Streetwise have **CONFIRMED** that a new dual purpose litter bin will be installed at the end of the footpath which is opposite the entrance to the golf course.
- c. Kings Coronation planter boxes – The planter boxes have now been created and installed at each of the village signs as you entre the village. The council would like to give thanks to Cllr Rob Day for all of his hard work in sourcing the materials and creating the boxes.
- d. Storage unit at a recent barn conversion - The Clerk had nothing to report on this item, so it will be brought forward to the next meeting.

- e. Facebook page – The Facebook page for the parish council is now up and running, and the Clerk has urged Councillors to share the page with people in the area who may be interested in the page. The Clerk will update the page as they receive new information.

23/0058 Agenda items not covered elsewhere.

There were no new agenda items for this meeting.

23/0059 Finance

- a. A schedule of payments and reimbursements included in the briefing notes for the meeting was **APPROVED** for payment (appendix 1).  
b. The budget monitoring report was **APPROVED** (appendix 2).

23/0060 Planning applications

- a. 23/0043/FUL – Land South of Thurlby Lane, Stanton-on-the-Wolds – **NO OBJECTION**  
b. 23/00774/FUL – 120 Melton Road, Stanton-on-the-Wolds – **NO OBJECTION**

23/0061 Correspondence items not covered elsewhere.

There were no items of correspondence for the meeting.

23/0062 County / Borough Councillor updates

Cllr Rob Inglis gave these updates:

- If any council members or members of the public have any questions, then they can contact any of the County or Borough Councils at any time to ask the question. They don't need to wait until the next Parish Council meeting to ask the question.
- If there is anything in the community that the Parish Council would like a grant towards then they can apply for grants through the Rushcliffe Borough Council Councillors.
- Rural businesses and Farms have been encouraged to join the rural WhatsApp group, where local people can keep each other informed of crime that is happening in the area. Recently 6 people have been caught and charged with one million pounds worth of rural crimes in the Rushcliffe area.
- There is now a new rural speed watch team and if any residents would like to join the initiative, then they can contact Cllr Rob Inglis and he can provide some more information.

Cllr John Cottee gave these updates:

- John Cottee will ask if there any updates from the highways department regarding the previous flooding that has taken place at the Church / Willowbrook School.
- The local communities fund is currently open and will close at the end of June, it will then reopen again in September for two and a half months. You can apply for and use this fund to do things like buy benches and update historic village signs. The form for the application is on the County Council website.
- The tour of Britain will be returning to Nottinghamshire again in September but will not be going through Rushcliffe this time.

**There being no further business, the Chair closed the meeting at approximately 8.10pm**

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