

Minutes of an ordinary meeting of Edlingham Parish Council held at 730pm on Monday 13th February 2023 at Thrunton Fishery

Those Present: Cllr T Drummond (Chairman) Cllr A Hall, Cllr N Hargreaves, Cllr G Herdman, Cllr J Herdman, Cllr F Manners, C Miller (Clerk)

2023/01 Apologies for Absence

Cllr C Blythe, Cllr R Robson, County Cllr W Pattison

2023/02 Declaration of Interests

- Cllr Drummond declared an interest in Planning Application NO: 22/04632/FUL, Birsley Woodside, Edlingham – Proposed alteration and extensions to existing dwelling along with annexed accommodation to outbuilding.

2023/03 Co-Option Vacancies

There had been no applications for the Co-Option Vacancies.

2023/04 Minutes of previous meeting held Monday 22nd November 2023

It was resolved that the minutes of the previous meeting held Monday 22nd November 2023 be accepted as a true record.

2023/05 Problems due to off road vehicles within the parish

Cllr C Blythe had been unable to meet with the police on a mutual convenient date to discuss ongoing issues with off road vehicles. Further problems had occurred over the Christmas period.

2023/06 Hole in road at top of Edlingham village

County Council had actioned road repair.

2023/07 County Cllr Update

County Cllr had given apologies.

2023/08 Planning

2023/08/01 Planning Applications received

- 22/04632/FUL: Birsley Woodside, Edlingham – Proposed alteration and extensions to existing dwelling along with annexed accommodation to outbuilding – County Council had refused planning permission.
- 23/00130/LBC: Forge Cottage, Lemmington Hall – Listed Building consent for proposed new garden shed/tool store – application now withdrawn.

2023/09 Finance

2023/09/01 The following accounts are to be authorised:

- C Miller – annual salary and expenses. Salary includes NJC pay award for year ending 31/3/22 and 31/3/23 - £489.93; HMRC – PAYE - £83.20

It was resolved to approve the payments.

2023/10 Superfast broadband for rural communities

Services were available through Alncom, although not quite superfast speed.

2023/11 Edlingham Community Association

Nothing to report.

2023/12 Request for priority traffic signage at Jockey's Dyke Bridge

Trees had been pruned which had alleviated road safety concerns.

2023/13 Possible bus service, Edingham village

County Council had enquired whether the Parish Council considered the need for a bus service to the village via the daily service from Thropton to Alnwick, however it was resolved this was not considered necessary.

2023/14 To consider Coronation Celebration

A parishioner had contacted the Parish Council to firstly offer to hold a coronation celebration on their land in a marquee, however on hindsight they had then suggested an event in Bolton Village Hall. After consideration it was resolved the Parish Council did not have the resources to host an event.

2023/15 Annual review of Asset Register

It was resolved the Asset Register was a true record of the Parish Council assets.

2023/16 Annual review of Risk Assessment

It was resolved the Risk Assessment was sufficient for the present needs of the Parish Council.

2023/17 Urgent Business/Items for Next Meeting

There was no urgent business/items for next meeting.

2023/18 Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting of Edlingham Parish Council will be held on Monday 15th May 2023 commencing 8pm at Thrunton Fishery



Claire Miller
Parish Clerk

The meeting closed at 745pm

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