

Kirkwhelpington Parish Council

Extraordinary Parish Council Meeting

Friday 31 March 2023

Present Cllrs R Thornton (chair) Palmer, Purvis, Neale and Rogerson.

Apologies received from Cllr Fortune and Mr D Pearson chair of Village hall committee.

Kirkwhelpington Parish Council held an extra meeting on 31st March 2023 to discuss the gift of land to the Village Hall Committee and the purchase of a generator to be kept in the hall for use during power cuts. After thorough discussion it was agreed that The Council would gift the hall committee the small amount of land required for the extension proposed once planning was approved and funding confirmed. A codicil would be written into the agreement to ensure the building would always be used for the benefit of the residents of the Parish. If there was a change of use then recompense would need to be paid at the rate applicable then . The Hall committee would be responsible for the drawing up of any legal documents and any expenses incurred.

The second item was the purchase of a generator to be used in the village hall by parishioners during power cuts.

Quotes has been received from Robson and Cowan for 2 machines and after discussion it was agreed we should purchase a 5.5kva Honda + wheel kit at a cost of £2424.89 inc vat.

Cllr Rogerson then asked if a cheque had been issued for Mr Renwick of Countryside Landscapes ltd for work done.

After discussion it was agreed that we believed one had, but another could be issued if this was incorrect.

The chair thanked everyone for their attendance at such short notice and closed the meeting at 7.25 pm.