

Skeffling Parish Council

Minutes of Meeting held on 1st November 2022
Held at the Village Hall, Skeffling

Present:- Cllr R. Newsam Chair (**RN**) Chair

Cllr D Gent (**DG**)

Cllr P Payne (**PP**)

Cllr J Sizer (**JS**)

Clerk – L Purdon

- 1/ To receive apologies for absence – L. Payne, H. Wykes
- 2/ Councillors to disclose interests in matters to be discussed – non
- 3/ To confirm Minutes of the meeting held on 4th October 2022 – proposed by **RN**, seconded by **JS**, Agreed by all
- 4/ Matters arising – to consider any matters arising from the 4th October meeting – **PP** advised that the Spring bulbs donated by The Lyons have been planted and these will be looked after overwinter.
- 5/ To agree a Schedule of Payments for November -
Clerk's salary (September) - £110.00
Proposed by **JS**, seconded by **DG**, agreed by all
RN issued a cheque and **JS** countersigned
- 6/ To receive Clerk and Councillor updates – **RN** advised he had checked the planning website regarding the Application for Major Acre and no decision appears to have been made yet. He is also still looking at quotes For replacement glazing for the Village Hall windows.
- 7/ To receive the report from the Ward Councillor – no report
- 8/ To note correspondence received –

ERYC Your Money Support and Advice leaflet
Immingham Eastern Ro-Ro Terminal Development ("IERRT") – Supplementary Statutory Consultation
Low Carbon Pipeline consultation details
- 9/ To receive an update on the Bank Account – **RN** advised that after talking to Santander again We may be able to open a different account to fit our needs and was advised to apply by letter Which he will do over the coming days once all the information that needs to be included has been Received.

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- 11/** To discuss repairs to the playground area and receive an update on additional equipment
For the playground – **DG** and **JS** advised that they have enough timber to construct the
See-saw and balance board and will make a start on this once a day has been arranged.
- 12/** To discuss Bonfire Night celebrations - this was discussed at length and it was advised that in
A joint effort all food has been ordered, cooking/storing equipment sorted, fireworks purchased and
Times agreed ready for the event. **JS** commented that there appears to be a lot of interest from
People in all areas looking to attend and it should be a successful event.
- 13/** To discuss the Budget for 2023 – **RN** advised that the budget needs to be looked at ready to
Set the Precept for next year. Each item on the spreadsheet provided was discussed and figures
Agreed. The Clerk's salary was discussed at length and it was agreed to increase the hourly rate
To £12 and to add an extra 30mins per week to make a total of 12 hours per month. **PP** suggested
This increase to start in January 2023. Proposed by **DG**, seconded by **JS** and agreed by all.
The precept of £3,000.00 was proposed by **RN**, seconded by **PP** and agreed by all.
- 14/** To consider the Civility and Respect Pledge – this was briefly discussed and it was agreed
To defer until the next meeting to have more time to look into it before a decision is made.
- 15/** Members of the public are invited to address the council – non
- 16/** A.O.B. – non

Meeting closed at 20.44pm

Next meeting on 6th December 2022

 (CHAIRMAN)

6.12.22