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Minutes of a 'zoom' meeting of Ashby Parkland Parish Council held on Tuesday 12th January 2021 at 6pm.

PRESENT: Chairman: Cllr B Holloway, Cllr L Walker, Cllr P Devine, Cllr C Waters,

Cllr D Oldfield.

IN ATTENDANCE: Ward Councillor J Walshe, Mrs K Pickering(Clerk).

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No matters raised.

1 .**APOLOGIES**: None.

- 2. DECLARATION OF INTEREST ON ANY AGENDA ITEM None.
- 3. ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON ZOOM ON 21ST JULY 2020 AND PAPERS RELATING TO THE SEPTEMBER AND NOVEMMBER 2020 BUSINESS TRANSACTED.

Proposed by Cllr C Waters, seconded by Cllr D Oldfield and agreed unanimously.

4. CLERKS UPDATES

- i. Parish Council meetings should continue to be held remotely. Parish Councillors can continue to be granted dispensation to any councillor for non attendance if they are unable to join a remote meeting.
- PLANNING Opportunity for one person from each side to state within 3 minutes objection/support of contested applications.
 No planning applications received.

6. FINANCE

a) Accounts for payment

	Ch. No.	Amount
Clerk - Salary – Dec/Jan	100542	461.46
Clerks Expenses:		
Stamps – stationery +photocopies		
Total Expenses	100543	12.10
Inland Revenue – for Dec	100544	12.80
Inland Revenue - for Jan	100545	12.80

The above accounts were approved for payment – proposed by Cllr C Waters and seconded by Cllr D Oldfield and unanimously agreed.

- b) To receive Income and Expenditure year to date sheet circulated with agenda. The income and expenditure sheet was approved with no variances noted.
- c) To give consideration to and to set the precept for 2021/2. Cllr Oldfield suggested that the Taxi Voucher scheme be progressed in 2021 as this scheme is meant to compliment the other services provided by N.L.C such as the 'Just Go' bus service. The taxi voucher scheme could well serve those with mobility problems or for doctors appointments. It was agreed that this scheme would be trialed for one year and would operate within a budget of £1000. The clerk will circulate to councilors a template of conditions relating to this scheme which councilors should consider and this template (with any amendments required) will be considered and approved at the next parish council meeting.

N.B The clerk will check the legalities of this scheme and report back to councilors accordingly.

IT WAS RESOLVED to set a precept of £4,000.

7. Any Other Parish Matters

Cllr Holloway asked the meeting if the 'Just Go' bus service had been adequately advertised as he was not aware of seeing this service promoted within the parish. Cllr Devine advised that a leaflet drop had taken place and th service had been featured within the N.L.C magazine. Cllr Devine did however report that the bus had not been on either of the sites as a 'road show' and Cllr walshe agreed to ask if the bus could undertake a 'road show' on the sites to promote the service it offers.

Cllr Walshe advised the meeting that the Northern roundabout (Farmers lane) is ahead of schedule and should be completed by 21st March.

Outline planning permission for the houses on Burringham Road was granted but with conditions including drainage works must be completed prior to any houses being built and an extension of the 30mph speed limit to the flyover. Cllr Oldfield asked if the 7.5T weight limit will still be in place and Cllr Walshe advised that this was the case.

Cllr Walshe advised that there are 5 covid vaccination centres in North Lincolnshire and hopefully the vaccination programme will be rolled out as quickly as possible.

N.L.C have secured £10m Government funding to redevelop the old market area.

Cllr Oldfield suggested that the clerk investigate the possibility of salt bins to be situated close to the golf course, Asda and the Woodside Estate. It was noted that the owners of the Parklands site have provided salt bins and Ashfield is gritted and there is a salt bin near the bus shelter. The clerk will enquire if these salt bins can be supplied by N.L.C free of charge, if not will obtain a quotation for the cost of salt bins.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 18.45pm

8. Date of next meeting – Tuesday 9th March 2021 – this will be a 'zoom' meeting.