

2023/24 – 09

Minutes of a meeting of Ashby Parkland Parish Council held on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> January 2024 at 6pm in Gunness Village Hall.

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

**IN ATTENDANCE:** Cllr J Walshe, Mrs K Pickering(Clerk).

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### **PUBLIC FORUM**

No members of the public present

1 **.APOLOGIES :** Cllr S Black.

2. **DECLARATION OF INTEREST ON ANY AGENDA ITEM :** No matters to declare.

3. **ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES OF THE MONTHLY PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 14<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2023**

Proposed by Cllr P Devine, seconded by Cllr C Waters and agreed unanimously.

4. **CLERKS UPDATES**

No updates to receive.

5. **PLANNING -** Opportunity for one person from each side to state within 3 minutes objection/support of contested applications.

**No planning applications received.**

6. **FINANCE**

| Accounts for payment:            | <b>Ch. No.</b> | <b>Amount</b> |
|----------------------------------|----------------|---------------|
| 1. Clerk - Salary – Dec/Jan      | 100660         | 374.70        |
| 2. Clerks Expenses :             |                |               |
| Stamps – 12.75                   |                |               |
| stationery/photocopy – 8.73      |                |               |
| Travel - £20.00                  |                |               |
| <b>Total Expenses</b>            | 100661         | 41.48         |
| 3. Inland Revenue – for December | 100662         | 33.40         |
| 4. Inland Revenue - for January  | 100663         | 33.20         |
| 5. Room Hire – Jan 24            | 100664         | 20.00         |

**The above accounts were approved for payment – proposed by Cllr P Devine and seconded by Cllr C Waters and unanimously agreed.**

**Income Received : 0**

b) To receive Income and Expenditure year to date sheet – circulated with agenda.

c) To receive and approve the bank reconciliations for Q' 1,2,3. The bank reconciliations were approved and signed by the chairman.

d)To confirm that a precept request has been made for £6,200 for the financial year 2024/5.

**7. North Lincolnshire council matters:**

a) Report from Ward Councillor J Walshe : Cllr Walshe reported that the hedge cutting on Burringham Road has been completed and that the construction of the Southern roundabout has been delayed and now out for re-tender and hopefully this will progress shortly. Cllr Walshe advised the parish council of the 'In Bloom' grant for 2024 which must be for the purchase of perennial shrubs/plants and applications must be received by 20/1/24. The meeting felt that they didn't have anywhere to plant perennial shrubs in the parish.

b) Any new N.L.C matters to report: Cllr Holloway advised the meeting that residents on Burringham Road have suffered with flooded drives as the drains/gullies along this road are blocked. Cllr Holloway asked Cllr Walshe to request that these gullies are cleaned out to prevent further flooding.

Youths have been riding a stolen motorbike around the pond and have now thrown the bike into the pond (rather than set fire to it). The drainage board have been contacted but have advised that it is not their responsibility to remove the bike, the police likewise. D Oldfield provided Cllr Holloway with a link to a 'stolen motorcycles' facebook page who have indicated that they will retrieve the bike in time. Cllr Holloway asked Cllr Walshe to ask 'Operation Yellow Fin' will consider retrieving the motorbike.

#### **8. Parish Matters**

- a) NATS meeting – Cllr Walshe reported that the next NATS meeting will be held on 23/1/24 at 2pm in Gunness village hall.
- b) The Ashfield Park Neighborhood Watch group is continuing and going from strength to strength.
- c) Parklands Neighborhood Watch Scheme – This group held their Christmas party which was well supported and a success.
- d) Any new local or site matters: The chairman raised the subject of the 'in Bloom' grants again and expressed disappointment that the criteria for this grant was not suitable for Ashby Parkland parish.

#### **9. Correspondence**

North Lincolnshire Council – Forthcoming meetings  
ERNLLCA/NALC – various information emails  
ERNLLCA newsletter

#### **10. Agenda items for next meeting.**

**11. Date of next meeting** – Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March 2024 , 6pm – Gunness village hall.