

KEXBY & SCOREBY PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of Kexby & Scoreby Parish Council Meeting held in Primrose Bank Tea Rooms on Thursday 15th December 2022 at 7.00pm

Present from Parish:- Cllr Jill Edwards (Chairman), Cllr Anne Longmore, Cllr Andrew Cole, Cllr Terry Marran & Cllr Andrew Wilkinson.

In Attendance:- Louise Pink – Clerk

Public Present:- Nil

1. Apologies for Absence

Councillors Kevin Daniels & John Mackfall. CYC Ward Councillors Mark Warters & Martin Rowley.

2. Declaration of Interests

Nothing noted.

3. Minutes

The council resolved that the minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 28th September 2022 were agreed and signed by the Chairman.

4. Matters Arising from the Minutes

- A. Community Payback - It was noted that there has been no response from the community payback team contact. As such, it was agreed for this to be left.
Churchyard – Cllr Daniels advised that he is waiting for the gate. Thanks were given by a resident for the strimming that has been done.
- B. Hagg Wood – No response received. The Friends of Hagg Wood organisation have approached CYC for an update. It was noted that some trees have been stripped out.
- C. Bus stop, Scoreby Lodge – Clerk to advise Tony Hudson from the York Bus Forum that the PC would like to see markings added to the road (the words 'Bus Stop in white lettering on the floor) rather than a sign. It is felt that a sign will interfere with driver's sightlines.
- D. Speed limit from Kexby Bridge to Grimston Bar – Nothing noted.
- E. Stopping up order – No update received from Cllr Mackfall.
- F. Meadowbank Farm – It was noted that no attempt has been made to amend the height of the bund. Clerk to request an update from CYC.

5. Matters Arising Since the Last Meeting

Chairman advised that the milestone plaque has been stolen. Due to the parish council finances it was agreed to not replace the plaque at this stage.

Chairman advised that Ward Councillor Mark Warters has written to Dave Atkinson @ CYC regarding a stone block to protect the fire hydrant in the layby outside Ivy House Farm. Clerk to speak to Dave Atkinson to establish prices.

6. Public Participation

No members of the public present at the meeting.

6A. Exclusion of the Public

N/A.

7. Plans for Approval and Other Planning Matters

7.1 No new planning applications received.

7.2 No results of decisions decided by CYC received.

7.3 Any other planning matters:-

CYC Planning Enforcement regarding 5 Hull Road, Kexby – An enforcement case has now been opened by , reference number CYC - 22/00383/EXTH but as yet no response has been received. Clerk to chase CYC for an update.

8. Clerk's Report

Nothing noted.

9. Correspondence

Nothing noted.

10. Financial Matters

10.1. The Clerk submitted the following accounts for payment by BACS:-

L Pink	Clerk's Salary	£171.41
L Pink	Expenses	£29.10

The accounts listed for payment were accepted and made by the clerk by BACS.

10.2. No accounts were submitted and approved for payment by cheque.

10.3. The following invoice was received after the production of the agenda and after discussion was agreed for payment:-

HMRC	Tax & NI	£149.60	BACS
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10.4. No income was received.

10.5. Any other urgent request submitted to the meeting:-

- (a) To decide on the level of precept for the financial year 2023/24 and to arrange for the signing of the form for City of York Council by both the Chairman and Clerk – After careful consideration the parish council agreed to increase the precept to £4,000 for the 2023/24 financial year. Given the current cost of living crisis this was a very difficult decision for the parish council to make.

However, it is clear that the parish council is unable to run effectively on the £1,800 precept that the parish council has taken for a long number of years. This increase is needed due to an increase in all costs, including the running costs of the parish council website which became a legal requirement. After discussion, it was agreed for the precept to be increased to £4,000. This increase is needed due to the increased costs to run the parish council, including the running costs of the parish council website which became a legal requirement. A note to be added to the website and on the noticeboard to explain the increase to residents.

11. Reports from Ward Councillors

Nothing additional noted.

12. Reports from Parish Councillors

The poaching meeting is scheduled for Thursday 19th January 23.

The York and North Yorkshire Devolution Deal Consultation ends on the 16th December. It was agreed that the PC do not wish to submit any comments.

The Coronation in May 2023 was discussed and a question asked as to whether the PC would consider doing something to celebrate the event. It was agreed for this to be added to the next agenda for full discussion.

Official thanks were given to Ward Councillor Mark Warters for the memorial tree.

An issue was raised regarding heavy goods lorries using Scoreby Lane. Clerk to investigate the weight restrictions of the road.

13. Items for Next Agenda

Coronation in May 23.

14. To note the Next Meeting Dates

The next meeting date is due in March 2023. Clerk to send out possible dates

Meeting Closed at 8.30pm.