

## SESSAY PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 30 AUGUST 2023 AT 7.00PM

IN SESSAY VILLAGE HALL

**Present :** **Councillors: David Willoughby (Chairman)** Simon Walburn (Vice Chairman), Elaine Andrews, Julie Ormston, Cllr Kevin Foster and two members of the public

Clerk: Sandra Windross

### Public Forum

A Parishioner attended regarding events that have taken place recently at The White Rose Caravan park. He advised there is a covenant on the car park which should prevent events been held on the car park, he advised that the noise was so loud he couldn't go out in his garden for 9 hours. Cllr Foster gave advice to the Parishioner of the action he could take if there were future events like this.

### Apologies

Apologies were received from Cllr Steve Prentice

### **2. Declarations of Interest**

**2.1** To receive any declarations of interest not already declared under the Council's Code of Conduct or members Register of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests and to receive and consider any applications for dispensation – **none received.**

### **3. Minutes of previous the meeting held on 28 June 2023**

The Clerk had circulated Minutes of the meeting held on 28 June 2023 which were approved and accepted, and the minutes were signed as a true and accurate record.

### **4. Receive information on the following ongoing issues and decide further action where necessary**

**4.1 Drains/Flooding in Sessay** – Cllr Willoughby reported during the heavy rain in early August Yorkshire Water had tankers at the pumping station at the North End of the village.

**4.2 Response from NY Police re speed cameras in village** – the clerk has not had a response to our request. It was agreed to send a reminder.

### **5. NYC matter**

Cllr Foster provided information on the following matters.

**5.1.1 New Mills** – Cllr Willoughby gave an update on the situation. Cllr Foster agreed to pursue this and hoped to have some further information at our next meeting.

**5.1.2 Road Widening – Legality and Safety**- A request has been put to Highways and Keane Duncan who is the Executive Member for Transport.

Cllr Foster reported with regret that the 20's Plenty campaign was voted against and will not be going forward. It will be up to Parishes to push for 20mph in their villages.

Approved .....

Cllr David Willoughby

Regarding our request for information regarding Birdforth Beck Bridge being inspected by an Engineer, Cllr Foster reported that there is a programme of inspections, and he will try to find out when the next inspection will take place and ask if we could be invited.

Cllr Foster advised that the application we made for replacement dementia friendly curtains in the village has been successful and we should receive information from NYC shortly with the paperwork to sign.

Cllr Willoughby asked if Cllr Foster could look into the situation of flooding to land adjacent to Dalton Bridge which NYC fail to resolve. It was agreed the clerk would send an e-mail regarding this area.

**6. Sessay Village Hall report**

In the absence of Cllr Prentice, Cllr Willoughby advised that things are progressing regarding the refurbishment, and work will commence as soon as the contractor is available.

**7. The following Planning applications were considered.**

**ZB23/01700/TPO** works to tree subject to a Tree Preservation Order 1995/09 Camp House Farm Main Street Sessay – Council had no comments.

**ZB23/01582/MRC** section 73a application for development carried out without complying with planning conditions 3, 4, 5 and 6 in regard to previously approved application 19/02703/FUL The Old Forge & Anvil Cottage Main Street Sessay Thirsk – Council had no comments.

**8. The following notices of Decisions/information received from NY Council**

**ZB23/01294/DDD** request to fell an ash tree with limb failure Midsummer Cottage Sessay Thirsk – **permitted**

**ZB23/01250/APN** application for prior notification for an open bay, steel portal frame lean too extension to existing agricultural building field south of Clarkwood Farm Sessay Thirsk – **Permitted**

**ZB23/01071/FUL** proposed detached double garage The Birches Main Street Sessay **refused**

**9. 20's Plenty**

As this campaign has now failed it was agreed Cllr Andrews would prepare a review plan identifying where we wish the Speed limits within the Parish to be reviewed together with a budget for any speed reducing incentives. The Clerk was asked if she can obtain plans from NYC, If she is unsuccessful then it was agreed to subscribe to Parish Online.

**10. Financial matters**

10.1 The following accounts were approved for payment:

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|--------------------------|---------|
| S. Windross salary       | £380.56 |
| Clerks approved expenses | £62.90  |
| HMRC PAYE                | £95.00  |
| SGS                      | £151.20 |

10.2 The bank reconciliation was accepted.

**11. Correspondence received by the Clerk and circulated and confirmed by the Council**

E-mails from YLCA Chief Executives bulletin

Approved .....  
Cllr David Willoughby

E-mails from YLCA Training/Discussion Forum Bulletin  
E-mails from YLCA White Rose Bulletin  
E-mail from Jennifer Green 07-06-2023

**13. Minor matters and Agenda items for the next meeting**

Cllr Andrews requested White Rose Caravan Park be placed on the Agenda.

**The meeting closed at 8.00pm the next meeting was scheduled for 18 October 2023 at 7pm.**

Approved .....  
Cllr David Willoughby