

SESSAY PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 18 OCTOBER 2023 AT 7.00PM

IN SESSAY VILLAGE HALL

Present : **Councillors: David Willoughby (Chairman)** Simon Walburn (Vice Chairman), Elaine Andrews, Julie Ormston, Steve Prentice.

Clerk: Sandra Windross

Public Forum

Apologies

No apologies were received.

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 30 August 2023

The Clerk had circulated Minutes of the meeting held on 30 August 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 – Nothing further to report on this matter.

4.2 Response from NY Police re speed cameras in village – it was agreed to chase as no response has been received.

5. NYC matters

5.1 New Mills – We have not had any further update.

5.2 Road Widening – Footpaths - A Parishioner had cut the hedge for safety reasons, and it is growing again.

It was agreed to write to NYC regarding the above matters asking what action has been taken regarding making the access through New Mills accessible for wheelchairs and other wheeled vehicles, if action is being taken regarding the unusable condition of the footpath to the School (Parent and child or wheelchairs) and also could we see a report on Birdforth Bridge as it is a concern to many parishioners as to its safety.

6. Sessay Village Hall report

Cllr Willoughby advised the builders are due to start in the next two weeks. It was felt we may have to use the Village Hall bar for our next meeting. It was agreed to place on the Agenda for the next meeting a grant to the Village Hall refurbishment from CIL funds.

7. To confirm the meeting dates for 2024

Approved

Cllr David Willoughby

The following dates were agreed 14th February 17th April 15th May 12th June 14th August 16th October and 11th December.

8. The following Planning applications were considered.

ZE23/01753/CLE application for certificate of lawfulness (existing) for siting of a Cabin/Chalet land north west of Tall Trees Farm Sessay – **No objection**

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

ZB23/01700/TPO works to tree subject to a Tree Preservation Order 1995/09 Camp House Farm Main Street Sessay – **Granted.**

10. The White Rose Caravan Park

The Council were disappointed to record that the planning appeal has been allowed.

11. 20's Plenty and consideration of a plan to create a 20mph in Sessay and Hutton Sessay.

It was agreed to subscribe to Parish Online. Cllr Andrews advised that she would have a plan for the next meeting.

12. Financial matters

12.1 The following accounts were approved for payment:

S. Windross salary	£295.88
Clerks approved expenses	£48.60
HMRC PAYE	£74.00
SGS	£228.80
Solutions Now	£21.59

12.2 The bank reconciliation was accepted.

12.3 The Locality Grant was accepted and signed by the Chairman and Vice Chairman.

13. Correspondence received by the Clerk and circulated and confirmed by the Council

E-mails from YLCA Chief Executives bulletin

E-mails from YLCA Training/Discussion Forum Bulletin

E-mails from YLCA White Rose Bulletin

14. Minor matters and Agenda items for the next meeting

All Councillors has no matters.

15. The meeting closed at 7.24pm the next meeting was scheduled for 13 December 2023 at 7pm.

Approved

Cllr David Willoughby