

GRASSINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting of Grassington Parish council held in the Council office on

 Wednesday 24th July 2019 at 7.30pm

**Chairman: Cllr R Charlton**

**Councillors: Cllr Smith, Cllr Johnson, Cllr Lofthouse, Cllr Kendall & Cllr Brooksbank,**

**Officer: Mrs L Close (Clerk)**

**Present: Councillor R Foster**

**Chairman’s Remarks**

Cllr Charlton welcomed everybody to the meeting and thanked them for attending

**2019/45 - Item 1 – To accept reasons for Absence**

Councillor Rooze and Councillor Booth who were on holiday and Councillor Darwin who had a prior engagement

**2019/46 - Item 2 – Disclosures of Interest and Dispensations received in respect of this meeting**

None

**2019/47 - Item 3 – Minutes of the previous meeting**

Proposed by Councillor P Johnson

Seconded by Councillor B Smith

**RESOLVED** that the minutes of Thursday 28th June 2019 meeting are signed as a true and accurate record.

**2019 /48 - Item 4 – Financial Matters**

**Bank Reconciliation**

£37,906.95

**Schedule of payments and receipts (July 2019)**

Proposed by Cllr B Kendall

Seconded by Cllr P Johnson

**RESOLVED** that the schedule of payments made totalling £848.15 payments received £210.00 and the bank reconciliation be made accepted.

The Lighting bill from NYCC will be held over until a completion of works, as requested, is provided by them.

A request for more parking permits had been received. It was decided that Councillor Charlton with speak with the hub as there seemed to be a discrepancy in the amount purchased and what was left to use.

**2019/49 - Item 5 – Lighting**

Councillor T Lofthouse gave an update of lighting issues and confirmed that outstanding work would be completed. It was requested this be done in September after the tourist season had slowed down.

**2019/50 - Item 6 – Property Matters**

There were ongoing discussions regarding the possibility of parking meters in the square and the Chamber of Trade were involved in this and the use of them being self-funded.

No further updates from the Town Hall could be given.

**2019/ 51 - Item 7 – Playground Matters**

It was reported that the gate on the football side was not closing properly and there was an issue of protruding nails. Councillor Charlton to speak to a contractor to fix this and Councillor Kendall would complete the inspections for the remainder of July.

**2019/52 - Item 8 – Allotments**

The fallen wall at the allotments was still waiting to be repaired.

**2019/53 - Item 9 – Highways**

A hole that had been repaired outside a shop on the high street had started to re appear, Councillor Kendall reported it to Highways.

**2019/54 – Item 10 District / County Councillors**

Councillor Foster confirmed he was now on the planning committee of the YDNPA. He also reported that the Chamber of trade had produced and distributed a leaflet promoting what was on and to do in Grassington.

**2019/55 - Item 11 – Planning**

C/33/532 – 1 Hardy Grange – All support

C/33/529A – Hardy Meadows – All support

 C/33/521A – New Dyke Barn – Approved conditionally

C/33/184N – Town Head Farm – Approved conditionally

**2019/56 - Item 12 – Matters Requested by Councillors**

It was resolved unanimously to purchase cans of oil for the use of the benches

A finance committee meeting was scheduled for 14th August at 6.30pm

**2019/57- Item 13 – Correspondence**

**2019/44- Item 14 – Matters Raised by the Public**

No members of the public were present

*Notification of business for future agenda should be 7 clear days of the next meeting.*

*The next meeting of the council would be Thursday 22nd August at 7.30pm*

With no further business discussed the meeting closed at 20.10pm