

Barmby on the Marsh Parish Council

Meeting Minutes

Date: 10th January 2023

Time: 7.30 pm

Venue: Barmby on the Marsh Institute

Minutes of the meeting held in the Institute and chaired by Mr Liam Smith

1. **Members Present:** David Thomas, Iain Cook, David Pridmore, Simon Frost, Tim Leighton. Also in attendance for agenda item 5 were Councillor H Roberts (Howden Town Council), Councillor R Pickles (Asselby Parish Council) and Ward Councillor C Bayram
2. **Apologies:** Dianne Hill
3. **Declarations of personal & prejudicial interest:** None
4. **Confirmation of Minutes of the last meeting:** The Minutes of the meeting were agreed
5. **Matters arising from the Minutes of the last meeting:**
 - I. To discuss a shared local approach to Knedlington Crossroads road safety. It was agreed that the three Councils would continue to move forward with a joint approach to ERC to negotiate improvements to road safety on and around the crossroads. An initial information and data gathering activity was agreed in order to support the case for improvements and actions taken include re-advertising the recent web survey in order to elicit further responses and submitting a FOI request to ERC to obtain accident statistics.
6. **Church/Chapel:** An article has been published recently in the Yorkshire Post regarding the adoption of the church which will be displayed at the church .
7. **Burial Ground:** Nothing to report.
8. **Accounts:** Bank balance stands at £5,805
 - I. Receipts in (nothing to report)
 - II. Payments out
 - i. Clerk's wages
 - ii. Burial Ground maintenance (July-Dec) £600
 - iii. Dog waste bags, poppy wreath, Queen memorial wreath £213
 - iv. Grass cutting £485
 - v. Bank charges £5.40
 - III. The 2023/24 budget was presented, discussed and agreed
 - IV. It was agreed to maintain the precept for the coming year at £5,000

- V. A new bank account has been opened with Lloyds Bank and the relevant documentation received. It was agreed to transfer the remaining funds and to close the existing HSBC account once an accurate balance has been received.
9. **Highways and Paths:** An approach is to be made to ERC to obtain funding for grass cutting along Crakemere Lane and the river bank.
- 10. Planning:** Nothing to report
- 11. Correspondence/General:**
- I. The request for a new school governor for Barmby Primary School was discussed
 - II. A charitable donation to the Goole GoFar service was agreed in principle pending further details on the availability of the service to Barmby residents and the intended use of the donation.
 - III. It was agreed during the budget discussions to include a small amount for Councillor training courses from professional bodies such as ERNLLCA.
- 12. Legal/Statutory:**
- I. It was agreed to adopt the minor update from the model standing orders.
- 13. Agenda for next meeting:** As this one, plus additional matters to be added nearer the time.
- 14. Next Meeting:** 7th March 2023
- 15. AOB:** There being no other business the meeting closed at 8.45 pm

Lisa Delamore – Parish Clerk