

MINUTES OF SPROATLEY PARISH COUNCIL MEETING
HELD ON TUESDAY 3RD OCTOBER 2023

PRESENT

Madam Chairman: A. Dalton Vice Chairman: N Smales
 Councillors: M Cockbill, G Fairbairn, S Greenbank, D Gunnis, J Jackson,
 C Tomlinson & T Wright
 Apologies: H Buck & J Urry

1 member of the public & PCSO Darren Bainton in attendance

(2335) Crime Figures & Anti-Social Behaviour

September – 2/9/23 Shop theft of tube of pringles

PCSO Darren Bainton attended the meeting and chatted about the local crimes and keeping properties and belongings safe in the winter with the dark nights.

He talked about speeding issues and advised a cut out policeman could be obtained from the Hull Network at a cost of approximately £80 – Clerk to look into further.

(2458) Rathlin Energy Liaison Committee

Ongoing

(2542) St Swithins Church

Fund currently stands at £57,790.68 which includes a further £2000 from the gentlemen in America.

£5000 had been received from the Windfarm Community Fund, this cannot be used towards the restoration but can be used for the Architects fees. Currently awaiting quotes from 3 companies.

The scarecrow festival went down very well - clerk to email Sally Hollyman passing on our thanks.

Upcoming events 27th October flower arranging class and 18th November Christmas Fayre.

(2581) Dyke near Village Hall

Ongoing

(2594) Road markings Park Road

Ongoing.

Clerk had received an email from ERYC advising Chestnut Grove white lines will also be added to the list for this financial year.

(2598) Planning application GB Bio Limited

Ongoing

(2602) Traffic calming

Darren Bainton advised they are unable to do any permanent speed checks due to the results of the speed survey. The portable speed gun is currently broken and they will need to find funds to have this fixed.

Cllr Gunnis suggested all the local parish councils could contribute towards this. Darren will look into this and come back to us.

(2613) Seat Thirtleby Lane

The concrete base had been laid and the bench should be installed in the next few days.

(2619) Emergency Plan

Ongoing

Signed Date

(2627) Armistice day

Cllrs Gunnis and Urry will test the PA system and will check if we have sufficient order of services.

Constable Arms had agreed to arrange the buffet for the day.

Clerk to contact Bilton Parish Council to ask if they have details of a bugler they know of.

Madam Chairman is going to ask Keith Turner if he would lay the wreath this year on behalf of the village. His father lived in Marton and would have liked his name on the war memorial - all in favour.

(2628) Community Governance Review

Clerk had collated all the comments and submitted these to ERYC.

(2630) Flowerbeds The Green

As there was only one flowerbed to be done Cllrs Smales & Greenbank had attended to this.

(2631) Christmas tree & lights

The date for the switch on was agreed for Monday 4th December. Cllr Gunnis will arrange for the lights to be pat tested again and Clerk to advise the school and The Holderness Lions of the date.

Correspondence

Letter received with regards to the Dogger Bank consultation, all Cllrs were aware of the public consultation meetings to be held.

Madam Chairman read out a letter from St Swithin's Church Restoration Appeal Committee thanking us for the kind donation of £25 for the prize at the scarecrow display.

Accounts for payment

Mrs E Mitchell	Clerks Wages September 2023	£376.67
Sproatley PCC	Scarecrow prize donation	£ 25.00

Cllr Jackson proposed, Cllr Smales seconded – all in favour.

Council Box

Nothing

The meeting closed at 8.15pm

Signed Date