Minutes of a meeting of Hinderwell Parish Council 7th April 2022, 7pm at St Hilda's Old School, Hinderwell

A letter of resignation was received from Cllr Norman Fowler who is retiring after over 33 years service to the community – reluctantly accepted.

A letter from Chairman was read out confirming that he will cease his duties as Councillor on 1st May 2022 – reluctantly accepted.

Clerk to write letter of thanks to both.

2022:04-00 Those Present

Cllr A Jackson Chair; Cllrs: Longster, C Jackson, Smith, Brooker, Endean, Bailey. Cllr D Chance NYCC, PCSO Daisy Pennock and four members of the public. Carol Barker, Clerk.

2022:04-01 Apologies

Cllrs Walker, Wilson and Watson sent apologies. Proposed to accept by Cllr C Jackson and seconded by Cllr Smith.

2022:04-02 Declarations of interest

None.

2022:04-03 Minutes of previous meeting

Minutes for March 2022 accepted as a true record, proposed Cllr C Jackson seconded Cllr Smith.

2022:04-04 Matters arising from previous minutes

Hinderwell Clock - Remedial works to tower are complete and clock has been away for its 6 monthly service. Poppy wreaths are missing. Pegs to hold poppy wreaths need replacing as have also been removed by persons unknown.

Staithes Bus Shelter - Clerk continues efforts to locate a builder to make necessary repairs.

Play Areas - Safety repairs - SBC has started repairs but newly laid turf has been destroyed already.

Gateway Centre Car Park, Staithes – SBC has re-surfaced part of the car park but not all of it Runswick Bay Toilets – still no further action from SBC

Platinum Jubilee – Clerk has advised Cllrs via email of progress – confidential until after elections.

Hinderwell to Staithes footpath – still awaiting results of accessibility funding bid by NYCC

Hinderwell High Street parking restrictions – consultation closes 8 Ápril – residents not happy with NYCC's proposal as too excessive. HPC has responded direct to NYCC.

Elections: 8 current Councillors have been re-elected without a formal election being required.

2022:04-05 North Yorkshire Police Report

PCSO Daisy Pennock read the report to meeting. She also brought posters and leaflets for distribution by Clerk and via Hinderwell Village Hub and local NHW group.

2022:04-06 Reports from Borough/County Councillors

Cllr Chance reported that SBC and NYCC Councillors are working together towards one unitary council. A Shadow Authority will take over next year for the interim period. When NYCC takes over all services there will be more local liaison and Parish Councils can take on more services with appropriate budget/funding. NYCC Local Assistance Fund has paid out extra funds to help needy families and the Stronger Communities programme is up and running again. NYCC supporting refugees and they are expecting a number of families from Ukraine through the UK Government's Sponsorship Scheme.

2022:04-07 Planning Matters

NYM//2022/0123 – 20 Cliff Rd, Staithes – replacement two storey rear extn with balcony - No objns **NYM/2022/0236** – Ocean View, High Barrass, Staithes – Certificate of lawfulness for use of land as garden – Objection.

NYM/2022/0224 – R Bay caravan Park – retrospective for storage compound – no objections **NYM/2022/0260** - Endeavour Close, Staithes – installation of sculpture – no objections

2022:04:08 Finance - Authorisation of cheques

Payments to the value of £4052.79. Proposed Cllr C Jackson and seconded Cllr Smith. Annual Accounts had already been circulated – all OK. HSBC bank mandate amended.

2022:04:09 Re-adoption of Documents: Cemetery Regulations, Standing Orders, Code of Conduct, Financial Regulations.

Re-adopted by the Council and signed by Chairman.

2022:04-10 Ukrainian Refugees

Cllr Brooker has signed up to Government scheme to accommodate refugees. She would like HPC's help to contact any other families who are able to house refugees so that both hosts and refugees had a support system in place. Information to be put on HPC's Facebook page. Cllr Chance advised that NYCC's Jonathan Spencer is the key contact at NYCC for this work.

2022:04 -11 Correspondence

Parish Member Appointments to National Park Authority – Application forms with Clerk. Report to Clerk that daffodils had been stolen in armfuls from roadside by an adult and child. Staithes – Seaton Close – Dog pooh bag dispenser has used 400 bags in 3 days – which cannot be sustained financially by HPC. Suspect someone is taking bags in excessive amounts.

2022:04-12 Parish Maintenance

SBC's Caretakers shed – in need of its doors painting – Clerk to ask SBC for 3rd time. Mud left on A174 by Agricultural Contractors – cleared up after phone call from Chairman. Dog effluent at 67 High Street draining onto road – Clerk to inform NYCC Highways Sign at bottom of Rosedale Lane, Port Mulgrave has been improved with extra signage arms. Ellerby Lane, R Bay – NYCC road works – HPC and residents not informed in advance – Clerk to send details on to Cllr Chance.

Y Water problem with sewage pump at top of Runswick – tankers present for last 4 days 24/7. Cars parking on highway verge and killing daffodils at southern end of Ellerby Lane, Clerk to inform NYCC Highways.

2022:04-13 To notify Clerk of matters for inclusion on the Agenda for the next meeting

Meeting closed at 8.15pm

Date of Next Meeting: Thursday 12 May 2022, 7pm, St Hilda's Old School, Hinderwell.

Annual Parish Meeting Thursday 19 May 2022 7pm, St Hilda's Old School, Hinderwell

Moved By

Seconded by:

Resolved that the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 07.04.2022 having been circulated be taken as read and approved by the Council.

Chairman to sign: