Darrington Parish Council

Ordinary Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, 14 OCTOBER 2021 at 19H00 at Darrington Reading Rooms

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AGENDA

There will be a public forum at the beginning of the meeting, commencing at 19h00. (*Members of the public must adhere to the rules set by the council for this session*)

- 1. Reminder by the Chairman of the Council's expectations for the visual recording of this meeting
- 2. To receive apologies and approve reasons for absence
- 3. 3.1 To receive any declarations of interest not already declared under the council's code of conduct or members Register of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests
 - 3.2 To receive, consider and decide upon any applications for dispensation
- 4. To confirm the minutes of the ordinary meeting held on 9 September 2021 as a true and correct record
- 5. To receive information on the following ongoing issues and decide further action where necessary:
 - 5.1 To receive information on whether Milners Lane is a permissive footpath and to establish on whose land the footpath is (MB)
 - 5.2 To receive feedback relating to the speed surveys (FS)
 - 5.3 To receive feedback relating to the signs placed at each end of the ginnel (near Cllr L. Thompson's house) advising that it is not a bridleway (LT)
 - 5.4 To receive feedback on the receipt of additional information relating to Darrington crime statistics (VS)
 - 5.5 To receive feedback in respect of the newsletter article for the voluntary assistance with the dog poo bins (FS)
 - 5.6 To receive feedback regarding purchase and installation of 2 compost bins (FS)
 - 5.7 To receive feedback in respect of the uncashed cheque of £1 000 for Darrington Primary School (AT)
 - 5.8 To receive feedback on objection of planning application 2101/969 for 6 Wentworth Park Rise (AT)
 - 5.9 To receive feedback on letter sent to surrounding parish councils to request collective engagement on planning applications (AT)
 - 5.10 To receive feedback regarding update of meeting protocols and documentation, as well as contract for services (JJo)
 - 5.11 To receive feedback regarding purchase of gift for departing village shop owners (FS)
 - 5.12 To receive feedback regarding cutting back of overgrowth near Tithe Barn (LT)
- 6. To consider the following new Correspondence received and decide action where necessary:
 - 6.1 To consider and decide upon participation in West Yorkshire Police and Crime Plan Consultation
 - 6.2 To receive information and consider concerns raised by Wentbridge residents
 - 6.2.1 Speeding
 - 6.2.2 Signage
 - 6.2.3 Bridge weight restriction

- 6.3 To consider and decide upon request for purchase of various items for Darrington playgroup
- 6.4 To consider and decide upon Wakefield Highways Depot's offer for provision of salt
- 6.5 To consider and decide upon removal of brackets and fittings for flower displays
- 6.6 To consider and decide upon regular attendance at YLCA Wakefield branch meeting

7. Financial matters:

- 7.1 To approve the following accounts for payment:
 - 7.1.1 Richard Hirst (underpayment for poop dog signs) £6.66
 - 7.1.2 Knavesmire Building (fitting of benches) £726.00
 - 7.1.3 PM Stainer (printer ink) £26.99
 - 7.1.4 PM Stainer (2 x 330L compost converter bins) £49.99
 - 7.1.5 F Smith (expenses for emptying dog waste bins) £20.00
 - 7.1.6 Pink Spaghetti (preparation of minutes) £220.20
 - 7.1.7 F Smith (leaving present for village shop owner) £22.46
 - 7.1.8 D Dyas (gardening / maintenance) £64.00
- 7.2 To note the following payments previously authorised:
 - 7.2.1 Richard Hirst (poop dog signs)
 - 7.2.2 D Dyas (gardening / maintenance)
 - 7.2.3 PKF Littlejohn LLP (annual audit assurance review)
 - 7.2.4 Yorkshire Local Councils Association (induction training webinar)
- 7.3 To receive a bank reconciliation and budget comparison to 30 September 2021
- 8. To consider and decide upon the following planning applications: None received
- 9. To receive the following planning decisions / information:
 - 9.1 Extension to 1st floor balcony, 6 Wentworth Park Rise approved
- 10. To receive information on the following monthly items and decide further action where necessary:
 - 10.1 School
 - 10.2 Police
 - 10.3 Gardening Club
 - 10.4 Village Field
 - 10.5 Newsletter
- 11. Governance matters:
 - 11.1 To receive information and make decision in respect of Publication Scheme
 - 11.2 To receive information and decide upon next steps for governance adherence
 - 11.3 To consider and decide upon administrative service contract for Pink Spaghetti PA Services
- 12. Matters requested by councillors:
 - 12.1 To consider and decide upon Christmas tree
 - 12.2 To consider and decide upon Winter planters
 - 12.3 To consider and decide upon date for publishing of newsletter
 - 12.4 To consider and decide upon service provider for assistance with regular clearing of poo bins
- 13. To notify the clerk of matters for inclusion on the agenda of the next meeting
- 14. To confirm the date of the next meeting as Thursday 11 November 2021