## **Darrington Parish Council**

Ordinary Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, 11 NOVEMBER 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. Public Forum
- 3. To receive apologies and approve reasons for absence
- 4. 4.1 To receive any declarations of interest not already declared under the council's code of conduct or members Register of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests
  - 4.2 To receive, consider and decide upon any applications for dispensation
- 5. To confirm the minutes of the ordinary meeting held on 14 October 2021 as a true and correct record
- 6. To receive information on the following ongoing issues and decide further action where necessary:
  - 6.1 To receive confirmation of Cllr F. Smith's signing of the minutes of the meeting held on 9 September 2021 (FS)
  - 6.2 To receive feedback relating to the speed surveys (FS)
  - 6.3 To receive feedback on the follow up of receipt of additional information relating to Darrington crime statistics (VS)
  - 6.4 To receive feedback on request for collective engagement on planning applications with surrounding parish councils (AT)
  - 6.5 To receive feedback regarding cutting back of overgrowth near Tithe Barn (JJ)
  - To receive feedback regarding engagement with community to get involved in West Yorkshire Police and Crime Plan Consultation (VS)
  - 6.7 To note feedback provided to Wentbridge residents regarding concerns raised (JJo)
  - 6.8 To receive feedback regarding re-painting of village lamp posts by Wakefield Council (JJo)
  - 6.9 To note feedback regarding attendance at monthly YLCA Wakefield branch meeting (JJo)
  - 6.10 To receive feedback in respect of planning application for land adjacent to Darrington Hall (AT)
  - 6.11 To note feedback provided in respect of YLCA's planning training courses (JJo)
  - 6.12 To receive feedback regarding progress with newsletter (VS)
  - 6.13 To receive feedback in respect of timelines and protocols for appointment of a new Chairman and RFO (JJo)
  - 6.14 To decide upon administrative service contract for Pink Spaghetti PA Services (JJo)
  - 6.15 To receive feedback in respect of Christmas tree order and installation (VS/MB)
  - 6.16 To receive feedback regarding winter planters (VS)
  - 6.17 To receive feedback regarding communication to Wakefield Cllr. G. Ayre in respect of the request of assistance with regular clearing of the dog poo bins (JJo)
  - 6.18 To note feedback regarding notification to "The Dog Poo Fairy" (MB)
- 7. To consider the following new Correspondence received and decide action where necessary:
  - 7.1 To note planned Community Governance Review by Wakefield Council
  - 7.2 To note correspondence from Wakefield Council regarding attachments to street lighting columns

- 7.2 To note correspondence received after publication of agenda
- 8. Financial matters:
  - 8.1 To approve accounts for payment
    - 8.1.1 A Jackson (gardening/maintenance purchase of plants) £76.50
    - 8.1.2 V Stones (farewell gift for departing shop owner) £8.00
    - 8.1.3 F Smith (collapsible trolley for emptying poo bins) £20.00
    - 8.1.4 Pink Spaghetti (preparation of minutes and clerk duties) £326.40
    - 8.1.5 D Dyas (gardening/maintenance) £208.00
  - 8.2 To note the following payments previously authorised:
    - 8.2.1 Richard Hirst (underpayment for poop dog signs)
    - 8.2.2 Knavesmire Building (fitting of benches)
    - 8.2.3 PM Stainer (printer ink)
    - 8.2.4 PM Stainer (2 x 330L compost converter bins)
    - 8.2.5 F Smith (expenses for emptying dog waste bins)
    - 8.2.6 Pink Spaghetti (preparation of minutes)
    - 8.2.7 F Smith (leaving present for village shop owner)
    - 8.2.8 D Dyas (gardening / maintenance)
  - 8.3 To receive a bank reconciliation and budget comparison to 31 October 2021
- 9. To consider and decide upon the following planning applications:
  - 9.1 5 Hillcroft Close use of Annex, 5 Hillcroft Close as an independent dwelling
- 10. To receive the following planning decisions / information:
  - 10.1 2 Park Close Single Storey Extension and Decking to Rear Approved
- 11. To receive information on the following monthly items and decide further action where necessary:
  - 11.1 School
  - 11.2 Police
  - 11.3 Gardening Club
  - 11.4 Village Field
  - 11.5 Newsletter
- 12. Governance matters:
  - 12.1 To receive information and make decision in respect of Publication Scheme
  - 12.2 To receive information on next steps for governance adherence
- 13. Matters requested by councillors:
  - 13.1 To consider and decide upon request for mandatory yellow notices for planning applications
  - 13.2 To consider and decide upon attendance at YLCA planning training
  - 13.3 To consider and decide upon Queen's Jubilee planning
  - 13.4 To consider and decide upon next steps for budget/precept planning
  - 13.5 To note concerns raised by residents regarding near misses at Marlpit Lane / Beech Crescent intersection
  - 13.6 To consider and decide upon action plan to publicise the upcoming changes to the Parish Council structure and the request for resident participation in the Council
  - 13.7 To consider alternatives for allocation of RFO responsibilities
  - 13.8 To consider and decide upon outsourced administration arrangements and reimbursement
- 14. To notify the clerk of matters for inclusion on the agenda of the next meeting
- 15. To confirm the date of the next meeting as Thursday 9 December 2021.