

IRBY UPON HUMBER PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes to the Meeting held by
Irby Upon Humber Parish Council
On Thursday 10th October 2024
starting at 7.30pm
at St Andrews Church Hall
Church Lane. Irby upon Humber

Agenda

Meeting Started: 19:33

24-14 Present

Cllr Moody (Chair)
Cllr Cleve
Cllr Fuller
Cllr Rooke (Vice-chair)

Clerk for Irby Parish Council

24-15 Apologies

Apologies were received from:
Cllr John Dee
Ward Cllr David Hasthorpe

24-16 Declaration of Interest (Local Government Act 2012)

There were no declarations of interest.

24-17 Minutes of the previous meeting

Minutes of the bi-monthly meeting held on the 15th August 2024 were agreed by all Councillors present at that meeting and signed by Chair.

Suspension of meeting by Chair for Public Forum

There were no members of the public present so there was no suspension of the meeting.

24-18 Planning Matters

There were no further planning applications received at the time of this meeting, from the last meeting held on 15th August 2024.

24-19 Police Report

The chair read out the Police Report to all councillors present and there was one crime within Irby, relating to a burglary.

24-20 Finance

The RFO supplied the council with an update of the accounts and associated paperwork in his absence. There were no questions relating to the paperwork. An insurance renewal

quote had been received for IPC for £214.00 and this is the same cost as the previous year. It was agreed that the quote was acceptable and would be renewed with Zurich Insurance.

Proposed: Cllr Rooke

Seconded: Cllr Fuller

Agreed unanimously

NELC funding was secured for replacing the non-slip mat for the bridge over the pond, and this has now been replaced with non-slip treads. There was a small amount of money left over, due to a discount from the retailer. It was agreed that the Clerk would contact Cllr Hasthorpe to see if nesting boxes could be purchased with the remainder, to keep the funding inline with items relating to the pond.

Proposed: Cllr Rooke

Seconded: Cllr Cleve

Agreed Unanimously.

The chairs for Irby village hall have arrived and have been secured in the storage area of the village hall. The strimmer and the lawn mower are currently on order as the retailer has no stock of both items. There should be an update on these items by the next meeting.

24-21 Update on Ongoing Issues

Cllr Rooke reported that the aquatic plants that we were owed for the pond have now been planted and are in place. Cllr Rooke also reported that she has spoken to the gentleman who is looking into the regulations regarding the protected species that have been seen in our pond, and he is going to let us know if they have already been registered. We should have this information by the time of our next meeting.

It has been noted that in the past, people have been releasing fish into the village pond, and this is prohibited. The possibility of a notice board was discussed to inform visitors to the pond, that this is not allowed and to also provide some educational facts and photographs of the wildlife, fauna and aquatics that can be seen within the area of the village pond. It was agreed that this will be mentioned to our residents at the village pond clean up on 20th October 2024, as they may be able to provide some photographs and further information. There is some funding money available from the solar farm grant that was received for the pond, to cover the cost.

Proposed Cllr Cleve

Seconded Cllr Moody

Agreed Unanimously

The training for the Defibrillator pads has been looked into and the person who provided it last time, would be available to do it again. It was agreed that IPC would like to organise a training course to include CPR for the residents of Irby, if they would like to attend. The clerk will contact Cllr Dee to arrange the training.

The Equal Opportunities Policy that was adopted by IPC is now on the Irby Parish Council website.

24-22 Information Exchange

IPC have been informed that all parish councils will need to adopt a Sexual Harassment and Bullying Policy. An email regarding what this involves was previously sent to all Councillors and it was agreed that a policy suitable for our parish would be looked into by the Clerk and sent to councillors for comments. This will be ready for adopting by the next meeting.

Proposed Cllr Moody

Seconded Cllr Fuller

Agreed unanimously

It was reported by Cllr Cleve that a lot of fly tipping has been occurring along the A46 between the two entrances into Irby village. All Councillors present agreed that this is becoming an issue and it was decided that the Clerk would contact NELC and the named officers for the Wolds Ward of the Police Department, to see if anything can be done. In the meantime the Clerk will report the current fly-tipping to NELC for collection.

Cllr Cleve also reported a large pothole on the outskirts of the village and details were passed onto the clerk to report it for repair to NELC.

24-23 Date of Next Meeting

The date and venue for the next Irby upon Humber Parish Council meeting will be on **Tuesday 17th December 2024** (due to the hall not being available on the Thursday) and the time and venue will be the same.

Meeting Closed: 20:50

Signed _____ *Mick Moody*

Date 17th December 2024

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