

# NEWTON UPON DERWENT PARISH COUNCIL

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## Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting held on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2021

The Meeting commenced at 7.55 pm

**Open Forum** Mrs Horsley attended to talk about the planned Heritage Café in the Community Centre. To make the most of the café, wi-fi would be very helpful and she explained the possible uses of it. This will be subject to a check, by an engineer, on speed availability, and a visit has been arranged. This will be discussed further under the agenda item.

### Present:

**Councillors:** Cllrs, Horsley, Burgess, Robinson & Wheeler  
Cllr K West for ERYC  
**Officers:** L Hill (Clerk)  
**Public:** There was one member of the public present.

**Apologies for absence** Cllr Readman

**Minutes of last meeting** The minutes of the last full meeting were read and signed by the Vice-Chairman as a true record.

**Declaration of interest** Cllr Robinson declared an interest in the planning application.

### Matters arising

**PC land on the Ings** Cllr Horsley has spoken to Clubleys but still going through the process with HM Land Registry.

**Water on Highways** Dave Sachs, Senior Highways Officer, contacted Clerk by telephone to say he had attended the village to look at the issues raised. He did give permission for the landowner, at one of the points, to dig out a grip (trench on grass verge ) to help drain the water away and the Clerk advised the landowner of this. The Councillors were disappointed that he did not arrange to meet, as two Councillors had made themselves available to discuss the issues and suggest remedies. Cllr West will take the matter up with Highways.

**Missing Village sign** Discussion were had with ERYC about moving the site of the sign ( to prevent it being broken off again ) but sign was re-instated in its previous position.

**Pathway near River** Clerk contacted ERYC footpaths officer and they advised that it is the responsibility of The Environment Agency but agreed to do a one off cut mid October. She later agreed to add to their schedule for next year. As at yesterday the path had not been cut and Clerk asked if ERYC would need access through the gate at the bottom of Mask Lane. Cllr Horsley is on with arranging a second padlock on the gate to ease any access issue. Cllr West agreed to follow up re: the cut.

**Litter and Parking on Bull Balk** Cllr Wheeler has seen an increase in rubbish dumped in the passing places. There is an issue with cars using the passing places to park up. The Clerk was asked to contact ERYC to arrange some passing place only signs for the two spots.



**Correspondence: all e-mailed to Councillors prior to meeting**

ERYC

- I. Planning Enforcement rules and regs – training in Jan 22\*
- II. Revised Code of Conduct for ERYC members
- III. Standards Committee hearing 11/10/21

OTHER

- I. Police – Newsletter
- II. SLCC – National Conference 14<sup>th</sup> October 21
- III. ERNLLCA - Training course – Being a good Councillor extra course  
E Riding Committee meeting 21/10/21  
Newsletter 21  
Queens Platinum Jubilee Beacons 2/6/22
- IV. Rural Services Newsletter

\* Clerk has booked onto the course on 12<sup>th</sup> Jan 22 and asks that any Councillors wishing to attend book directly from the link sent via e-mail.

**Finance:**

- 1. Bank Balances Sept 21 distributed around the Councillors.
- 2. Expenses to be paid  
Glasdon – new grit bin £126.48 (*this was paid to Clerk last month so removed at the meeting*)  
Royal British Legion – Poppy crosses and wreath for Remembrance day £ 70.00 Paid to Mrs Hill, whom had purchased via website, on behalf of the Council. They have already arrived.  
Newton Methodist Church – room hire - £320.00

**Planning Applications:**

View via:

<https://newplanningaccess.eastriding.gov.uk/newplanningaccess> and enter ref in search area

21/03046/PLF – Currantberry Barns – erection of steel frame building.

Councillors have no objection but want it stipulated that the Barn must only be allowed to be used for agricultural purposes and for selling Christmas tree at Christmas ( as stated on their application ).

Time and date of next meeting – 24<sup>th</sup> November 2021

The meeting closed at 9.40pm

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Chair: Newton upon Derwent Parish Council  
24<sup>th</sup> November 2021

