

GARGRAVE PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of Parish Council Meeting
held Wednesday 2 January 2019

Councillors: Peter Ward, Bryony Lebeter, Janet Turner, Robert Marshall, Martin Banks, Derrick Evans, Chris Blythe, Alan Robinson, District Cllr Alan Sutcliffe, Kath Ashby – Clerk and several parishioners.

1. To receive apologies for absence: County Cllr Gillian Quinn, Cllrs Janet Sugden.

2. To acknowledge those present: PW welcomed all present this evening.

3. To receive any declarations of interest: Nothing declared.

4. To confirm the minutes of the last meeting:

The minutes of the last meeting held **Monday 10 December 2018** were accepted as a true record. Proposed by DE and seconded by BL. All in favour and accepted unanimously.

4.1 Matters Arising:

We have emailed NY Police regarding the issue of speeding throughout the village as the report we received back from Darren Griffiths NYCC was very disappointing. To date we have not received a response from the Police.

PW advised the meeting that sadly Ken Martin who was our contact at NYCC Highways has died recently so as soon as we are advised of the new contact taking over we will send the report through again.

We will however raise the matter at the next Craven Branch meeting which is towards the end of this month.

5. Matters requested by councillors:

5.1. County Cllr Gillian Quinn: Apologies received for this evening.

5.2 District Cllr Simon Myers: No apologies received.

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6. To receive information on the following ongoing issues and decide further action where necessary:

6.1. Police Report: No report received this evening but PW read out to the meeting the Police Report which was received after last month's meeting and covers the period November to early December 2018.

Road Related Offence

25/11 Male arrested for driving whilst unfit through drugs.

Suspicious Circumstances

26/11 Fraudulent related incident

16/11 Report that male and female repeatedly attended the cash machine at the Coop. Officer attends with no sightings.

1x Domestic related incident

3x Concern for safety incidents

Highway disruption

09/12 Report of vehicles parked on pavement, West Street. Officers attend, report that there are no issues.

15/11 Report that temporary traffic lights aren't working A65

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Burglary

04/12 Ornamental statue stolen from garden, South Street.

06/12 Residential Burglary, Skipton Road, enquiries still ongoing.

6.2 Public Participation: There was nothing to report this evening.

6.3 Marton Road:

A discussion took place and concerns and questions were raised to the Parish Council relating to the Marton Road site.

Cllr Sutcliffe explained to the group that there were many reasons why the Skipton Road site was not a suitable site but the main reason put forward was that it was outside the village boundary. This application is at Appeal stage and CDC are expecting to hear the result of this appeal by the end of January 2019.

The Parish Council confirmed to the Marton Road group that the Consultant fees were paid for by Locality Grants.

Whilst the plan was being prepared the working group worked closely with CDC taking advice when preparing paperwork/forms for the various consultations and also our Consultants.

CLlr Sutcliffe explained the process for the Referendum and told the group that if they voted against the Neighbourhood Plan, the plan may not go through and then they will have building everywhere in the village.

PW agreed to contact Yorkshire Water to obtain an update on the sewerage problem up Marton Road. If it is found that work is necessary to the sewerage system that work will need to be carried out before any building commences.

PW confirmed that Yorkshire Water have replaced/refurbished the water pipe from Middle Green down to the Sewage Works in summer 2018. There is an issue pretty much everywhere in Gargrave with sewerage and long term Yorkshire Water will need to look at the issues and undertake an upgrade of the system.

CLlr Simon Myers said he would assist us with this.

7. To consider the planning applications and decisions:

See last page of Minutes.

8. Financial Matters:

8.1 To approve the accounts for payment.

INCOME

NYCC Grant – War Memorial Garden	500.00
Honesty Box	130.39

EXPENDITURE

1 & 1 Internet Service - Yearly Renewal	17.98
Village Hall Rent	152.00
Wage 1	775.65
Wage 2	683.37
Holiday Relief Cover – Toilets	350.00

NatWest £30,669.71 as @ 01.01.19

SBS £22,893.27 as @ 01.01.19

JT proposed accounts, PW seconded, all in favour and accepted.

9. To consider the following new correspondence received and decide action where necessary.

See last page of Minutes.

1. To respond to resident.
3. Arrange a meeting with the Trust.
4. Survey to complete. All in favour to go ahead with the Voter ID Pilot.

10. Notify the Clerk of matters for inclusion on the agenda of the next meeting.

11. To confirm the date of the next meeting as **Wednesday 6 February 2019.**

There being no further business the meeting closed at 9.25pm.

Planning Applications – Meeting 2 January 2019

Appl. No. 2018/19942/HH First floor extension over portion of existing garage to side of main dwelling – 28 Skipton Road, Gargrave.

Appl. No. 2018/19986/HH Proposed kitchen/utility room extension including garage/workshop extension – Kirk Sink Farm, Church Lane, Gargrave.

Appl. No. 2018/20016/FUL Proposed dwelling including parking area – Land off Smith Croft, Smithy Croft Road, Gargrave.

Planning Decision 2018/19860/FUL– New Access Track – Craven Barn, Church Street, Gargrave – **Permission Granted.**

Planning Decision 2018/19551/FUL - Retrospective application for extraction flue to rear of Bollywood – 60-62 High Street, Gargrave – **Permission Granted.**

Correspondence List – Meeting 2 January 2019

1. Email from resident recently moved to Neville Road raising concerns re low level of street lighting.
2. Northern Powergrid – Ring 105 free of charge to report a power cut email information.
3. Aire river Trust information – Heritage Lottery Funded project called DN Aire-Developing The Natural Aire.
4. CDC Survey on Voter ID Trial – Consultation – Electoral Integrity Pilot information.
5. Suggestions from Electrical Contractor for Marton Road, Eshton Road light problems.

