

**Garton on the Wolds Parish Council**

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**8th December 2021**

Garton on the Wolds Parish Council – Minutes of the meeting held on **2nd December 2021** at 19:15 in the school, Station Road, Garton on the Wolds.

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| Present |  |  |
| Councillor Daniel Wilson | DW | Chairman |
| Councillor Alison Botten | AB | Councillor |
| Councillor Ian Bell | IB | Councillor |
| Councillor Steve Poessl | SP | Councillor |
| Councillor Jonathan Watson | JW | Councillor |
| Officers |  |  |
| Catherine Simpson | CS | Clerk |
| **Others** |  |  |
|  |   | **Action** |
| **21/22-143** | **WELCOME** |  |
|  | The Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting. |  |
| **21/22-144** | **PUBLIC OPEN FORUM** |  |
|  | No members of the public were present. |  |
| **21/22-145** | **APOLOGIES** |  |
|  | None. |  |
| **21/22-146** | **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST** |  |
|  | None. |  |
| **21/22-147** | **APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES** |  |
|  | **RESOLVED:** that the minutes of the following meeting be adopted as a true record:1. Ordinary meeting 30th September 2021 (JW/IB)

**RESOLVED:** that the minutes of the following meeting be adopted subject to minor amendment (JW/AB)1. Ordinary meeting 4th November 2021 – the Chairman asked that a sentence be removed from the minutes. A discussion took place which resulted in a vote, the results of which were as follows:

3 in favour, 1 against and 1 abstention. |  |
| **21/22-148** | **CO-OPTION** |  |
|  | There has still not been any interest shown. |  |
| **21/22-149** | **FINANCE** |  |
|  | 1. The accounts for November were approved and the bank reconciliation signed (JW/IB). There was one abstention.
2. The payments were approved (JW/IB) (1 abstention).

A payment for £22.00 to the British Legion was added to the payment schedule in respect of the second poppy wreath. This item needs moving to the Section 137 column of the spread sheet.*Cllr. Poessl declared a pecuniary interest in the payments as one of these was in respect of a reimbursement*. |  |
| **21/22-150** | **VILLAGE MAINTENANCE** |  |
|  | 1. Bench– Cllr. Poessl advised that the bench in the bus shelter has wood worm and needs treating. Cllr. Watson kindly offered to do both sides of this.

It is noted that the mosaic has been taken down by the school.Cllr. Wilson has spoken to the school regarding the increase in dog fouling. They would be willing to use the pink dog poo spray paint if the Council provides it.Nothing has been heard from ERYC regarding the trees that were damaged by them. This was brought up on the village walkabout. |  |
| **21/22-151** | **HIGHWAYS** |  |
|  | Cllr. Wilson advised that the road markings at the end of Station Road have worn away. The Clerk will mention this to ERYC.1. The green lane is still being abused. Cllr. Botten provided recent photos which the Clerk will send on to ERYC. Cllr. Botten will prepare a draft report for the next meeting which could also be passed onto ERYC. It is felt that an ERYC representative should be invited to a future meeting to discuss this issue.
2. Station Road bend – nothing further has been received from ERYC regarding a site visit.
3. The inter village speed group remains silent.
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| **21/22-152** | **TELEPHONE BOX & DEFIBRILLATOR** |  |
|  | Cllr. Watson has checked this and all appears to be as it should be. He provided the Clerk will the serial number of the device for the database. |  |
| **21/22-153** | **EXTERNAL MEETINGS** |  |
|  | None. Cllr. Poessl asked Cllr. Botten whether the minutes of the last Local Access Forum were available yet. Cllr. Wilson confirmed that these were now on the website. |  |
| **21/22-154** | **PLATINUM JUBILEE 2022** |  |
|  | The Clerk has not heard back from the other local parish councils. The following ideas were discussed:1. Beacon at the monument.
2. E11R in red, white and blue flowers near the war memorial.
3. A tree & bench at the west end of the village.

Cllr. Botten will speak to the landowner concerned about this and Cllr. Bell will also speak to them also regarding a light on the farm which is shining into the road and confusing drivers.It was agreed that the Clerk should contact the neighbouring councils again once costs are known for the preferred project(s). |  |
| **21/22-155** | **CHRISTMAS LIGHTING** |  |
|  | The lights are in place. Cllr. Watson will purchase an additional set for another tree. A budget of £50 was agreed. It is hoped to switch the lights over the weekend of the 4th & 5th December. |  |
| **21/22-156** | **OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY** |  |
|  | It was agreed that it would be an idea to propose the following:To be able to reach ERYC officers when needed and to receive appropriate and timely responses (SP/JW). |  |
| **21/22-157** | **CORRESPONDENCE** |  |
|  | Relevant emails have been circulated.The Police and Crime Plan 2021-2023 was passed round. |  |
| **21/22-158** | **COUNCILLORS EXCHANGE & AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING** |  |
|  | Any items should be forwarded to the Clerk by the 6thJanuary 2022. |  |
| **21/22-159** | **DATE OF NEXT MEETING** |  |
|  | The next meeting will take place on the 13thJanuary 2022 in the School. |  |

 Meeting closed at 20:30

Signature of Chairman:

Dated: