

MUSTON PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of meeting held on Tuesday 11th January 2022 @ Muston Village Hall.

Apologies: Cllr. P Riley, Cllr. M Donohue Moncrief.

Present: Cllrs. G Owen, S Chalmers, J McMillan, F Warters, D Frodin, G Allanson, County Cllr. R Swiers, Mrs B Williamson (Clerk).

Notice of meeting: 22/70

Cllr. Owen declared public notice of the meeting had been given in accordance with Public Notice 1972 schedule 12 para 10(2) of the Local Government Act. Covid measures to be observed in the Village Hall.

Declarations of interest: None declared. 22/71

Open Forum: No public present. 22/72

Reports: 22/73

- a) **Police** – Circulated in advance. Cllr. Warters will continue to attend the Teams meeting. Interest expressed in the 20's Plenty speed campaign. Cllr. Warters suggested this be discussed at the next meeting & adopted by MPC. Agreed. Cllr. Swiers is a member of the scrutiny group for this project.
- b) **Boro Cllr. Riley** – Planning permission refused for student & NHS accommodation in Scarborough. Currently no alternative scheme proposed.
- c) **Clerks report** – circulated in advance. Decision on precept required. SBC require invoice for new noticeboard. Package on offer for a monthly maintenance website package. Discussed & of good value. All in agreement. Clerk will action & start updates. Resident requested an additional sign on Flotmanby Lane – discussed. Not a PC decision. Clerk will inform resident.
- d) **Chairman's report** - The Christmas event proved to be a success & thanked all those involved. Expressions of appreciation to be sent to Andrew Marsden for transporting the tree, Mr Steve Wells for supplying the tree, McMillan's of Malton for sponsorship, Millennium Committee for donation of gifts, Hunmanby Silver Band. Clerk will action. In future nearby residents will be informed of actions / events. It was suggested that a tree be planted.

To approve minutes of meeting held on 9th November 2021: 22/74

Circulated in advance & assumed as read, proposed to accept Cllr. McMillan, seconded Cllr. Chalmers, all in agreement accepted & signed by Cllr. Owen.

Finance report: 22/75

Monthly finance schedule circulated in advance. Income – nil. Outgoing - £1140.40 including payment for clock service, laptop & fees. Proposed to accept Cllr. Owen, seconded Cllr. Allanson. All in agreement to accept. Signed by Cllr. Owen.

SBC Precept 2022 – 2023. Information circulated in advance. Draft budget produced.

Discussed at length. Retention of one year's revenue must be kept in reserve. Possible additional expenditure discussed. Vote to increase by 2% proposed. Vote taken. 3 voted to increase & 3 to not increase. Chairman cast her vote resulting in there being no increase in the precept. Clerk will inform SBC.

Speed Watch: **22/76**

Cllr. McMillan has some forms returned & completed. Will update at the next meeting.

A165 Junction **22/77**

Highways suggested a flower bed to deter parking on verge. Not viable as MPC would need to maintain. Carried to next agenda.

Purchase of VAS Sign: **22/78**

Updated quotes awaited. Payment made from NYCC Locality Budget received. Thanks to Cllr. Swiers.

Planning: No planning applications received. **22/79**

Parish Issues: **22/80**

Flooding – Village Green – discussed after concerns expressed by resident of blockages. Tour of area will be undertaken by Cllr. Chalmers to determine the issues of concern & report back at the next meeting.

Risk Assessments – Agreement for Councillors to undertake a maintenance tour of the village & at the same time determine any areas that might be of potential risk & action accordingly. Carried to next agenda.

Street lighting – Cllr. Chalmers reported that he was still having difficulties gaining information from the street lighting team on updates proposals. A complaint will be made about the lack of action. Clarification on whether the building on Hunmanby Street is listed.

Trott's Charity – Cllr. Warters reported that all recipients had greatly appreciated the gesture & it was a tradition that was well received by all.

Jubilee Celebrations – Cllr. Owen suggested that the celebrations should be a village and community effort with all sharing their resources and efforts for the good of the village community.

Meeting closed @9.45.

Date of next meeting: TUESDAY 8TH FEBRUARY 2022 @ 7.00PM.

