



MINUTES OF THE TORWORTH PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT BARNBY MOOR VILLAGE HALL

Tuesday March 5th, 2024 at 7pm.

PRESENT

Chair: Councillor C. Willis (CW)

Vice-Chair: Councillor J. Helliwell (JH)

Councillors: R. Willis (RW), D Lacey (DL)

County Councillor: T Taylor

District Councillor: None

Clerk: C. Challener (CC)

Members of the public: 0

01/0324

OPEN FORUM FOR MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

None

02/0324

WELCOME AND APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

The chair opens the meeting welcoming everyone.

D Bamford sends apologies.

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DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

None

04/0324

CRIME REPORT

4 Crimes reported for the Month of January on Huntsman Place.

2x violence or sexual assault.

1x criminal damage or arson

1x Other Crime

05/0324

COUNTY AND DISTRICT COUNCILLOR'S REPORT

County reported topics:

STEP at West Burton

FCC Planning Inspectorate Inquiry

iGas at Misson

Budget setting

Please contact your District or County councillor direct for further information on the issues reported or to raise issues direct with them.

06/0324

MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING

The minutes of the previous meeting were signed as accurate and as a true record of proceedings.

07/0324

COUNCILLOR RAISED ITEMS, MATTERS ARISING DURING THE MONTH & ONGOING MATTERS

Cllr R Willis to purchase a suitable water filtration system for the trees/ plants at the playing field.

Following discussion, it is resolved to waive the fees for Torworth Events committee when hiring the Playing Field. The committee have scheduled various events throughout the year.

A D Day event is discussed for the evening of June 6th, it is resolved that the PC will host a lighting of the Beacon event. Cllr C Willis to purchase a flag. A total budget is set of £150.

It is resolved to progress with the warden works including painting the Fence, re positioning of the fence 2 boundary at £60 per panel, and the setting of the benches in the playing field.

The allotment association have written asking for a donation towards repairs and works. It is resolved to donate £200.

08/0324 FINANCE

The Bank Reconciliation is passed for review.

Payments presented and approved for the period:

GOCARDLESS , HUGOFOX LTD	£(11.99)
FIONA HUNTER , HALL CLEANING 0224	£(26.00)
OPUS ENERGY GAS SU,	£(71.95)
ANGLIAN WATER	£(16.56)
WATER PLUS	£(5.48)
OPUS ENERGY LTD	£(53.39)
Stationery	£(65.95)
Stamps	£(25.25)
Stationery	£(7.99)
NALC , INV 3075	£(94.20)
GOCARDLESS , HUGOFOX LTD	£(11.99)
FIONA HUNTER , HALL CLEANING 0124	£(26.00)
OPUS ENERGY GAS	£(49.88)
DANIEL WHALEN , BARNBY MOOR PARISH, VIA ONLINE	£(9.00)
OPUS ENERGY LTD	£(40.61)
DURHAMS GAS	£(2,242.50)
WATER PLUS	£(6.57)

Receipts

None

9/0324 AMENITIES AND FACILITIES

Cllr C Willis to purchase a fire extinguisher for the container.

The Mower has a flat tyre and the chainsaw requires a new chain. Cllr R Willis to repair/replace as necessary.

Cllr Willis to contact Thorne Valley/ RBM to see if they can service the mower.

10/0324 PLANNING ISSUES DECLARED BEFORE OR AT THE MEETING

Planning Applications on consultation:

24/00121/HSE Rear Detached Garage/Store 5 Holds Lane Torworth Nottinghamshire DN22 8PF – **No comment**

23/01504/FUL Installation of Two Shipping Containers and Re Siting of One Container Containers At Daneshill Lakes Nature Reserve Daneshill Road Torworth Nottinghamshire – **No comment**

ES/4518 The extraction, processing and export of pulverised fuel ash from former ash disposal lagoons and their progressive restoration, and associated development including earthworks, dewatering and soil storage, ponds and excavations, hard and soft surfacing and landscaping and boundary treatment, buildings and structures, plant, conveyors, utility connections, roadways, parking, drainage, and ancillary development Former ash disposal lagoons south of Lound, Retford. DN22 8SG – **Object due to sensitive receptors / SSSI / Asbestos**

FCC

Determinations from previous Applications:

None

11/0324 CORRESPONDENCE AND CORRESPONDENCE TO BE CIRCULATED

None

12/0324 UPDATES FROM OTHER COMMITTEES AND GROUPS

None

13/0324 INFORMATION TO BE FORWARDED TO THE NEXT MEETING & ANY OTHER BUSINESS:

Biodiversity Policy for adoption.

14/0324: DATE OF NEXT MEETING:

16th May at 7pm at Barnby Moor Village Hall

Signed as a true record: _____ Date _____

Print name _____ Position: _____

For more information, or queries please contact the clerk on the below or a Parish Councillor direct.

Parish Clerk: Mrs Claire Challener
parishcouncil@torworth.org.uk

Action List from previous meetings:

A member of the public requests a **bench on the Great North Road**. It is agreed to purchase an armed and backed bench. Sites to be considered and then highways to be contacted for permission. Cllr R Willis/ J Helliwell to provide the what 3 words for VIA location approval. District grant to be requested. £600 agreed. **The Muslim charity have approved the purchase of a bench**. Highways to be contacted for approval and progression (JH/RW all agree)

The Millennial Sign is in disrepair. Replacement costs are coming out circa £200-£300. Various Grants/funding being looked into.

Village Hall: a community survey is to be completed to ascertain whether there is a requirement for a village hall. To be progressed in 2023.

Trees to TPO: a walk around has been completed. The information to be digitally mapped out, any highways trees to be removed.

Action CW

The area near the container for the base of the toilets is to be chipped.

Action CW/contractor

Ratchet straps and tarpaulin to secure the container/toilets in place to be purchase.

Action CW

Quote for the moving on the Beacon to a preferred location.

Action CW

Following a review of the suggested changes to the Burial Board constitution and terms by both Ranskill and Torworth Parish Councils it is resolved to earmark £2k towards solicitor fees/independent arbiter to progress the matter to a satisfactory and independent outcome. It is to be suggested that both chairs meet to progress the matter.

Cllr C Willis to meet with the chair of Ranskill PC to discuss burial board constitution requirements during the forth coming month.

The Playing Field and events committee have purchased 2 benches for the playing field. It is resolved for the PC to pay for the installation of the benches in the playing field.

It is agreed to progress with various other works to the playing field £650 earmarked.

It is resolved to hire a 8yd skip for the removal of the playing field rubble – Cllr C Willis to arrange. £295 plus vat earmarked.

Clerk to get a service cost for the Mower.

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Cllr C Willis to provide dates for a VIA meet to discuss benches on the Great North Rd.