

DILHORNE PARISH COUNCIL

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MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 19th MARCH 2024 at 7.30pm

Present: Cllrs. Bateman (Chair), Horvath, Carnall, Whitehall, Wildman

Apologies: D Cllr Roberts

Members of the Public: Malcolm Spooner, Gill Hancock, Claire Barnes

Subject	Description	Action
APOLOGIES	None	
PUBLIC	Entrance by No 2 New Road – hedge removed and entrance looks to	Clerk
QUESTIONS	be widened, Clerk to investigate.	
	NB Following meeting Clerk spoke to owner and was informed that	
	old stone wall has been removed and the hedge around the property	
	to enable safer parking, line of property boundary is unchanged from	
	front to back, replacement good quality hedge will be planted when	
	work is completed.	
	Drain on New Road opposite Charlie Bassetts cleaned out last week	
	but the one by The Croft was not, workers were spoken to and say not	
	being done as not on their list. Water is also coming out of the	
	adjacent manhole and from a diverted well onto the road and down	
	Caverswall Lane causing damage to the road surface.	
	Claire Barnes – pavement on corner of school close disintegrated	
	spoke to worker and they said so deep. reported for last 2 years	
MINUTES	It was resolved that the minutes of the ordinary meeting were a true	
	and correct record and were duly signed by the Chair. None	
DECLARATION OF	None	
REPORTS FROM	County Councillor – not present	
COUNCILLORS ETC	District Councillor – not present	
	Rec Centre – going to be painted defib arrived going on to the bowling	
	green how can we get round getting it on maintenance thing SCC	
	Clerks Report – given to all Councillors	
LENGTHSMAN	No report	
	HIGHWAYS ISSUES:	
MATTERS ARISING	General Highways –	
FROM PREVIOUS	Trimpos –	
MEETINGS	Grids/drains/potholes – Caverswall Lane – terrible condition very	
	large potholes throughout the whole length to Caverswall, Clerk to	Clerk
	contact C Cllr Ward regarding this.	
	Footpaths – no new reports	
	Update on Walchester's application etc – Clerk to contact Debbie	Clerk
	Morgan for update	
	Noticeboards – still need to be measured before obtaining costings.	

Minutes are draft until agreed at the next meeting

Signed

₩D> *Bateman* Chair

Subject	Description	Action
	Issues raised at the last meeting – none.	
	UNRESOLVED ITEMS: none	
	Payments: -	
FINANCE	The following accounts were presented and approval: -	
	Clerks Salary & Expenses – March - £239.43	
	HMRC – PAYE - £51.20	
	TOTAL FEBRUARY PAYMENTS - £290.63	
	Transfer to cover payments- £300.00	
	Receipts:-	
	Interest on Deposit Account – February - £10.38	
	Total Income - £10.38	
	Bank Balances: -	
	Current Account - £131.13 after this month's payments made	
	Deposit Account - £12,079.58	
	Clerk to provide screenshot of bank balances after payments made	Clerk
	Applications: none	
PLANNING	Decisions: none	
MATTERS	Enforcement: none	
	Appeals: none	
CORRESPONDENCE	Santander Bank Statement	
NEW BUSINESS	Union Flag – new flag to be order.	Clerk
	Dog Fouling – Clerk to contact SMDC re getting signs painted on the	Clerk
	pavements	
DATE OF NEXT	Next meeting Tuesday 23 rd April – 4 th Tuesday of the month	
MEETING	Cllr Bateman gave apologies as will be unable to attend.	
MEETING CLOSED	20.10	

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