

HAVERTHWAITE PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting held on 13th January 2020 at 7.00pm in the Church Hall, Haverthwaite

PRESENT

Gordon Eggleston (GE)	Brian Fleming (BF)
Julian Bevins (JB)	Cath Stoddart (CS)
Ann Newby (AN)	

MINUTE DESCRIPTION

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

01/01/20 Resolved – Sue Sanderson (SS) Ian Wharton (IW)

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

02/01/20 Resolved – It was noted that no Member declared any Interest in items on the Agenda

03/01/20 Resolved – The Minutes of the Meeting on 11th November 2019 were signed off as an accurate record

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

04/01/20 Resolved – Sara Spicer, Area Ranger for the LDNPA attended to advise on proposed walkways from Haverthwaite to Lakeside areas accessible for Cyclists, Pedestrians & Wheelchair friendly. This is an ongoing project taking into account track servicing, bogs, existing pathways & waymarkers. This sounded a very positive & exciting plan to enable a safe and enjoyable access to these areas.

DISTRICT & COUNTY REPORTS

05/01/20 Discussed – Ian Wharton advised an update in the 2020-25 Council Plan and updated the Vision statement accordingly, affirming its commitment to reducing carbon emissions, stopping the use of single use plastics and promoting the green economy and green activities such as cycling and rewilding of areas.

POLICE REPORT

06/01/20 Resolved – Report received advising 2 Road Traffic collisions with injury, 6 Road Traffic collisions damage only, 2 Highway Disruptions, 2 Manner of driving complaints & 2 Reports of suspicious vehicles.

APPLICATIONS FOR DEVELOPMENT

07/01/20	7/2019/5721	Old Bank Cottage, Haverthwaite LA12 8AJ	Connection of
		House combined sewer to the Public main sewer	Granted
08/01/20	7/2019/5730	Three Ways, Hazelrigg Lane LA12 8NY	Amendment to
		the design for the Summer House	Granted

with a steady flow of Locals. The left turn at The Swan junction has been delayed due to discovering underground Services which weren't mapped. Also discussed were Diversion routes for Accidents & 'No Ferry'. These would involve the Lake Road and around, rather than affecting the smaller roads. Also discussed – the Dual Carriageway by Haverthwaite Station being taken down to 1 lane, and 'the bends' at Greenodd having average Speed Cameras. Bus Shelter lighting with Solar panels (and battery back up) to be researched (SS)

- 12/03/20** Discussed – Street Lighting at Haverthwaite has been reported for repairs and actioned. To be checked on. (AN).
- 13/03/20** Resolved – Updates on the Lakes Levels Meeting & Proposals going forwards. Also the monitoring of Levels during high rainfall and recent Flooding (SS)
- 14/03/20** Resolved – Low Wood Notice Board & Bench is in progress with the help of a Grant from LDNPA (AN)
- 15/03/20** Discussed – The Mosses road and encroaching Foliage which narrows the 2 Lane road. It was thought that reduced heavy traffic which used to use this route did help with this issue. Responsibility was to be checked out (SS)
- 16/03/20** Resolved – Drainage & minor Flooding in Backbarrow & Finsthwaite Lane areas. Again due to adverse weather conditions and some underlying water flows, there was gravel movement & drain blockage causing minor flooding. After discussion it was decided that this was not a Highways Issue and unfortunately it would have to be the responsibility of individual Residents to manage this.
- 17/03/20** Discussed – A Defibrillator at Haverthwaite Playing Field. As there are numerous Community Events held here this was a request we had received. To be further discussed with the Community Centre, as there would need to be an appointed person for it (SS)
- 18/03/20** Discussed – Backbarrow Underpass. A Meeting requested by Highways England to go over the plan to improve gradient, lighting & handrails to make this accessible to all. This would allow use by Cyclists & residents at all times of the Year.
- 19/03/20** Discussed – Any Donations needed in our Parish or Causes that could benefit from extra Funds or ongoing help.
- 20/03/20** Discussed – The need for more Parish Councillors. Locals wanting to participate in Issues in our local area to contact me. Parish Elections on Thursday 7th May (AN)
- 21/03/20** Discussed – The Post of Parish Clerk to be available from May 2020. Please contact me re Details & Salary (AN)

CORRESPONDENCE

- 22/03/20** Discussed – Stott Park Bobbin Mill wood trimming request

Next Meeting Monday May 11th 7pm, AGM prior to at 6.30pm

Meeting Closed 8.20pm

Signed



Chairman

Date :



Clerk

Date :