

# YOULGRAVE PARISH COUNCIL

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## Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held Virtually using Zoom on 15<sup>th</sup> December 2020

Present: Councillors: Mick Ashforth, Elaine Bacon, Graham Elliott, Andrew McCloy, Richard Roper, Ralph Wilson and John Wragg

In attendance: Matthew Lovell – Clerk + 0 members of the public

2872 To receive apologies for absence

Apologies received and accepted from Cllrs: Leah Goodwin, Sue Hallam, Nicola Humphreys

2873 Variation of order of business and Clerk's request for time constrained items

No variations required.

2874 Declaration of Members Interests

Cllr Wragg declared an interest in the application for 24 Mawstone Lane as an immediate neighbour and took no part in the decision. No other interests required declaration.

2875 Public Speaking

a) Public – none

b) District Councillor / PDNPA member – no matters

County Councillor Simon Spencer and PCSO Ben Morris sent apologies.

2876 To confirm the Non-exempt minutes of the previous council meeting

RESOLVED to confirm as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 24<sup>th</sup> November 2020. The minutes were agreed for signature by the Chair.

2877 To determine which if any from Part 1 of the Agenda should be taken with the public excluded – none

2878 Planning decisions/applications received since last meeting. Planning related matters

**Decisions received:** none

**Applications for discussion:** NP/DDD/1120/1022 Erection of 5 lighting poles at Youlgrave Bowls Club

Council supports this application to enhance outdoor activities that benefit the community. Much thought has been given to the directional lighting using specialist services to minimise any spillage towards the overlooking neighbour and the proposal limits the usage which can be made a condition of permission. It is noted that this is a seasonal sport for the months with longer evenings and floodlighting is only required when natural light fails. It gives the club more scope to attract new members by better accommodating them outside normal working hours.

NP/DDD/1220/1139 24 Mawstone Lane – erection of extensions to incorporate a garage

Council supports this application noting it's use of materials and size are in keeping and proportionate with similar extensions to surrounding properties located outside the Conservation Area.

Other Matters: no reports received.

2879 Footpaths and Highways

Grit Bin refills – a pallet of grit is available at Youlgrave Garage for refills as Long Rake can no longer fulfil this service and is also available for purchase. Our grit bin half way down Bankside needs a refill and all councillors are asked to check their nearby bins throughout the winter for levels and remove rubbish dumped in them when convenient. Please let the clerk know when refills are required.

2880 Report of the Clerk / update on: -

a) Charity 520537 assets:

Playing Fields – ALPF – tree works awaited. Insurance notified of water leak and bill awaited from Waterworks following the completion of backfill. DCC has been given permission to rebuild the road wall working from inside the car park though no date has been set. DCC enquiry about the need to replace the chevron sign at Church Corner has noted the majority view that it doesn't need replacing.

HLTB – closed with notices to guide to CE. Prices hadn't arrived in time for the meeting for the drain works and back wall and will be circulated for email agreement.

(b) CE Car park/field, Allotments and other assets

Allotments – second plot notified for change – working through list. A problem with the road gate catching on the ground when being opened needs a volunteer working party to sort out.

CE Toilet Block – open and cleaned twice a week currently.

2881 DDDC Waste Bin and Public Space Protection Order Reviews

Council approved the drafts already circulated for submission to the Reviews noting the essential need for all bins and preferably larger ones and value of PSPOs for our public spaces.

2882 Date of next meeting – 26<sup>th</sup> January 2021 by Zoom unless regulations change

2021: 23<sup>rd</sup> February, 23<sup>rd</sup> March, (Finance:20<sup>th</sup> April) 27<sup>th</sup> April, 18<sup>th</sup> May

*Exempt Items: NONE*

There being no further business the meeting closed at 7:46 pm