

Barrow upon Humber Parish Council

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Minutes of the Barrow upon Humber Parish Council Meeting held in the Vicar's Room on **Wednesday 9th June, 2021** at 7pm.

Present: Cllr Alan Bruce (Chairman), Cllr Roy Fletcher (Vice-Chairman), Cllrs David Blakey, Martin Dunn, Jim Hackney, Stuart Leyland and John Thompson

Public Participation

Members of the public may raise subjects that they wish to bring to the attention of the Parish Council. Items relating to matters on the agenda will be taken first. The time will be restricted to 15 minutes maximum, with no member of the public speaking for more than 3 minutes, unless the Council decides otherwise. Members of the public should note that decisions cannot be made at this meeting on items not on the agenda.

One member of the public attended to ask about the Neighbourhood Plan and the Local Plan..

AGENDA

2021/40 Chairman's Report

To receive a report from the Chairman

The Chairman congratulated Ward Cllr Peter Clark on behalf of the Parish Council on being elected Mayor of North Lincolnshire.

He also thanked Parish Councillors for electing him as Chairman.

He said he would like the Parish Council to interact with businesses, residents and the school to resolve issues as soon as possible after they arose and be pro-active towards change.

2021/41 Apologies

To note apologies for absence.

Apologies were received from Cllrs Christine Ellis, Robert Lyden, Kevin Guy and Carolyn Guy and Ward Cllrs Peter Clark, Richard Hannigan and David Wells.

2021/42 Declarations of Interests / Dispensations

a. Declarations of Interests, in respect to Agenda items, to be made and recorded in the Minutes even if an Interest has been declared on the Register.

COUNCILLORS MUST DECLARE ANY AMENDMENT TO PECUNIARY INTERESTS WITHIN 28 DAYS

2021/52 Cllr David Blakey *Personal*

2021/48 (a) and (b) Cllr Stuart Leyland *Personal*

2021/48(b) Cllr Roy Fletcher *Personal*

b. For the Council to note any dispensations presented to the Clerk prior to the meeting and their resolution.

None

2021/43 Minutes of the Previous Meeting

a) To approve and sign as a true record the Minutes of the Barrow Parish Council Meeting held on 5th May 2021

Resolved: To sign the Minutes as a true record

2021/44 Report from Ward Councillors

To consider any actions arising from the Report.

No Ward Councillors were present but Cllr Hannigan sent a note regarding the Barton by-pass, saying that plans are at an early stage but are being put forward as a preliminary bid for funding later this month. It is unlikely there will be improvements before 2023 but it is now firmly on the agenda.

2021/45 Delegates' Reports

a) Better Barrow Community Project

The Wheelbarrow Weekend went well, despite being fairly low key. KCOM are donating £500 to share between Tilly's Dream and Lindsey Lodge Hospice and residents also raised money for the charities.

b) Neighbourhood Watch

Cllr Bruce reported that he is still trying to liaise with the Scunthorpe CCTV centre. The group needs a new co-ordinator as he is standing down.

c) NATS *There has been no meeting.*

2021/46 Open Spaces

a) To receive handyman's monthly report and discuss

Safety inspections have been carried out on all equipment. Weeds had been cleared in front of Papist Hall. The zip wire has developed a creaking noise and the Clerk will approach the manufacturers regarding lubrication. Also a large bolt on the side to side swing is rusting.

Resolved: To accept the report

2021/47 Village Roads

i) To discuss concerns raised about speeding traffic on the village roads and agree any action.

Cllr Bruce has put in a request to the Highways Department that a pedestrian crossing be considered between St Chad and Cross Street. This has been given a reference number FS340868831 and is under consideration by Highways.

Resolved: To order two each of Reduce Speed Now and Check Your Speed signs.

ii) To receive a report on bus stops and discuss suggestions for safety in the village.

Resolved: To note that Cllr Bruce is still pursuing this

2021/48 Playing Field

a) To receive an update on the Rugby Club roof and agree any action

The Clerk reported that one quote had been received and Cllr Leyland had met another contractor regarding replacing the roof. A third is being sought so that an application can be made for a grant.

Resolved: To note the report

b) To consider a request from the Rotary Club for a car boot sale and agree any action.

Resolved: To give permission for a sale on July 18

2021/49 Market Place

To receive an update on re-paving the Market Place

Resolved: To note that the Clerk has received two quotes and is seeking a third.

2021/50 Neighbourhood Plan

i) To receive an update on the Neighbourhood Plan

The group has applied for a grant to undertake a Market Place and High Street feasibility study.

Resolved; To note that a reply to the application is awaited

ii) To formulate Aims and Objectives of the Parish Council required to progress the Neighbourhood Plan

Resolved: That, as the Parish Council is not required to have an Aims & Objectives policy, the Neighbourhood Plan group should look at the document supplied by ERNLLCA and amend as necessary and submit to the Parish Council

2021/51 War Memorial and VE Day seat

a) To discuss the dedication of the VE Day commemorative seat

Resolved: That the Clerk would ask the Vicar if it would be possible to have a short service before the Remembrance Day wreath laying

b) To discuss provision of steps to the war memorial

Resolved: To consider a solution that would not require an archaeological dig

2021/52 Smithy Lane/Men's Sheds

To discuss the land in Smithy Lane and agree any action.

Resolved: To note that Cllr Hackney is liaising with Carole Johnson of HWRA regarding Men's Sheds. To ask Jon Nettleton to look at spraying the weeds on the Smithy Lane site.

2021/53 In Bloom and Best Kept Village competitions

To receive an update on both competitions

Resolved: To note that the In Bloom judging is 7th July and the Best Kept Village later in the month

2021/54 Planning

a) Submissions

i) PA/2021/810 Planning permission to elevate the height of the roof and make internal alterations to form a loft conversion at The Gables, Thorngarth Lane, Barrow upon Humber

Resolved: To offer no objections

ii) PA/2021/514 Application for approval of reserved matters (access, appearance, landscaping, layout and scale) pursuant to application PA/2020/603 for residential development and association public open space on land off Ferry Road, Barrow upon Humber.

Resolved: To offer no comments

iii) Invitation from WHP Telecoms to take part in pre-application discussion on a proposed telecommunications installation for on land off Mill Lane, Barrow upon Humber

Resolved: To request that a representative attends the next PC meeting to discuss this further

b) To note the following approvals:

- i) PA/2021/215 Planning permission to extend and remodel existing detached dwelling at Pear Tree Cottage, Westoby Lane, Barrow upon Humber
- ii) PA/2021/394 Planning permission to erect a two-storey extension to the rear of 34 Tall Trees, Ferry Road, Barrow upon Humber.
- iii) PA/2021/328 Planning permission to refurbish existing listed building, outbuilding and extension to garage at The Grove, Wold Road, Barrow upon Humber
- iv) PA/2021/543 Planning permission to erect extensions and make alterations, including extensions to the side and front and forming a new access at Lyndia, 28 Ferry Road, Barrow upon Humber

Resolved: To note the approvals

c) To note the following refusal

- i) To undertake pruning of a sycamore tree protected by a TPO at 56 Franklin Way, Barrow upon Humber.

Resolved: To note the refusal

2021/55 Finance

- a) To approve the May accounts

Resolved: To approve the May accounts

- b) To approve June payments

Resolved: To approve the payments for June

- c) To approve the Annual Governance and Accountability Return to March 31st 2021

Resolved: To approve the AGAR for 2020/21

- d) To confirm approval of a grant to The Hive pre-school playgroup.

Resolved: To approve the grant to The Hive and to inform them of the frequency of meetings for any future applications.

2021/56 Agenda for next and future Meetings

To take note of any items for the next or future Agenda
Parish Plan

2021/57 Date of next Meeting

To agree and confirm the date, time and location of the next meeting.

Wednesday 14th July, 2021 at 7pm in the Vicar's Room