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Swine Parish Council

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Minutes of the of Meeting of Swine Parish Council held on 18th November 2021
at St Mary's Church Vestry, Swine

11/2021/01 – Attendees: Cllrs Y Wilkinson, E McMullen, D Oliver, G Bloom, and J Mackereth .

11/2021/02 – Apologies: Cllrs A Thompson and A Hunter

11/2021/03 – Approval of minutes:

Minutes of the meeting held on 12th August 2021 were read and approved.

11/2021/04 – Police Reports:

These had been previously circulated to Councillors in advance of the meeting. No comments were raised.

11/2021/05 – Clerk's Report:

- (A) Clerk updated Councillors on the enquiry regarding the horse chestnut tree on Coniston Lane. An email has been received from East Riding of Yorkshire Council confirming that the tree falls within the Conservation Area and therefore any work to the tree would require approval.
- (B) Clerk advised of amendments to the Electoral Register (0 alterations to the Open Register, 1 deletion from the Full Register).

11/2021/06 – Finance:

- (A) Clerk confirmed the balance at the bank as of 15th October 2021 to be £2,152.40.
- (B) Clerk informed Councillors that a renewal notice had been received from Zurich Insurance, with renewal being due on 1st January 2022. Following consideration of the situation last year regarding alternative quotes Councillors agreed to the renewal at an unchanged cost of £224.00.
- (C) Clerk sought approval from Councillors for the purchase of the usual Remembrance Day wreath from the Royal British Legion at an unchanged cost of £22.50. A cheque will need to be drawn for a total of £67.50 to cover the cost of 3 wreaths; the 2019 cheque was never cashed and the Parish Council was never invoiced for 2020.

11/2021/07 – Withernwick Wind Farm Community Fund Grant:

Councillors had previously discussed spending the grant of £1,000.00 on repair and maintenance to the War Memorial in the church yard. A vote was taken as to approval of the expenditure of £968.40 in line with a quotation from W. P. Everingham & Sons Ltd which was passed 5-0. Councillors requested that as Coniston also have soldiers listed on the memorial

the Clerk write to Coniston Parish Council asking whether they would be prepared to contribute to the ongoing upkeep of the memorial.

11/2021/08 – Consideration of planning application 21/00924/STPLP (Castle Hill Flood Alleviation Scheme):

Councillors had previously had sight of the planning application and raised no comments or objections.

11/2021/09 – Consideration of email regarding the Queen's Platinum Jubilee Beacons:

Councillors decided that this was not something the Parish Council wished to take part in.

11/2021/10 – Consideration of email from Newbald Parish Council regarding Parish Councils' relationship with East Riding of Yorkshire Council:

Councillors agreed with the proposals made by Newbald Parish Council and that they agree to join in any correspondence in this regard submitted by them to East Riding of Yorkshire Council.

11/2021/11 – East Riding of Yorkshire Council's Annual Rough Sleepers Survey:

Councillors agreed to delegate responsibility for submission of a zero return to the Clerk.

11/2021/12 – Schedule received following the Village Taskforce Walkabout:

- (A) Clerk reported updated received. Cllr Mackereth will forward a copy of her previous email correspondence on the issue of the style to the Clerk (copies attached).
- (B) Clerk updated the Councillors present with details of the email received from Cllr Thompson regarding flooding issues (copy attached).

11/2021/13 – Date of next meeting:

The date of the next meeting was agreed as 10th February 2022 at 7.30pm in St Mary's Church Vestry, Swine.

Meeting closed at 8.00pm

Signed:

Date: