BUCKDEN PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the ordinary meeting of Buckden Parish Council held at Buckden Village Institute on Monday 9th January 2023 at 7.00pm

Present: Councillor Breen (Chair), Councillors Vetch, Jarrett and Way

Also Present: Nicola Mansfield-Smith, Clerk

Members of the Public: Three

Start time: 7.00pm

2223/104 Chairman's remarks

Councillor Breen welcomed everyone to the first meeting of 2023. Planning application C/13/69Q has been re-submitted with a date to reply of 24th January, which will be discussed under agenda item 2223/111.

2223/105 Apologies and reasons for Absence

Apologies received and reasons for absence accepted from Councillor Ramsden.

2223/106 Disclosures of Interest

None received.

2223/107 Minutes of the Previous Meetings

Resolved that the minutes of the meeting on Monday 14th November 2022 be signed as a true and accurate record.

2223/108 Confidential items to be discussed in confidence after item 2223/118 Resolved that no further agenda items to be discussed in confidence following the exclusion of the press and public in agenda item 2223/118, due to their sensitive nature.

2223/109 Public Participation

A member of the public reported that the Bench in the main Yorkshire Dales National car park on Wood Lane had been removed. Resolved to ask the Clerk to contact the Head of Park Management at Yorkshire Dales to find out what has happened with the Bench.

A member of the public enquired about what was happening with the river and the policy group that was in place. Resolved to ask the Clerk to invite Peter Katic from National Trust to a Town Council Meeting for an update.

A member of the public raised concerns about the flooding towards Falshaw. **Resolved** to agree to ask Richard Foster, County Councillor for Upper Wharfedale to the next meeting and for photographs of the flooding to be sent to the Clerk.

Resolved to agree that the Clerk to find out what influence Buckden Parish Council have as to what signage we have in the village.

2223/110 Reports from Invited Guests and District / County Councillors

No reports received.

2223/111 Planning

a) **Resolved** to receive an update on planning application C/13/204. Buckden Parish Council have registered their reservations about visual impact and have made a response upon which we are waiting for their response to that.

A further discussion took place on a planning application received, no C/13/69Q and it was proposed to review this online and should an objection be raised then to convene an extra ordinary meeting to consider this.

2223/112 Highway Matters

Resolved to receive an update on the following:

- a) Seal Bank has now been cut back.
- b) Nothing was reported regarding highways issues.
- c) Nothing was reported from the Road Safety Working Group.

2223/113 Community Groupings

Resolved to receive the following update:

a) No formal update has been received.

2223/114 Emergency Planning

Resolved to receive the following update:

a) The Lottery Grant has been turned down although an alternative plan would be a combination from funding of the Parish Council, the Village Institute and a ward grant of £1690.42 from North Yorkshire Council. **Resolved** to reserve £800 to support the purchase of a Generator.

2223/115 Land Registry Project

Resolved to receive the following update:

 To adopt the Land Registry document as a basis of a way forward with the Land Registry issue and accept recommendations 1-3 will be taken forward.

2223/116 Correspondence

Resolved that Buckden Parish Council will not respond to NYCC to submit expressions of interests on this matter.

2223/117 Finance

Resolved the following:

a) To approve the bank statements to 30th November and 31st December 2022.

- b) To approve the payment for £59.99 for Microsoft 265 subscription.
- c) To agree and approve a limit of £150.00 expenditure for the continuing Land Registry Project.

2223/118 Resolved that members of the press and public be excluded from item 2223/108 under the provisions of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings Act 1960 s1(2)) due to their confidential nature.

2223/119 Date of the next meeting

The date of the next meeting of Buckden Parish Council will be held at 7pm on Monday 13th March 2023.

The meeting closed at 8.21pm

The Clerk should be given seven clear days' notice of items for the agenda of the next meeting.