

# KIRBY BELLARS PARISH COUNCIL

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# Minutes of Meeting held on 10<sup>th</sup> December 2020 at 7.30pm This meeting was held remotely via Zoom

Present: Cllr Smith (AS) (Chair), Cllr Ingham (CI), Cllr Davies (DD), Cllr Joe Orson (JO), Cllr Batten

(AB)

In Attendance: Victoria Webster (VW) – Clerk

Absent: None

	Agenda Items	Action By
1.	Apologies  No apologies for absence were received.	
2.	Declarations of Interest There were no declarations of interest declared.	
3.	Minutes of the Previous Meeting  The minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as a true and accurate account.	
4.	<ul> <li>Matters Arising from the Previous Meeting of 10<sup>th</sup> September 2020</li> <li>A607 Flooding. Work to help alleviate this has now been carried out and the situation will be monitored.</li> <li>20/00976/GDOCOU. RB to obtain the facts about this application to come back to the Parish Council. Carry forward to the next meeting.</li> <li>DD to find out who owns the field next to the River. DD has contacted Land Registry but has so far been unsuccessful with obtaining the information.</li> <li>DD to find out who owns the land at the end of Wyshdyke Lane. As above.</li> <li>VW to obtain further information from Ward Recycling about the size of the unit. The unit is 5 feet wide by 4 feet deep. All Councillors felt this was too big for the size of space available, it would not get enough use and aesthetically it does not fit with the village.</li> <li>VW to find out further information about Rural Community Council. Annual membership if £60. It was felt it would be worthwhile the Parish to join RCC at this present time and review it on an annual basis.</li> </ul>	
5.	Public Participation  There was no public participation.	

## 6. Planning Applications

- 19/00256/FUL Erection of 3 detached dwellings, Main Street. Resubmission of original application. Approved.
- 19/01310/FUL. Land North of Ashby Folville Road. Reinstatement of barn for conversion to dwelling including the conversion of an existing barn. No decision has been reached yet.
- 20/00090/COU. Land and agricultural building North of Pringle.
   Retrospective change of use of land to agricultural and land drainage contractor business. This has been permitted.
- 20/01136/FUL. Change of use if dwelling to doggy day care. 52 Main Street.
   No decision has been reached yet.

#### 7. Accounts

The Clerk presented the following payment schedule for BACS payments to be processed:

#### Payments to be made following approval:

Derek Overfield £35.00

Mowing the areas adjacent to the Main Road on 27.10.20

Victoria Webster – Clerk £773.55

Salary for October/November/December and Expenses

LRALC £20.00

Training Course for Clerk: Website Accessibility Compliance Training

Community Heartbeat Trust £15.60

Rescue Safety Kit for village defibrillator

#### Payments that have already been processed since the last meeting:

Community Heartbeat Trust £273.60
Defibrillator pads and Battery

It was agreed the payments were correct.

The bank reconciliation and bank statements for all receipts and payments since the previous meeting were presented for checking. These were signed as accurate.

## 8. **Precept 2021/22**

The proposed precept for 2021/22 was presented to all councillors and discussed. All agreed the proposed budget and precept and agreed not to raise the precept for 2021/22, which will remain at £9250.

There is £42 remaining in the Drop-in club budget for 2020/21 which is to remain in their budget for future use.

#### 9. Resignation of a Councillor

Teresa Simkin has handed in her resignation and there is now a vacancy for a Councillor. The Notice of Vacancy was advertised on the 2<sup>nd</sup> December.

10.	Litter by the River	
	There has been no anti-social behaviour to report but rubbish has been left in the	
	area which has since been cleaned away.	
11.	Tree and Heritage Warden Update by David Davies	
	DD included information on the village Facebook page about tree planting and for	
	villagers to let DD know of any patches that need trees planting. DD has received a	
	couple of replies. CI offered trees to be planted within the farm.	
	Wildflowers. DD wrote to MBC to ask again about planting on the roadside. MBC are	
	developing a strategy for wildlife and asked if it would fit with this.	
	A patch of grass opposite AS house has been suggested for wildflowers to be planted	
	on. This belongs to highways so we would need to approach them and obtain	
	approval.	
	St Peters church has been awarded £25k following their application to Heritage	
	England to develop a plan for future preservation.	
12.	Funding Requests	
	No new funding requests have been received.	
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	A suggestion was made do make a donation to Community Heartbeat Trust as they do a lot of good work and the volunteers don't get paid. All agreed to donate £100.	
	do a lot of good work and the volunteers don't get paid. All agreed to donate 1100.	
13.	Correspondence	
	There was no correspondence received for discussion.	
14.	Any Other Business	
	Joe Orson Report	
	There will be a Covid inoculation Centre in Melton which is being led by the	
	MoD.	
	Play Areas. MBC have decided to break away from tradition and set up 125	
	acres of land on the south side of the town which the money has been set	
	aside for which will be for play activities.  Melton bypass. The terms for the HIFF funds couldn't be agreed by MBC and	
	LCC due to the availability of finances. This is a £165m project. LCC are	
	looking to review the terms on the 15 <sup>th</sup> and MBC looking to review the	
	terms on the 16 <sup>th</sup> . The North and East are secured.	
15.	Date of Next Meeting	
	11 <sup>th</sup> March 2021	
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