

KIRKBURTON PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL (PLANNING/GENERAL PURPOSES) MEETING HELD AT BURTON VILLAGE HALL, Highburton ON THURSDAY, 19th NOVEMBER 2009 AT 9.00 pm

PRESENT: Cllr R Barraclough in the Chair

Cllrs M Atkinson, R Burton, A Cooper, P Cunnington, S Dunford, G Hickey, J Hirst, L Holroyd, E Hutchinson, M MacDonald, B Moreton, J Paxton, M Sykes and C Whittingham,

Apologies were received from Cllrs H Barraclough, A Cruden, J Heward, A Munro, P Rock and J Taylor. The Council accepted the reasons for the absences.

**P33 Apologies and
Declarations of
Interest**

The following personal interests were declared: Cllr Atkinson in Planning Appl 93126 at 10 Dob Royd, Shepley as the applicant is an neighbour; Cllr Hutchinson in Planning Appl 93052 at 21 The Paddock, Kirkheaton, as it is a near neighbour; Cllr MacDonald in Planning Appl 92667 at 24 Cleveland Way, Shelley as he knows the applicant and in Shelley Village Hall because he uses it; Cllr Whittingham in Grange Moor allotments as her husband is on the waiting list.

Resolved: To accept the minutes of the Council (Planning/GP) meeting on 15th October 2009 as a true record.

P34 Minutes

The Clerk reported she was awaiting permission from the correspondent before she was able to contact Kirklees on the issue.

**P35 Highburton Cross
(Min P26)**

The following applications were approved: 92667 Shelley and 93091 Kirkburton.

P35 Planning

There was no comment made on the following applications:
93024 Thurstonland; 93045 Shelley; 93046 Shelley; 93049 Shepley; 93052 Kirkheaton; 93083 Lepton; 93092 Shepley; 93093 Shepley; 93095 Kirkburton; 93096 Kirkburton; 93126 Shepley.

Comment on the following applications was deferred pending receipt of the plan:
93064 Shepley; 93076 Kirkburton; 93077 Kirkburton; 93127 Lepton; 93144 Lascelles Hall and 93162 Kirkburton.

There were no planning appeals before the Council.

P36 Planning Appeals

The Clerk made a verbal report on the contract repairing the boundary wall on Church Lane.

**P37 Kirkheaton
Churchyard Wall**

There was no further information available.

**P38 Proposed Sale of
Village Hall**

Cllr Hirst outlined a possible future project to sponsor a farmers' market within the Parish at a location to be agreed.

P39 Farmers' Markets

Resolved: To support this project in principle and to budget for it in the next financial year.

The Clerk reported there was a need for a small fence to be put up now between the gate and the fence to block the gap, which was creating a security problem.

**P40 Grange Moor
Allotments**

Resolved: To erect a fence covering the gap between the gate and the fence.

Members noted that although bus services were being run through a section of the Parish Council area on Boxing Day, there were still many routes not being covered.

**P41 Boxing Day Bus
Services**

Resolved: To write to Metro and the bus companies welcoming the services now being provided and requesting that the services are expanded next year to cover the rest of the Parish Council area.

Resolved: To approve the draft copy for Issue No 22.

P42 One Voice

Members noted the information regarding a new display unit.

**P43 Display Equipment
for Shows**

Resolved: To purchase the equipment from DISC on the terms notified.

The Clerk reported that the Land Registry had advised the Council to register the land at Shepley allotments, which involved paying a fee and submitting the original documents.

P44 Shepley Allotments

Resolved: To register the allotments and to send the documents as securely as possible.

Members noted the Clerk's Report as distributed at the meeting.

P31 Clerk's Report

The meeting then closed.