

QUARNFORD PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held by Zoom on Sunday 29th November 2020
Attendance Register - Present:

Chair	Parish Councillor Gary Wentworth
	Parish Councillor Karen Kidd
	Parish Councillor Chris Candy
	Parish Councillor Eddie Kidd
	Parish Councillor Geoff Tunncliffe
	Parish Councillor Andy Thorogood
	Parish Councillor Dean Brockley
Clerk	Stephen Mansfield
County and District Councillors attending	None
Members of the Public attending & speaking	No members of the public

Agenda item 1	Attendance Register, Apologies, Public Attendees
Minute 20/11/29/01	All Parish Councillors present were noted on the Attendance Register by the Clerk prior to the commencement of the meeting.
Agenda item 2	Variation of Order of Business
Minute 20/11/29/02	None
Agenda item 3	Declarations of Member's Interests and requests for dispensations
Minute 20/11/29/03	There were no specific declarations of interest or requests for dispensations relating to items on the agenda.
Agenda item 4	Determination of Confidential Items
Minute 20/11/29/04	No members of the public were present so this item was automatically determined as; None.
Agenda item 5	Minutes of the previous meeting held 24th August 2020
Minute 20/11/29/05	The minutes for the previous meeting held on the 24 th August 2020 were reviewed by the Councillors and approved as a correct record of that meeting. Proposed Councillor Chris Candy Seconded Councillor Gary Wentworth and unanimously approved.
Agenda item 6	Matters arising from minutes of previous meeting.
Minute 20/11/29/06	6.1) There was a preliminary discussion of precept requirements which was expected to be £2000 but will be finalised at next meeting.

Agenda item 7	Public Speaking
Minute 20/11/29/07	7.1) None
Agenda item 8	Hear reports on Parish matters, Village Events and activities.
Minute 20/11/29/08	8.1) Clerk instructed to carry on with faculty application and phone Church solicitor. 8.2) Village events all cancelled due to pandemic regulations. 8.3) Memorial Hall kitchen refurbishment is complete.
Agenda item 9	Reporting of Highway Defects & other Parish Matters
Minute 20/11/29/09	Minutes 9.1 through to 9.7 are the same as last meeting but are repeated here because the situations reported remain as bad as ever or are getting worse 9.1) There has been a huge increase in the parking and disruption caused by visitors to the area. Roads are being blocked creating delays for emergency vehicles. 9.2) Councillors have CCTV footage showing thoughtless parking and resulting congestion 9.3) Residents are having to change plans and lifestyle to get around congestion. Scouts cannot open. 9.4) PCSO will support application for local parking restrictions. 9.5) Drug taking by visitors is becoming a problem activity. 9.6) Car park at Lud's Church is usually full before 9:00 am. All other visitors parking everywhere and blocking narrow roads. 9.7) Meeting proposes to arrange meeting with stakeholders including SWT, SCC Highways, Police and Peak Park . Furthermore Councillors wish to note; 9.8) The number of visitors and associated problems is not reducing in bad weather. On 29th November 2020 there were three gridlock situations at Gradbach caused by visitor parking. 9.9) The roadside verges are collapsing and being eroded away under the repeated parking by visitors. In some places so much soil has gone that the drystone walls are near collapse and hedgerow roots are being exposed/destroyed. The situation is now causing Permanent Damage to the environment. 9.10) A Parish Councillor, resident at Gradbach, is fighting a rearguard action against this onslaught by fitting anti-parking posts and reflective tape to try to prevent parking in the worst affected areas but the number of visitors is overwhelming 9.11) This parking will not only block emergency vehicles, which it has already has but will block gritting vehicles too as the bad weather requires them to work.



Agenda item 10	Policies and Procedures.													
Minute 20/11/29/10	10.1) None discussed.													
Agenda item 11	Planning													
Minute 20/11/29/11	11.1) Planning applications were tabled and discussed. There were no comments or objections to any of the following applications. <table> <tr> <td>NP/GDO/0620/0589 Planning Application</td><td>GDO Notification - Open fronted machine shed. Steel frame, cladding in box profile sheets. Dc & Me Andrews Northfield Farm Flash</td><td>30/06/2020</td></tr> <tr> <td>NP/SM/0420/0350 Planning Application</td><td>Change of use of an agricultural building to a mix of purposes ancillary to a tourism business and storage of land management equipment, and the addition of a below ground... Anroach Farm Downsedale Quarnford</td><td>28/04/2020</td></tr> <tr> <td>NP/GDO/0420/0364 Planning Application</td><td>GDO Notification - Erection of agricultural buildings to be used for animal feeds and fencing. Containers Opposite Far Barn Quarnford</td><td>22/04/2020</td></tr> <tr> <td>NP/DIS/0320/0267 Planning Application</td><td>Discharge of Conditions 3 & 4 to NP/SM/0419/0430 Underhill Farm New Road Flash</td><td>08/04/2020</td></tr> </table>		NP/GDO/0620/0589 Planning Application	GDO Notification - Open fronted machine shed. Steel frame, cladding in box profile sheets. Dc & Me Andrews Northfield Farm Flash	30/06/2020	NP/SM/0420/0350 Planning Application	Change of use of an agricultural building to a mix of purposes ancillary to a tourism business and storage of land management equipment, and the addition of a below ground... Anroach Farm Downsedale Quarnford	28/04/2020	NP/GDO/0420/0364 Planning Application	GDO Notification - Erection of agricultural buildings to be used for animal feeds and fencing. Containers Opposite Far Barn Quarnford	22/04/2020	NP/DIS/0320/0267 Planning Application	Discharge of Conditions 3 & 4 to NP/SM/0419/0430 Underhill Farm New Road Flash	08/04/2020
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Agenda item 12	Chair's Announcements													
Minute 20/11/29/12	12.1) none													

Agenda item 13	Updates from the Clerk including Correspondence Received															
Minute 20/11/29/13	13.1) Clerk in communication with SMDC re lengthsman scheme.															
Agenda item 14	Finance															
Minute 20/11/29/14	1) Current Account balance stands at £4665.50 on 30th September 2020, Business Reserve Account balance stands at £785.30 on 30th October 2020, (includes 2nd precept payment of £1000 on 25th September) 2) Cash Account Balance = £10.00 as a donation received to the Defibrillator fund. 3) The following expenditure was approved: Liabilities and other disbursements to be paid by cheque <table><tr><td>Date</td><td>Cheque no</td><td>Payee</td><td>Amount</td></tr><tr><td>29/11/2020</td><td>000569</td><td>S. Mansfield Salary Jul 2020 – Sep 2020</td><td>£153.66</td></tr><tr><td>29/11/2020</td><td>000570</td><td>HMRC PAYE Liability to 30th Sep 2020</td><td>£38.40</td></tr></table> 4) The following income was reported by the Clerk 2 nd precept payment of £1000 received on 25 th September. Bank Statements show interest payments to date of meeting, totalling £0.01 pence per calender month on Business Reserve account. 5) Accounts Reconciliation The Clerk presented documents to inform the meeting of the current position of accounts for the Parish Council.				Date	Cheque no	Payee	Amount	29/11/2020	000569	S. Mansfield Salary Jul 2020 – Sep 2020	£153.66	29/11/2020	000570	HMRC PAYE Liability to 30 th Sep 2020	£38.40
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Minute 20/11/29/15	The meetings for 2021 are scheduled as 7:30pm Monday 11 th January, Monday 15 th March, Tuesday 11 th May, Monday 16 th August, Monday 22 nd November 2021, in the Quarnford Memorial Hall or by Zoom and telephone conference.															
Agenda item 16	Any Other Business to be noted for inclusion in next agenda															
Minute 20/11/29/16	Meetings with Peak Park, SCC, SMDC, SWT and Staffs Police. The meeting was closed by the Chair at 18:57 pm															