

SESSAY PARISH COUNCIL
MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD IN SESSAY VILLAGE HALL
ON WEDNESDAY 3rd October 2018 at 7.30PM

Present : **Councillors:** John Macpherson (Chairman), David Willoughby, Darren Radcliffe, District Councillors Mark Robson and Peter Bardon

Clerk: Sandra Windross

3 members of the public present.

Public Forum

An opportunity for members of the public to comment on Agenda items.

1. Apologies

Received from Cllrs Wallburn and County Cllr Baker

2. Declarations of Interest

02.01 To receive any declarations of interest not already declared under the Council's Code of Conduct or members Register of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests – none

02.02 and to receive and consider any applications for dispensation - none

3. Minutes of the meeting held on 18 July 2018

The minutes of the above meeting were agreed subject to changing the opening date to the slip road on the A168 to Spring 2019 were amended and signed at our next meeting.

4. Co-option of Parish Councillor

Prior to the meeting we had two interested parties however at the start of the meeting one Applicant withdrew her application. Elaine Andrews was co-opted onto the Council.

5. Matters arising from the Minutes of the last meeting

All matters were covered on the Agenda.

6. NYCC Matters

Cllr Baker was not present. He had left a message with the Clerk stating he has not been able to obtain a copy of the Drains for Lanes report. The Clerk advised NYCC have not even acknowledged our Freedom of Information Request. It was agreed to check the procedure of reporting NYCC lack of communication, if necessary, to go through the Ombudsman to obtain a copy of the Lanes for Drains report prepared by NYCC.

7. District Council Matters

Cllr Robson and Cllr Bardon had another meeting to attend so asked to be excused after this item on the Agenda was dealt with, from this meeting.


Cllr Robson advised that the new Thirsk junction from the A168 to Sowerby Gateway is due to open in Spring 2019.

8. The Drains

The Clerk advised that our MP Kevin Hollinrake is looking into this for us but at the date of the meeting he had no response for us. It was agreed to leave to see what response he receives from Yorkshire Water.

9. Planning Matters

The following notices were received from Hambleton District Council


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18/01440/LBC Listed building consent for re-roofing of rear extension wheel House, Main Street, Sessay, Council had no objections to this application.

18/01845/FUL retrospective application to replace domestic wooden kennels with new brick built ones to rear of the property at Station house, Pilmoor, North Yorkshire, YO61 2QF – Council had no objections

9.2 to note the following applications approved:

18/00911/FUL construction of detached domestic garage/office building, Spindleberry, Main Street, Sessay granted

10. Clerks report

The clerk advised Sessay Bowls Club has made a request for funding. Councillors felt they needed to know what the funding was for and an indication of their financial situation.

11. Financial Matters

11.1 Financial Reconciliation - see Appendix I

11.2 Payment of Accounts received – see Appendix II

12. Correspondence to note/discuss

No correspondence was received.

13. Minor matters and Agenda Items for the next meeting

The Drains to be placed on the Agenda.

It was agreed to obtain a quote for replacing the road sign that has been damaged.

Cars are parking on the Village Green which is not allowable, it was agreed to write to the school asking the school to ask parents to refrain from doing this. Cllr Ratcliffe felt improvements could be made to the village green and the verge areas to allow some parking for the school and people attending the church at that end of the village, clerk to enquire if we can obtain some large plans from NYCC to look into improving this area.

14. Date of next meeting – 21st November 2018.

Appendix I

Current Account balance	£10,594.25
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Appendix II

S. Windross clerks salary & expenses	£421.11
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