

# South Somercotes with Scupholme Fen Houses PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2022 at  
St. Peter's Church, Louth Road, South Somercotes

**Present:**                               **Vice-Chair** Cllr Mrs Denise Day  
  Cllr Mrs Rowena Benton  
  Cllr Mrs Tracey Poulter  
  Cllr Mrs Pauline Jackson

**Also Present:**                   **Clerk**                         Ms Natalie Daly

**Members of Public**   None

## **Item 1222/150 Chairman's Welcome**

In the absence of the Chairman, the Vice-Chairman took the meeting at 5:58pm and welcomed everyone to the monthly meeting.

## **Item 1222/151 Public Forum**

No Members of the Public were in Attendance and no Matters Raised under this Item.

## **Item 1222/152 Apologies & Acceptance for Absence**

Apologies were received and accepted from the Chairman, Cllr Mr David Poulter, County & District Cllr Mr Daniel McNally and District Cllr Mr Paul Rickett.

## **Item 1222/153 Police Matters**

No representative from the Local Neighbourhood Policing Team were in attendance. Apologies had been received from PC Holly Lloyd along with an update providing a summary of 0 crimes reported in November for the Parish.

## **Item 1222/154 District & County Councillor Updates**

Apologies had been received, no updates to report and no matters raised.

## **Item 1222/155 Declarations of Pecuniary Interest in accordance with LGA 2011**

None.

## **Item 1222/156 To Resolve as Minutes the record of the meeting held on the 7<sup>th</sup> November 2022**

It was proposed by Cllr Mrs Poulter, seconded by Cllr Mrs Jackson and resolved that the Minutes of the meeting held on the 7<sup>th</sup> November 2022 were a true record. The Vice-Chair duly signed and dated the Minutes as a true record.

## **Item 1222/157 Chairman's Report**

The Vice-Chair had no specific matters to report.

## **Item 1222/158 Clerks Report**

**BT Kiosk** – Awaiting connection from Northern PowerGrid.

## **Item 1222/159 Parish Councillor Reports**

Cllr Mrs Jackson reported that the Remembrance Day service, a total of £5.00 was given in donations for the refreshments provided. The Parish Council gave thanks to Cllr Mrs Jackson for the organisation and provision of the refreshments.

A recent dog attack in the Parish was discussed and it was understood that further action by the victims of the attack were being taken.

## **Item 1222/160 Financial Matters**

The Tree Guy – Grass-Cutting Services to the front of St. Peters Church for Remembrance Sunday - £40.00

Robert Chatterton Invoice for the Grass-Cutting Services to the Jubilee Field for 2022 - £210.00 (7 x Cuts at £30.00 per cut)

It was proposed by Cllr Mrs Poulter, seconded by Cllr Mrs Benton and resolved to pay the above invoices.

**Item 1222/161 Planning Matters**

No Planning Matters.

**Item 1222/162 Highway/Lighting/Footpath Matters**

Cllr Mrs Benton reported that the footpath outside of Gander Patch has yet to be repaired.

**Item 1222/163 Jubilee Field & St. Peters Church**

The Clerk has contacted Tudor Ground Maintenance chasing the quote for the grass-cutting at St. Peters Church. No response has been received.

Robert Chatterton has confirmed that he will be able to provide the grass-cutting services for the Jubilee Field in 2023.

The Christmas Get-Together on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> December 2022 was finalised with a set-up time agreed along with agreement to decorate the Church for Christmas on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December.

**Item 1222/164 Reports from Outside Bodies**

None.

**Item 1222/165 Next Meeting – Monday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2023 6PM**

The next Parish Council Meeting will be held on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2023 commencing at 6pm with the Public Forum.

With there being no further business, the Chairman closed the meeting at 6:30pm.