**RASKELF PARISH COUNCIL**

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD IN RASKELF VILLAGE HALL
ON MONDAY 7th November 2022 at 7.00PM**

**PRESENT**: Councillors: Guy Brown (Chairman), Charlotte Cope, Peter Sigsworth, Richard Hawkhead, Nick Dixon, Cllr Alyson Baker, District Cllr Pippa James
Clerk: Sandra Windross

Public Forum

No matters were discussed in the public forum.

**1. Apologies**

No apologies were received.

**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 interest and the receive and consider any applications for dispensation. **None**

**3. Minutes of the meeting held on 5 September 2022**

The above minutes of the meeting were approved by Council and signed as a true record by Cllr Brown Chairman.

**4. To receive information on the following ongoing issues and decide further action where necessary**

There were no ongoing issues discussed.

**5. NYCC matters**

Cllr Barker provided the meeting with an update on County Council matters namely a “Lets Talk Survey” being carried out by NYCC.

There is a re-evaluation of the bus services being carried out, several bus routes are under threat.

Cllr Barker advised she has raised on behalf of the Parish Council the white lines on the road and have been advised by Highways that they are acceptable.

**6. District Council matters**

Cllr James provided an update on the planning application for the chicken sheds, a deferral was asked for at the recent meeting while the Highways were able to look at the transport element to and from the site.

Cllr James asked if we can nominate anyone for the HDC business awards.

**7. Planning Matters**

**7.1 The following planning applications were considered:**

**21/02643/FUL** construction of 6 no. poultry buildings, associated infrastructure and attenuation pond land lying North of Hag Lane, Raskelf – this application has been deferred.

**22/00577/FUL** revised application for the demolition of 2 no dwellings construction of 3 no dwellings and new access and associated infrastructure 1 & 2 School View, Raskelf – **Council has no objections.**

7.2 No planning decisions were received.

**22/00213/MRC** to modify or remove conditions 2 & 3 from previously approved application 21/01256/MBC Cow Byre, Springhead Farm Raskelf **Granted**

**22/01273FUL** construction of agricultural building to cover muck storage and installation of concrete yard area the GG Centre Ltd Hag Lane Raskelf **Granted**

**8. The Pinfold**

It was agreed to appoint Matthew Brown of Fitzgerald-Harts to act on behalf of the Parish Council regarding this matter an estimate of the legal costs would be £750.00 plus VAT and disbursements.

**9. Speed Matrix Signs for the Village**

Cllr Sigsworth updated the meeting regarding the new pole which has been erected but wrongly positioned by Highways.

**10. The website**

The Village Hall have advised they would like a new website, it was felt that they would have to fund their own website if they wish to have their own bespoke website.

**11. Financial Matters**

**11.1** Payment of accounts, the following accounts were approved for payment:

 Clerks salary and expenses £366.74

 ROSPA Play Safety Annual Inspection of the play area £100.80

**11.2** The Clerk presented a bank reconciliation which was accepted.

**11.3** Grant Applications – An application was received from St. Marys Church from the Lightsource Fund for repairs to the Gates and side panels at the Lychgate replaced. This was approved in the sum of £2549.

**11.4** The budget prepared by the Clerk was accepted. It was agreed to request a precept for the year 2023/24 in the sum of £6500.00.

**12. Correspondence to Note/Discuss and Action**

Various e-mails from YLCA advising of Branch Meetings and White Rose Updates

**13. Minor matters and Agenda Items for the next meeting**

Planting of Acer to commemorate the Platinum Jubilee and the erect of a plaque.

**12.** The meeting closed at 8.19pm the next meeting was scheduled for 9 January 2023 at 7.00pm.