

NAFFERTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held at The Recreation Club, Nafferton on
Tuesday 14 January 2025 at 7.30 pm

Recording of the meeting commenced

F128 Election of Chairman for the meeting – Councillor N. Sawyer was elected
Chairman – co-chaired with Councillor A. Sheldon - proposed Councillor Buckton –
seconded Councillor Sharpe – all in favour

F129 Present Councillors Mrs. M. Buckton, Mr. N. Sawyer, Mr. P. Sharpe, Mr. S. Sharp,
Mr. A. Sheldon, Ms. Y. Tagg, Mrs. H. Waites, Mr. N. Waites, Mr. O. Wild Mr. S. Wildridge

19 members of the public
Village Handyman – Mr. R. Holmes

Ward Councillor Mr. J. Owen

F130 Apologies for absence received from Councillors Mrs. S. Tait

F131 Declarations of pecuniary or non-pecuniary interests – All Councillors
present declared a non-pecuniary interest in The Recreation Club
F136 Councillor Buckton declared a non-pecuniary interest in Nafferton Scouts
F140 Councillor Sawyer declared a non-pecuniary interest in 24/03704/TCA

F132 Open Forum

Mr. M. Battams presented some facts to the meeting regarding all Councillors
attendance and commitments and requested that his finding should be kept on file –
agreed by Councillors
Intimidation and bullying were also discussed.

A resident had concerns regarding speeding on Middle Street and damage to vehicles

F133 The minutes of the last meeting having been circulated were approved – proposed
Councillor A. Sheldon – seconded Councillor P. Sharpe – Councillors voting in favour of
the proposal Buckton/Wildridge Councillor Tagg did not agree that the minutes were a
true record.

F134 Matters arising – no matters arising

F135 Accounts

1927 – Wold Ecology - £300.00

1928 – Currys IT equipment - £399.00

1929 – R. Holmes - £267.35

1930 – SLCC – Training - £144.00

1931 – M. A. Tyler – Salary £2760.00 – expenses - £45.00 = £2805.00

1932 – SLCC – Training - £144.00

1933 – Driffield & Wolds Weekly - £75.60

F136 Precept

Please see attached schedule

Requests for funding received from:

Nafferton in Bloom

Nafferton Newsletter

Nafferton Scouts

Precept demand of £56,920.00 for the financial year 2025/26

This precept will mean that the band D billing amount attributable to the parish council will be £60.48 which is an increase of £17.74 and 41.5% compared to 2024/25

F137 Action Log

1. Ecology Report – draft received – awaiting final report, to be circulated to Parish Councillors when received – see F138
2. Flooding – Nethergate – Meeting with Councillor Owen, ERYC representative, Councillor Mr. S. Sharp and Mr. R. Holmes – action – ERYC to submit a funding bid for the financial year 2025/26 to resurface the whole junction, they will contact YW to see where the drains go – ERYC to re dig all the grip holes from the junction to Netherdene, on Nethergate.
3. Seats in Bus Shelter – awaiting quotes
4. Phone Box Library – signs – on going

F138 The Mere

An email reference the Ecology report from Councillor Tait had been circulated to Councillors before the meeting and was read out by the Chairman – copy as requested on file

The Ecology report was circulated to Councillors on 16 December 2024 with the request that it was not shared until after discussion at the January 2025 meeting. Councillor Tagg agreed that she had shared the document before the meeting to the public – discussion closed

F139 Flooding/Drainage report

No new information

F140 Planning

24/03504/PLF – Change of use of land and buildings from holiday let to residential dwelling – 9 Bridlington Road, Nafferton – we have no observations to make on this application

24/03704/TCA – Nafferton Conservation Area – Fell 3 Whitebeam trees as they are becoming too large for their location, interfering with adjacent trees and dropping branches, berries and bird droppings, Crown lit 2 Cherry Trees by 4 metres to improve tree health and shape. Fell 1 Acacia tree as it is a poor example with deadwood and has spiky branches that cause safety concerns – The Old Coach House, 11 Parsonage Close, Nafferton – we have no observations to make on this application

Planning decisions:

24/02973/PLF – Conversion of outbuilding to dwelling with associated works – land north of Brendon Gates, Markman Lane, Nafferton - granted

F141 Correspondence

All items can be viewed online

Confirmed case of avian influenza near Nafferton

Notice of adoption – Sustainable Transport SPD update

Consultation on Strengthening Standards and Conduct Framework for Local Authorities

F142 Committee Reports

Village Hall – No meeting

Feoffee – No meeting

Play Area – all in order

Tech Team / Data team – Work continues .

Staffing – Councillor H. Waites told the meeting that work continued on the job descriptions for the members of staff

F143 Council Vacancies

Resignation of Councillors Mrs. C. Milan and Mr. P. Milan – ERYC informed - Councillor Sawyer told the meeting that their resignation from the Council was a sad loss

Retirement of The Clerk – position advertised

Councillor S. Sharp proposed that the interviewing panel should be Councillors

Sawyer/Sheldon/Wild – Councillor H. Waites to oversee – seconded Councillor Buckton – agreed.

F144 Village Maintenance

No additional items other than recorded in these minutes

F145 Defibrillator Guardian

Mrs. Martinson requested an addition guardian – Councillor S. Sharpe volunteered - agreed

The meeting closed at 9.30 pm

The above meeting was recorded