

NORTH FERRIBY PARISH COUNCIL
MINUTES
Environment Committee
27 November 2023

PRESENT: Councillors Dennett (Chairman) J.Abraham, Holborn and Wood
IN ATTENDANCE: Clerk J Haslope

Minute No.
ENV 23/

- 27. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE** – Cllr Black submitted apologies
- 28. DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY OR NON-PECUNIARY INTEREST** – There were none.
- 29. MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 23 OCTOBER 2023 – Resolved** - that the minutes be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.
- 30. PUBLIC FORUM** - There was no public speaking
- 31. CLERK'S REPORT**
- 31.1. Monthly Report** – The Clerk reported that Myers Beck will provide a mixture of 96 hazel, witch elm and alder buckthorn whips to be planted in the recently cleared woodland to create the new understorey. In order to do this canes and tree protectors are required which will cost up to £100 + VAT and this expenditure was agreed. It was also noted that three overgrown hedge letters had been sent out and a complaint had been received about the area at the top of Narrow Lane which had been forwarded on to ERYC. Finally it was noted that Ferriby Shed will decorate Coronation Gardens for Christmas.
- 31.2.** The current financial report was reviewed. No concerns were raised.
- 32. OTHER MATTERS**
- 32.1. ERYC Action Plans** – Cllr J.Abraham gave a report about the online meeting she attended regarding the ERYC Climate Action Plan and it was agreed that a meeting about the Local Nature Recovery Strategies would be attended by Cllrs Dennett, J.Abraham and the Clerk at Bishop Burton on 5th December.
- 32.2. Humber Road Car Park** – The Committee discussed the idea of installing a sign about anti-social behaviour in the car park being reported to the police but decided that this was not necessary.
- 32.3. Street and Gully Cleaning** – The Clerk explained the questions that had been raised with ERYC to understand how street and gully cleaning was managed which were still outstanding. It was noted that the streets had been cleaned, however this matter needs to be discussed with ERYC and the outcome of that conversation will be included on the next agenda.
- 32.4. Budget for 2024/25** – The different elements of the budget were reviewed. It was **Resolved** that the bid to the Parish Council for 2024/25 would be £7000. This amount considers the healthy balance of the Committee's funds.
- 32.5. Next Meeting** – It was agreed that the next meeting would take place on Monday 27th January at 9am.

The meeting closed at : 10.10am

Date of next meeting : 27 January 2024