Draft Minutes for April 2022

DUDDON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting held on Thursday 28 April 2022 in the Rankin Room

at the Victory Hall.

**Present** Cllr G Albion, Cllr C Edmondson, Cllr V Glessal, Cllr C Henderson, Cllr J Jardine,

and Cllr S Lane,

Cllr Jardine is Vice chair and is chairing tonight in the absence of the chairman.

**077/22 Apologies**

**Resolved** to accept apologies from Cllr I Longworth, Cllr P Gibbard-Thompson and also from the clerk – C Adams

**078/22 Requests for Dispensations**

There wereno requests for Dispensations.

**079/22 Declaration of Interests**

There were nodeclaration of interests.

**080/22 To consider if there are any items on the agenda from which the press and public should**

**be excluded.**

**Resolved** that there are no items are to be discussed in private.

**081/22 Minutes**

**Resolved** that the minutes of the meeting held on Thursday 24 March 2022 to be signed by the chairman as a true record.

**082/22** **Chairs Announcements**

The chairman welcomed Sophie Lane as our newly co-opted Parish Cllr.

**083/22 Public Participation**

1. County Cllr was not in attendance
2. District Cllr Ian Wharton was not in attendance.
3. Residents were in attendance –
4. A member of Duddon Sustainable was in attendance and spoke about the £120.
5. A member of Lakeland Housing Trust was in attendance and advised that a house

at Broughton Mills has been left to them but needs a lot of work doing so they are going to sell it and hope to buy a house or land in Broughton to provide housing. They do not have local occupancy clause in their contracts and rent is about £90 per week. Tenants just need to prove local connections.

**084/22 Prince of Wales**

**Resolved** to note that the application to have the Prince of Wales, Foxfield listed as a community asset has been successful.

**085/22 Community Resilience Plan**

**Resolved** to use the Victory Hall as a community Hub.

**086/22 Sustainable Duddon**

See 7C

**087/22 Wilson Park**

The football nets are now in the goals. Wood is to be collected. Thanks to Alan Benson for the Cherry tree and the gravel path at Donkey Rocks has now been done.

**088/22** **BHS 2026 Project**

**Resolved** to note that none of the current Cllrs are interested in becoming an Access and Bridleways Officer

**089/22 Parish Lengths Man**

1. **Resolved** to agree and adopt the draft agreement and offer it to the new lengths man
2. **Resolved** to agree and accept the quotesfrom the lengths man for the requested work.

**090/22 Correspondence**

Consideration was given to the following:

1. Letter regarding bench at Seathwaite – Sponsorship confirmed as suggested in the letter and bench to made from recycled tyres.
2. Request to place a memorial bench in the parish – this needs to be approached via the forestry commission.
3. Historical freeholders – No Cllrs are aware of this and it was suggested to contact S Aspinal to confirm.
4. Field opposite Donkey Rocks- contact CGP
5. NALC – Smaller Authorities letter – Lack of mobile signal, wifi and parking.
6. Broughton Tennis Club – Suggest that the club contact residents.

**091/22 Ukraine**

**Resolved** to note that the briefing from NALC was discussed.

**092/22 Parish Council Surgeries**

Cllr Glessal and Cllr Edmondson advised that 1 issue had come up at the last surgery which was the footpath outside the Old Kings Head is in desperate need of repair and to contact CCC.

**093/22 Consultations**

Cllr Jardine was tasked with completing the 2nd homes survey.

**094/22 Planning Applications (Planning applications can be viewed on the relevant authority’s website)**

**Planning Applications Granted**

Application Number: 7/2022/5090

Location: Hall Dunnerdale Farm (Ash Cragg), Seathwaite, Broughton-in-Furness

Application Number – 7/20225076

Location: 2 Ulpha Bridges, Ulpha, Broughto-in-Furness LA20 DT

Application Number – T/2022/5090

Park Stile, Church Street, Broughton-in-Furness LA20 6HJ

Application Number: 7/2022/5109

Application Number: 7/2021/5978

Location – Ball Hall, Brougthon in Furness LA20 6BB

Ref - SL/2022/0188

Location - Prince of Wales Hotel Foxfield BROUGHTON-INFURNESS LA20 6BX

**095/22 Financial Matters**

**Resolved** to authorise payment of the following accounts:

SRCL 48.84

SLDC 176.87

Npower Business 187.17

CALC 250.39

Salary 485.12

Altitude Services 1983.27

Npower 63.87

Cumbria County Council 1219.49

Cumbria County Council 24457.71

Foxfield Garden Centre 29.99

Hawthwaite Garden Centre 720.00

Victory Hall 67.40

J T Atkinson 103.20

Marmax 520.80

Greaves Tree Services 1128.00

Royal British Legion 154.99

Allotment Refundable Deposits 180.00

Victory Hall 1200.00

Optech Fibres 252.90

£33,230.01

Receipts

Allotment Rent £120.00

**096/22** **Date of Next Meeting**

To note that the next council meeting will be on 26 May 2022 and will be the AGM