



MINUTES OF PARISH COUNCIL
Meeting held on Monday 17th February 2025
At Leeming Village Hall, Leeming

Parish Councillors: Cllr M Curry; Cllr K Temple; Cllr O Robinson; Cllr A Bowes; Cllr F Stead;
County Councillor: Cllr John Weighell
Clerk / Others: S Nicholson (Clerk); 1 Resident.

Meeting Chaired by: Cllr M Curry

Item Ref 24/25	Item Details	Issues	Action
95)	Welcome and Apologies	The meeting was opened and no apologies had been received.	Resolved
96)	Public Session	1. Nothing reported	Resolved
97)	Declarations of Interest	1. None declared	Resolved
98)	Minutes & Matters Arising	To receive and discuss: 1. Minutes from meetings dated 20 th January 2025 2. Matters Arising There were no matters arising that was not on the agenda.	The minutes were read, agreed, and signed. Proposed by: Cllr KT Seconded by: Cllr FS Resolved
99)	Parish Matters 1. Councillor issues	To discuss and consider 1. <u>Vacancy</u> The person who had considered being Co-opted had decided not to stand.	Ongoing
100)	External Reports	To receive and discuss reports: 1. <u>Police Report</u> A report by the police was received, stating, that there were on incidents that had occurred within the parish.	Resolved

		<p>2. <u>North Yorkshire Report</u> Cllr JW reported:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The NYC had set the precept last week at 4.99% with the usual 2.5% for Social Care. Cllr Weighell stated he was aware that every government over the last 25 years has ignored the Social Care problem. NYC had just had 22M rural grants taken from their budget, with Fire and Crime increasing they precept request by 25%. Locality budgets have been hit from £10K to £5K for each County Councillor. Finally the parish was advised of the local landowners who have put forward land for building usage. The majority of land in this area is around Aiskew and Leeming Bar. <p>The Chair thanked Councillor Weighill for his comprehensive report.</p>	
101)	<p>Parish Concerns</p> <p>1. Facebook Page</p>	<p>To consider and discuss:</p> <p>1. Cllr FS stated that she had now arranged a meeting with Richie Clare to discuss the best method to set the page up. Councillors wanted a closed group Cllr KT would also assist with this project</p>	<p>On going.</p>
	<p>2. Bridle Paths – Leeming and Londonderry</p>	<p>2. <u>Leeming</u> Councillors had a very frank and full discussion on whether they should step in and try to resolved the major pothole problem along the bridle way leading to the park. The clerk advised of the three options</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Basic filling the holes £500 Intermediate which should last a couple of years £1000 Full screening of the path which should last £2.5K <p>The Chair gave her views on why the parish should not do the work.</p>	<p>Both items Resolved</p>

		<p>A question of duty of care for residents was raised but the decision was that the care was with NYC. Agreed not to take this proposal any further.</p> <p><u>Londonderry</u> The path has been cleared</p>	
	3. Parking in Prospect Way.	<p>3. The Clerk advised that a letter had been sent to both the Police and Broad acres. The police have sent a letter to Broadacres. Nothing from Broadacres</p>	Ongoing - Clerk to send a letter to the resident requesting that he does not park his car across the pavement.
	4. Speeding Leeming	<p>4. The Clerk stated that Darren Griffith had organised a speed survey earlier this month and we awaiting the results.</p>	On-going
	5. Dog Bin	<p>5. The Clerk stated Steve Carver is to complete the repair.</p>	Clerk to monitor
	6. Dog Attack	<p>6. The clerk stated the response from the police.</p>	Clerk to ask the police if a letter has been sent to the dog owner.
	7. Moles	<p>7. Due to Cllr OR being unable to obtain services for the Mole catcher the clerk was requested to arrange for the work to be completed.</p>	Clerk to arrange for a Mole catcher
102)	Planning	<p>To consider and discuss:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. ZB23/00923/FUL <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Awaiting Decision 2. ZB24/00589/FUL <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Awaiting Decision <p>The Chair requested Cllr JW to try and find out from Planning what is happening to the two applications above as they are both more than 18 months old.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Solar Farm <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Awaiting application Details 	Cllr JW to follow this up with Planning

		<p>4. ZB25/00140/REM Reserved matters application for demolition of existing dwelling and construction of a dwelling following outline permission - (Outline planning application for a replacement dwelling following demolition of existing dwelling (As amended by Hambleton District Council on 09.03.2022) 21/02501/OUT) Willow Garth 1 Hathaway Park Gatenby North Yorkshire</p>	Resolved no Objection
103)	Highways	<p>To consider and discuss: 1. Parking at Bus Stop This is still not resolved, and passengers are still having to leave the bus in the middle of the road. There is a real safety issue. Cllr JW stated he understood marking was fairly inexpensive when being done in the area but was expensive as a one off.</p>	Cllr JW to discuss with Highways
104)	Grass Cutting	<p>To discuss and consider: The Clerk is still seeking quotations. Cllr MC to forward land map for Contract 2</p>	Clerk to action work on Contract 2
105)	<p>Financial Matters</p> <p>1. Accounts and Payments Jan & Feb 2025</p>	<p>To consider and discuss: 1. <u>Jan 2025</u> Closing accounts for Jan 2025 had been provided and agreed. <u>Feb 2025</u> Payments agreed. All paperwork signed by the Chair of the meeting.</p>	<p>Resolved</p> <p>Resolved</p>
106)	AOB	Nothing declared	

Meeting closed at 8pm

**Next meeting is on Monday 17th March 2025
In Leeming Village Hall**

Signed by Chair:

Dated: