

Hayton and Mealo Parish Council

A meeting of the Hayton and Mealo Parish Council was held in the Prospect Village Hall, Prospect, Aspatria on Wednesday 13th September 2023 at 7.30pm.

PRESENT: Messrs. D. Hillary, V. Sonnabend, J. Pye, R. Murray, S. Hitchen, S. Thompson, and Y. Lockwood.

Also, Present: T. Gear (Clerk) and K. Thurlow (Cumberland Councillor)

Apologies: None

Councillor D. Hillary in the Chair.

74/2023 MEMBERS APOLOGIES

None

75/2023 DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS

None

76/2023 MINUTES

On the proposal of V Sonnabend and seconded by Y. Lockwood it was RESOLVED that the minutes of the meetings held on 12th July 2023 be approved and signed as a correct record.

77/2023 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

There were no members of the public present, and no matters were raised on their behalf.

78/2023 CORRESPONDENCE

The following items of correspondence have been received since the last meeting and circulated to members for their information: -.

Notes of the CALC Special General Meeting held on 22nd July 2023

Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner Summer Newsletter

Partnership and LGR Information (11.8, 1.9.)

Databank Drop In Workington Library 26/7, 9/8, 23/8

Cumbria in Bloom July 2023 Newsletter.

Connecting Cumbria Newsletter (July)

Green 2 Grow, Food, People, Nature event 15th September and 31st October

ACT update July 2023

Cumberland Council Newsletters.

Cumbria LRF Winter Workshop

CALC Annual General Meeting 30th September 2023 10 am

CALC News May and June 2023

Community Panels open for Business.
 County of Cumbria & D-Day 80 – 6th June 2024
 Let's talk Bereavement Project
 Cumbria People and Nature Network
 CCRG: National Risk Register and Flood Warning Sign Up
 CALC Annual Review 2022-2023
 Fire and Rescue Plan public survey is now live.
 Communities at the heart of new fund to boost local growth and energy security.
 Hyperfast GB Newsletter – August 2023
 Digital Voice and Power outage- Community Resilience and Emergency Planning
 CAfS Newsletter – September 2023

79/2023 CLERKS REPORT

The clerk gave a brief report on matters that had arisen since the last meeting which included: -

- i) An invitation had been received from the Fells and Solway Community Network to a workshop to be held on Wednesday 11th October 2023 from 3pm – 5pm at Wigton Market Hall
- ii) There is a Clerks Forum on Thursday 14th September 2023 by teams which he hopes to attend.

80/2023 DISTRICT AND COUNTY COUNCILLOR'S REPORTS

K. Thurlow (Cumberland Councillor) addressed the meeting giving additional information on the Fells and Solway Panel. Each panel has 60k to promote projects in their area which is broken down into 6k for each councillor.

81/2023 PLANNING MATTERS

a) Applications for consultation

FUL/2023/0164	Erection of roof over yard and resurfacing of yard. Aigle Gill Farm, Hayton, Aspatria CA7 2PL	No Objections
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b) Decisions

FUL/2023/0164	Erection of roof over yard and resurfacing of yard. Aigle Gill Farm, Hayton, Aspatria CA7 2PL	Approved
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HRH/2023/0001	Removal of 280m of hedgerow Beech House, Hayton, CA7 2PD	Hedgerow Retention Order
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c) Appeals

None

(d) Any other planning related correspondence.

None

81/2023 ACCOUNTS

(i) Balances at: -

13.9.23	Current Account	£167.25
13.9.23	Deposit Account	£1641.57

(ii) The following accounts were approved for payment: -

M Dowling Contracting	Grass cutting (July)	£348.00
T Gear	Clerks Account (July/Aug.)	£337.96
HMRC	Income Tax (July/Aug.)	£64.56
M Dowling Contracting	Grass cutting (August)	£348.00

82/2023 PARKING/DRIVING ACROSS THE VILLAGE GREEN

The situation has improved recently, and this item can be removed from the future agenda.

83/2023 NEWSLETTER

The draft of the next edition was considered and approved.

84/2023 VACANCY

There is a vacancy for a Councillor but there were no applications for co-option to be considered.

85/2023 CLIMATE CHANGE

This is becoming a critical issue and regular updates are received from various sources including: -

- (i) Sign up for our Westogether Climate Concerns event on 26th September 2023
- (ii) Cumbria Community Resilience Group Climate Risks
- (iii) How to declare a Climate & Ecological Emergency.

86/2023 ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING

Vacancy
Budget 2024/25

87/2023 DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be held on **Wednesday 8th November 2023 at 7.30pm** at Prospect Village Hall, Prospect.

The meeting closed at 7.55pm

Signed.....
Chair

