

Bridekirk Parish Council
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Minutes of the meeting of Bridekirk Parish Council held on Monday 6th December 2021

Present: Mr S Dumbill (Chair); Mr R Stenson; Mr R Coy; Mr M Rollison; Mr F Armstrong; Mr D Hodgson & Clerk : Ms D Cosgrove

1.1.22 Apologies for absence received Cllr N Cockburn, Mr M Buckley, Mr B Crosby, Mr W Nixon

2.1.22 The minutes of the meetings held on Thursday 6th December 2021 were signed as a true record.

3.1.22 No declarations of interest

4.1.22 There were no members of the public present at the meeting

5.1. 22 Accounts :

- Clerk quarterly salary to Jan 2022 - £400
- HMRC payment for above - £100
- Microsoft subscription - £59.99
- Website hosting annual charge - £151.19

6.1.22 Reports from outside bodies

- Nobody present from CCC – no apologies – clerk to write to MP
- Cumbria Constabulary – No report or correspondence
- Allerdale BC – No report
- Cllr Cockburn – Apologies given, no report this time.

7.1.22 Planning Applications –

- **Ref:** FUL/2021/0313 **Applicant:** S Richardson **Proposal:** Detached bungalow in the existing grounds of Low Road Cottage. **Location** Low Road Cottage, Bridekirk CA13 0PE (previously circulated) No objections
- **Ref:** FUL/2021/0325 **Applicant:** M Harper **Proposal:** Roof over existing silage pit. **Location** West House Farm, Dearham, CA15 7LD (previously circulated) No objections
- **Ref:** FUL/2021/0324 **Applicant:** J Walker **Proposal:** Formation of a new highway entrance. **Location** Fieldside Farm, Dovenby, CA13 0PW (previously circulated) No objections, although discussion around safer access took place.

8.1.22 Clerks report - covered in other areas of the agenda.

9.1.22 Flooding updates

- **Tallentire** – Nothing to report.
- **Dovenby**. – Nothing to report

10.1.22 Parish Maintenance –

- Parish Asset Register was discussed: It was confirmed that the Parish Council owns the following assets:
 - Pinfold – currently leased out at a rate of £50 per annum for grazing
 - 1 x laptop computer
 - 1 x printer
 - 3 x benches
 - Village Green Tallentire
 - Village Green Dovenby
 - 2 x Notice Boards
 - 3 x Defibrillators
 In addition we are in the process of taking ownership of the BT phone box in Tallentire which will house the defibrillator, cost £1 (waived)
- Grass Contract – to go to current contractor, on condition he resumes collecting grass now that the covid restrictions are over.
- Phone still connected. Expect further progress this coming month.

11.11.22 M Sport – Nothing to report. Although it was noticed that there have been complaints made about the noise levels since the leaves have dropped from the trees, but M sport claim there is 'no issue'. Continue to monitor.

12.1.22 Defibrillators in Parish -

- **Dovenby**. - in good working order
- **Tallentire** - in good working order.
- **Bridekirk** - In good working order.

13.1.22 Cumbria Community Foundation –

- A request is to be made to the CCF for somebody to attend the PC meeting to give us an update on what can be applied for and also to look at the makeup of the advisory body as this appears to be skewed.
- Proposed Parish Magazine Increased the amount offered, but still leaves a shortfall. A further meeting at the end of the month, to make a final decision.

14.1.22 Noted date and time of next meeting : Thursday 10th March 7.30pm Bridekirk Parish Church