

# SOUTH FERRIBY PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of the meeting of South Ferriby Parish Council held on **Monday 13<sup>th</sup> October, 2025** at **South Ferriby Village Hall**, Horkstow Rd, South Ferriby, Barton-upon-Humber DN18 6HS at **7 pm**.

**Present:** Cllr Cathy Logan (Chair), Cllr Nigel Ward (Vice-Chair), Cllrs Dewi Bennett, Noreen Cecil-Purvis, Laura Christmas, Jan Goff, David Grace, Rachel Roy, Vicky Wells.  
Ward Cllr Rob Waltham  
Clerk to the Council Ann Boulton  
Two members of Humberside Police  
One member of the public

## **Public Participation**

A member of the public asked about the speed limit on Ferriby Road as her satnav shows part of it as 40mph. PC Steve Parsons explained that the general rule is that if the area has street lights, the limit is 30mph unless indicated. Unfortunately some satnavs are out of date. Sluice Road is 30mph.

**Cllr Rachel Roy, who was recently co-opted, was welcomed to the Parish Council**

| <b>Minute Number</b> |   | <b>Action (Initials)</b> |
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| <b>25/26-1001</b>    | <b>Apologies</b><br>To note apologies for absence. <i>No apologies were received</i>  |                          |
| <b>25/26-1002</b>    | <b>Declarations of Interest</b><br>a) To note and record declarations of interest by any member of the council in respect of the agenda items listed below. Members should identify the agenda item and type of interest being declared. <b>None</b><br>b) To note any dispensations granted to any member of the council in respect of the agenda items below. <b>None</b> |                          |
| <b>25/26-1003</b>    | <b>Minutes of previous meetings</b><br>Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on Monday, 8 <sup>th</sup> September to be approved and signed.<br><b>Resolved: To approve and sign the Minutes.</b>  |                          |

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| <b>25/26-1004</b> | <p><b>Report from Ward Councillors</b></p> <p>Ward Councillors to update the Parish Council on activities within North Lincolnshire Council.</p> <p><i>Cllr Waltham reported that NLC are launching Baysgarth pre-school swimming for 0-4 year olds.</i></p> <p><i>Discover20/21 opens on 30<sup>th</sup> October.</i></p> <p><i>The new bins have been ordered and come into use at the end of March 2026. Residents may keep their old bins or can have them collected.</i></p> <p><i>From next April, Houses of Multiple Occupation will need planning permission as well as a licence.</i></p> <p><i>Tenders are in for Barton by-pass</i></p> <p><i>Fines have been issued for fly-tipping and NLC will continue to pursue this.</i></p> <p><i>Cllr Waltham will ask Ongo for a meeting regarding overhanging trees in the village.</i></p> <p><i>Cemex have not replied to Cllr Waltham as yet.</i></p> <p><i>It was agreed that an inspection of highways and pavements by NLC will take place on November 19<sup>th</sup> beginning at 10am.</i></p> |  |
| <b>25/26-1005</b> | <p><b>Police Matters</b></p> <p>To discuss and update any Police matters.</p> <p><i>PC Parsons reported that there is a problem with motorbikes doing over 60mph through 30mph speed limits, some of which have been caught.</i></p> <p><i>There has been a spate of door-knocking in the area but the perpetrators will move haphazardly between villages and are difficult to catch. The Police and Probation Service never licence these people and residents should be wary of them.</i></p>   |  |
| <b>25/26-1006</b> | <p><b>Highways and Footpaths</b></p> <p>a) To update the following highways issues:</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">i) Update on footpath repairs/resurfacing</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">ii) To discuss any other highways and footpath issues and resolve any action.</p> <p><b>Resolved: To ask residents to report any issues to councillors or the Clerk before the meeting/inspection on 19<sup>th</sup> November at 10am with Cllr Waltham and an NLC officer.</b></p>  |  |
| <b>25/26-1007</b> | <p><b>Planning</b> None</p>  |  |
| <b>25/26-1008</b> | <p><b>Village and Open Space Management Matters</b></p> <p>a) To agree any action regarding management of Beulah Courts</p> <p>i) Removal of weeds around the area</p>   |  |

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|                          | <p><b>The Clerk has asked the contractor about clearing the weeds and undergrowth and he will look at it when he has finished mowing.</b><br/> <b>Resolved: To ask him to remove the ivy from the bin inside the gate.</b><br/> <b>Also to get a quote for raising the canopy on the big tree that is overhanging the footpath and equipment.</b></p> <p>b) To receive an update from Cllr Cecil-Purvis regarding the monthly inspections of the playground equipment and to resolve any action.</p> <p>i) Update on equipment resurfacing<br/> <b>Resolved: To note that replacements for the warped table and bench have been included in the grant application for the resurfacing.</b></p> <p>c) To update progress on the wildflower meadow.<br/> <b>Following advice from the contractor that the meadow needs topping, he will be asked for a quote.</b><br/> <b>Resolved: That a working party will meet at the meadow at 10am on November 1<sup>st</sup> to plant the sensory plants.</b></p> <p>i) Emptying of bins once installed.<br/> <b>No reply has been received from NLC – the Clerk is chasing it up.</b></p> <p>ii) To discuss entry restriction.<br/> <b>A discussion took place on a height restrictor for the meadow. It was felt that a bar was not feasible but to look at retracting bollards.</b></p> <p>d) To receive the monthly Village Asset inspections and reports and resolve any action.</p> <p>i) Maintenance of bus shelters<br/> <b>NLC are responsible for the bus shelters and Clerk has asked if they have a schedule for maintenance and re-painting.</b></p> <p>e) To discuss any other Village and Open Space Management matters and resolve any action:</p> <p>i) Low Villages News/circulation of information<br/> <b>Nothing to report</b></p> <p>ii) Facebook update<br/> <b>Resolved: That commercial posts on the village Facebook page would only be allowed on one day per week, preferably a Tuesday – regulators Cllr Christmas and Cllr Ward will implement this.</b></p> <p>iii) Update on Christmas tree<br/> <b>Cllr Wells said that the cost of the tree is now £9 per foot and it is a 25ft tree. It will be collected on 29<sup>th</sup> November and put up that day.</b></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>AB</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>ALL CLLRS</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>AB</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>LC/NW</b></p> |
| <p><b>25/26-1010</b></p> | <p><b>Accounts</b></p> <p>a) To approve September accounts<br/> <b>Resolved: To approve the accounts</b></p> <p>b) To consider internal and external audit report</p>  |   |

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|            | <p><b>Resolved: As it had not been possible to arrange a meeting between the Clerk and Cllrs Bennett and Ward, it was resolved to carry this forward to the next meeting.</b></p> <p>c) To approve second quarter accounts.<br/> <b>Resolved: To approve the accounts</b></p> <p>d) To approve October payments: PKF Littlejohn (external auditor) £252.00; Clerk – salary &amp; HMRC;<br/> <b>Resolved to approve the payments.</b></p> <p>e) Any other payments as presented <b>None</b></p> <p>f) To consider Village Hall Committee request for a donation<br/> <b>Resolved: To donate £500.</b></p>  | DB/NW/AB |
| 25/26-1010 | <p><b>Ongoing Minor Items, Correspondence and Agenda Items for the next meeting</b></p> <p>a) Councillors to update the meeting on any progress on items not requiring decision and resolution, not otherwise detailed on the agenda.<br/> <b>It was suggested that the rubbish in the container behind the bowling green should be used for the bonfire.</b><br/> <b>Cllr Ward said he would contact Natural England regarding the quarry – the Clerk will pass on previous correspondence.</b><br/> <b>The Clerk will contact Roy Holloway re installing Dave Mouncey’s Memorial bench.</b><br/> <b>It was agreed not to hold a meeting in December but to have one in January</b><br/> <b>Cllr Roy volunteered to help with the pond area if required.</b></p> <p>b) To receive from Councillors agenda items for the next meeting<br/> <b>Project for 2025/26 with costings</b></p> | NW<br>AB |
| 25/26-1011 | <p><b><u>Date and time of forthcoming meetings</u></b></p> <p>a) To agree the date and time of the next Parish Council meeting - change of date to <b>Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> November at 7pm</b></p>  |          |
| 25/26-1012 | <p><b><u>To consider the exclusion of the public and press in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 s1(2) due to the confidential nature of the items to be discussed.</u></b></p> <p>A Personnel Committee meeting will be held on 4<sup>th</sup> November at 6.30pm.</p>   |          |