

SOUTH FERRIBY PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of the meeting of South Ferriby Parish Council held on Monday 26th January, 2026 at South Ferriby Village Hall, Horkstow Rd, South Ferriby, Barton-upon-Humber DN18 6HS at 7 pm.

Present: Cllrs C Logan (Chair), N Ward (Vice-Chair), N Cecil-Purvis, L Christmas, D Grace, R Roy, V Wells
Ward Cllr R Waltham
Clerk to the Council A Boulton
One member of the public

Public Participation

Items reported:

- Humber Bank - repairs needed to fence sections on the footpath onto the Humber Bank.
- Bench near bowls club needs replacing – *this is already in hand*
- Water on road from Mount Pleasant Gardens/wall opposite Blacksmiths shop - *Cllr Waltham will arrange a meeting*
- Fly tipping in the dyke near to tennis courts alongside A1077 which takes water from drains on road down to Fulseas drain.
- Adult care for residents.
- Drain gullies on the hill are blocked.
- Powells Mount could need inspecting especially after storm winds.

Minute Number		Action (Initials)
25/26-0101	Apologies Apologies were received from Cllr J Goff	
25/26-0102	Declarations of Interest 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. None b) To note any dispensations granted to any member of the council in respect of the agenda items below. None	
25/26-0103	Minutes of previous meetings Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on Tuesday 4 th November, 2025 to be approved and signed. Resolved: To approve and sign the Minutes	
25/26-0104	Report from Ward Councillors Ward Councillors to update the Parish Council on activities within North Lincolnshire Council.	

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	<p><i>Cllr Waltham reported that the Environment Agency will be starting work on Horkstow Bridge in March and the bridge will be closed while it is carried out.</i></p> <p><i>Lincs Wildlife Trust have organised an Ancholme Conference in February. * A new provider is taking over the former JustGo service which will be renamed Connect2.</i></p> <p><i>Plans for the second phase of the Barton by-pass to the A15 are being drawn up.</i></p> <p><i>The latest round of the Local Plan is ongoing with the next consultation in March.</i></p> <p><i>Jobs Expo in Scunthorpe on 5th March.</i></p> <p><i>The government published the wrong information on NLC Highways road repairs but have no plans to update the register.</i></p> <p><i>Cllr Waltham will chase up the report on the highways and footpaths inspection.</i></p> <p><i>New red bins are being distributed and should be used from April.</i></p> <p><i>A new gym membership scheme for O6os and students is being introduced and there is also an offer for 14-17 year olds.</i></p> <p><i>Cllr Waltham will investigate SSE grants for the Village Hall.</i></p> <p><i>He was asked about the bus stop at Prospect Villas which has been dug up for Anglian Water works. He will follow it up.</i></p>	<p>*JG/NC-P going</p>
<p>25/26-0105</p>	<p>Police Matters To discuss and update any Police matters. <i>Fly Tipping on Sluice Road – Cllr Ward will take photos and post on Facebook.</i></p>	<p>NW</p>
<p>25/26-0106</p>	<p>Highways and Footpaths</p> <p>a) To update the following highways issues:</p> <p>i) NLC inspection of roads and footpaths <i>Cllr Waltham is chasing the report</i></p> <p>ii) Ice on A1077 Sluice Road/Horkstow Road junction <i>Ongoing investigations</i></p> <p>iii) White lining on A1077 /High street junction <i>Cllr Waltham said this would not be done until the better weather.</i></p> <p>b) To discuss any other highways/footpath issues and agree any action</p>	
<p>25/26-0107</p>	<p>Planning</p> <p>Permission granted to create balcony on existing extension with bedroom window replaced with double gazed composite door at The Old Rectory, Horkstow Road, South Ferriby.</p> <p>Permission granted for removal of container and erection of single storey office building for the Environment Agency, Red Lane, South Ferriby.</p>	<p>Planning Approval</p> <p>Planning Approval</p>

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	Noted	
25/26-0108	<p>Village and Open Space Management Matters</p> <p>a) To agree any action regarding management of Beulah Courts The paths on the MUGA have a lot of moss and it is muddy around the entrance. It was agreed that this is job for the spring.</p> <p>i) Removal of weeds around the area The weeds have died down at the moment but will need clearing in spring.</p> <p>ii) Raising of tree canopy at play area This has been carried out.</p> <p>iii) Tenders for 25/26 grass cutting These went out before Christmas - the Clerk then had to send out the NLC weed spraying instructions which arrived in January.</p> <p>iv) To discuss Charity Commission Trustee change Resolved: To change the main contact to the Clerk.</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 The Clerk is chasing up the grants department as the application has been in since November.</p> <p>c) To update progress on the wildflower meadow. Cllr Cecil-Purvis reported that there are moles on the meadow. The Clerk will arrange treatment. The post on the small gate at the Old Warp Lane entrance is broken.</p> <p>i) Update on installation of bins Councillors will liaise with Roy Holloway regarding installation of the seats, bins etc and also Dave Mouncey's memorial bench.</p> <p>ii) Entry restriction to meadow. The Clerk will get prices for drop-down barriers.</p> <p>d) To receive the monthly Village Asset inspections and reports and resolve any action. The defibrillator is flashing amber and red. The Clerk will report</p> <p>e) To discuss any other Village and Open Space Management matters and resolve any action:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The hedge by the empty bungalow on the A1077 is getting overgrown. The Clerk will contact the agents to ask for it to be cut. • The salt bin on Middlegate Lane has been pushed over. The Clerk will report it. 	<p>AB</p> <p>AB</p> <p>Cllrs</p> <p>AB</p> <p>AB</p> <p>AB</p> <p>AB</p> <p>AB</p>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cllr Cecil-Purvis reported that the list of events is being prepared for the next newsletter if councillors have anything to include. i) Low Villages News – gardening club contribution The Clerk reported that, following the closure of the Gardening Club, surplus money was being shared between the low villages. ii) Facebook update Cllr Christmas reported that there had been queries from companies asking why their advertising on the site was not being accepted. A lot of adverts were being submitted, some of them bot regulated Resolved: That this site should be for events only and South Ferriby companies – Cllr Christmas will put the rules on the site. iii) Update on correspondence on quarry with Natural England. Cllr Ward is dealing with this but there is no update. He felt a complaint should be submitted. iv) To discuss application for a flagpole grant Resolved: To apply for a grant when they are released 	
25/26-0109	<p>Accounts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) To approve November and December accounts Resolved: To approve the accounts b) Precept 2026/27 Resolved: To set the precept at £15000. c) New website/accounts package The Clerk had details of a new compliant website and is following it up. She also has a new accounts package on a 30 day free trial. Resolved: That a new website should be sourced as soon as possible. d) Council mobile Resolved: To note the council mobile number has changed. e) Suggested projects for 2025/26 Resolved: To defer this to the next meeting f) Any other payments as presented 	AB/NW
25/26-0110	<p>Ongoing Minor Items, Correspondence and Agenda Items next meeting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Councillors to update the meeting on any progress on items not requiring decision and resolution, not otherwise detailed on the agenda. Resolved: To nominate Cllrs Logan, Roy and Wells to go into the ballot for an invitation to the Royal Garden Party. 	
25/26-0111	<p>Date and time of next meeting - Monday, 9th March, 2026 at 7pm.</p>	