

# HAZLERIGG PARISH COUNCIL

## MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON THURSDAY 27 February 2020

Present: Councillor Locke (Chair)  
Councillors Ewens, Fairley and Garbett

In attendance: I Humphries - Clerk  
S Younghusband  
3 members of the public

### **73. Apologies for Absence**

An apology for absence was received from councillor Johnston

### **74. Minutes**

The minutes of the meeting held on 30 January 2020 were confirmed as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

### **75. Matters arising from the previous meeting**

- The Chair reported that arriva would respond in due course to the concerns raised by the Parish council.
- In respect of unauthorised parking on the grass verge, North view, it was noted that the City Council Enforcement Officer had indicated that race course style fencing was to be erected along north View to prevent inappropriate parking.
- Recycling containers would not be provided by North Tyneside Council. It was agreed to raise this matter at the Castle ward committee meeting.
- Grant aid was still being sought for the fence around the community centre.
- More trees were to be planted at the ends of the play field and grassed area, North Ridge. 100 saplings had been planted along Elliot walk following completion of the pipe work.

### **76. Issues raised by members of the public**

- It was reported that speed humps were to be provided along Coach Lane.
- Wagons from the Bellway site were still traveling through the village which it was believed should not be happening.
- Concern was expressed at the disruption caused by road works. Damage to the pavement near the One Shop needed reinstatement
- Allotments – a suggestion was made to fence and gate the track used by council grass cutters from Coach Lane, accessing the football field, in an attempt to prevent dumping of rubbish at the allotment entrance

**77. Police Matters**

It was reported that it was unlikely that the Police would be able to attend meetings of the Parish Council.

**78. Havannah Nature Reserve**

There was nothing to report.

**79. Climate Emergency**

Members were advised consideration was being given to increasing trees and hedgerow and providing nesting opportunities in eaves for swifts. Wild flower areas were also to be created

**80. Environment, Planning and Highways**

- Members noted consultation on Brunton Quarry would commence next month.
- It was hoped that CIL funding may be available to the Community Centre from Cell A development on the Great Park.
- Traffic speed on Coach Lane would be raised with Brian Mullen, Newcastle City Council.

**81. Financial Matters**

- (a) Members approved the Annual Governance Statement
- (b) Members authorised payments for Clerk and HMRC

**Date of next meeting**

27 February 2020 at 7.00pm.