

Aiskew & Leeming Bar Parish Council



MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL WEDNESDAY 15th JULY 2026 – 7PM RC CHURCH HALL, AISKEW

AGENDA

1. **Public Question Time.** Members of the public may speak on items on the agenda only, and for a maximum of 2 mins per person (in accordance with the Council's adopted Standing Orders).
2. **Apologies.** Council to receive apologies for absence and consider approval of reasons for absence provided.
3. **Declarations of interest.** To receive declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests, other registerable interests and non-registerable interests for the agenda under discussion.
4. **Minutes.** To receive and consider approval of the minutes of the **Parish Council Meeting** held on **Wednesday 17th June 2026** as a true record and to discuss matters arising from the minutes.
5. **North Yorkshire Councillor.** To receive and consider the updates from the North Yorkshire Councillor.
6. **External Reports.**
 - a. **North Yorkshire Police Report.** To receive and consider the North Yorkshire Police Crime Report.
 - b. **Local & External Committee Reports** (Written reports are to be submitted to the Clerk 3 working days prior to the meeting). To receive and consider the reports from the following external Committees:
 - i. Joint Burial Authority.
 - ii. Bedale Hall Trust CIO.
 - iii. Leeming Bar Charity.
 - iv. Bedale & Villages Community Forum.
 - v. Four & Twenty Committee.
7. **Bedale Hall.** To receive and consider updates on the Bedale Hall lease.
8. **Update on Planning Enforcement** TPO:21/00002 TPO2 Aiskew. The Council has received the final report from NYC Planning Enforcement from April 2026 Parish Council Meeting – Minute 206/1.
9. **Update on Bedale Fireworks.** The Council has received a response from Bedale Town Council in regard to Fireworks 2026 from June Parish Council Meeting – Minute 37/5.
10. **Matters to be considered from requests by Councillors.**
 - a. Cllr Kennedy is concerned with the lack of seating within the Parish Council maintained Bus Stop in Leeming Bar (Opp Reubens). Council to consider the purchase of 2 x benches @£357.33 each (less fitting) using the CIL fund.
 - b. Cllr Asquith would like to discuss the legal right of way of the path on Aiskew Bank following a request from a local resident.

11. Planning Applications

- a. **PROPOSAL:** Erection of new warehouse units to serve an existing car accessories business.

LOCATION: Land Between 39 And 41 Northallerton Road, Leeming Bar.

APPLICANT: Mr Snowden ZB26/02311/FUL. – This application was GRANTED by NYC Planning Services on 10th July 2026.

- b. **Council to consider a response to the Planning Authority for the following proposal:**
Removal or Variation of conditions 2, 5, 7 and 13 to previously approved application ZB23/01916/FUL.

LOCATION: OS Field 3629, Leases Road, Leeming Bar.

APPLICANT: Mr A Litchfield ZB26/00731/MRC.

12. Finance

- a. To receive the accounts for the month of June 2026, and if agreed to sign them off as a true and accurate statement of accounts.
- b. To consider for payment the following invoices:

Supplier	Date of Invoice	Item	Net Cost	VAT	Total
GCH	01/07/26	Grass Cutting Jun 26	£1030.60	£206.12	£1236.72
Diocese of Middlesbrough	15/07/26	Hall Hire	£30.00	£0.00	£30.00
Clerk	15/07/26	Expenses – Silicone Glue for swings	£12.84	£0.00	£12.84
Nortelco	25/07/26	Telephone Bill – Jun 26	£8.97	£1.79	£10.76
S C R Landscapes	TBC	Replacement Gate (Steel) post - Allotments	£500.00	£0.00	£500.00
Wallace Fabrications	30/06/26	Fencing for Memorial Stone	£1000.00	£200.00	£1200.00
GCH	06/07/26	Cut back scrub and hedges Freeman's Way	£300.00	£60.00	£360.00
Bensonwood	09/07/26	HR Fees Apr/May/Jun	£45.00	£9.00	£54.00

- c. **Salaries** To note that the salaries, working from home allowance and PAYE for June 2026 have been paid in accordance with the employee's contracts of employment.
- d. **Bank Account Balances.**
- i. To note bank account balances.
1. Current Account (As at 30/06/26) **£8,672.67**
2. Deposit Account (As at 30/06/26) **£66,306.00**
- e. **VAT.** A VAT reclaim of **£1181.49** was submitted to HMRC on 1/7/26 and was received on 6/7/26.
- f. **Grant Requests.** To consider the following grant requests:
- i. **Bedale Town Council.**
1. Christmas Fayre 26. Council to consider grant request for £500.00 towards the cost of the Christmas Fayre.

- g. **I.T. (Laptop)** To consider the quote from WJPS for a replacement Laptop for the Council at a total cost of £973.00. Current Laptop is 4 years old and will be retained as a spare for business continuity.
 - h. **Noticeboard.** To consider the purchase of a new noticeboard and revised location for Aiskew at a cost of £815.00 + fitting cost of £560.00.
 - i. **Otterbeck Way.** To consider the quotes to crown 3 x Sycamore Trees and reduce hedges to 6' on the Council owned land on Otterbeck Way.
 - i. **Honey Badger Tree Services £1300.00**
 - ii. **Rennison Tree Specialists £900.00**
 - j. **PPE.** To consider the request from the Clerk to purchase PPE (Hard Hat, Ear Protection, pack of disposable gloves, Litter picking safety gloves and general use safety gloves at a total cost of **£43.64** (J.T Atkinson's – Bedale).
13. **Clerk's Report.** To receive and consider the Clerks Report.
14. **Next Meeting.** To receive and consider any business not transacted during this meeting, to be placed on the agenda for the next meeting.
15. **Next Meeting location and date/time.** To consider the next full council meeting to be held after the summer recess on **Wednesday 16th September 2026**, at the **Leeming Bar Community hub, Leeming Bar 7pm.**

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Proper Officer to the Council

10th July 2026

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