



Minutes of Aiskew and Leeming Bar Parish Council Meeting held on Wednesday 9th April 2025 at the Church Hall, St Marys and St Joseph's Church – Aiskew 7pm

Chaired by: Cllr P Edworthy		Clerked by: Mr R Clare	Ref Year: 25/26
Present: Cllr J Asquith Cllr M Chaloner Cllr J Kennedy		Apologies: Cllr I Marr Cllr H Robson Not Present: Nil Members of the Public: 3	
No	Item	Issue	Action
1	Representations from the Public	None	Resolved
2	Apologies Council to receive apologies for absence. Council to consent to accept apologies received.	Cllr I Marr and Cllr H Robson sent their apologies and these were accepted.	Resolved
2	Declarations of interest To receive declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests, other registerable interests, and non-registerable interests for the agenda under discussion.	None received.	Resolved
4	North Yorkshire Councillor To receive and consider the updates from the North Yorkshire Councillor. Cllr J Weighell.	Due to other commitments, Cllr Weighell was unable to attend.	Resolved
5	North Yorkshire Council To receive and consider the updates from the North Yorkshire Council Senior Community Safety Officer – Mrs H Gwatkin.	Mrs Gwatkin outlined the reasons that the PSPO was not renewed. 1. Lacked legal powers. 2. No reports of Anti-Social behaviour. 3. No timely request to renew PSPO. 4. Evidence showed that the PSPO was not working. She then briefed the Council on the plans for project SPOTLIGHT. A multi agency approach to dealing with the issue. This would involve local businesses, Council Partners (Highways, Street Scene etc) and North Yorkshire Police and Fire and Rescue, and the Parish Council and local residents. She will forward her action plan which will be distributed.	Resolved

	<p>4. PROPOSAL: Additional 8 EV Charging Spaces.</p> <p>LOCATION: Exelby Services, Coneygarth, Leases Road, Leeming Bar.</p> <p>APPLICANT: Exelby Services – ZB25/00179/FUL. – Granted.</p> <p>ALB Comments – No Comments</p>		Resolved
6	<p>Finance</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To sign off the accounts for March 2025 as a true reflection of payments made/received. 2. To approve Janet Doyle as the Internal Auditor for FY 2024/25. Due to illness of Alan Gardner. 3. To receive and consider the quotes for the installation of new play equipment in Kingfisher Park. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Kompan. b. Macventure. c. Streetscape. 4. To consider and discuss the Payments list provided by the Clerk. 	<p>The accounts were checked and verified by Cllr Edworthy.</p> <p>The bid from Streetscape was accepted.</p> <p>Nortelco £20.26 Diocese of Middlesbrough £30.00 GCH £468.72 YLCA £837.00 Bensonwood £84.00 Mijan Ltd £108.00 Zurich £1293.27</p>	<p>Resolved</p> <p>Proposed: Cllr J Asquith Seconded: Cllr C Utley Approved</p> <p>Proposed: Cllr J Kennedy Seconded: Cllr C Utley Approved</p> <p>Approved Approved Approved Approved Approved Approved Approved</p>
8	<p>Councillors Concerns</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Nil 		Resolved
9	<p>Residents' Complaints/Correspondence Received.</p> <p>To receive and consider the complaints and correspondence received from members of the public.</p>	<p>Complaint received 30/03/25 that the bins around the Leeming Bar playpark had not been emptied. Clerk reported to NYC and they are now empty.</p> <p>Complaint received 01/04/25 that there was some anti-social behaviour around the allotments in Leeming Bar. Clerk placed report on Social Media.</p>	<p>Resolved</p> <p>Resolved</p>
10	<p>Grants</p> <p>To receive and consider Grants.</p>	Nil.	Resolved
11	<p>CIL Updates</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Memorial Stone – Leeming Bar. 	The plaque is now with Historical Property Services.	Resolved
12	<p>Playground Updates</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Leeming Bar Playpark update 	No update.	Resolved

	2. Freemans Way Playpark	No update.	Resolved
	3. Mattison Close Playpark	No update.	Resolved
	4. Ascough Wynd Playpark	The gate has been repaired.	Resolved
	5. Kingfisher Playpark	No update.	Resolved
17	Allotments		Resolved
	1. Issues	None.	
	2. Complaints	None.	Resolved
18	Highways and Paths	No issues.	Resolved
19	Grass Cutting/Verges/Trees	No issues.	Resolved
20	Annual Meeting of Electors. The annual meeting of the Electors will be held on Wednesday 21st May at 7pm , in the Church Hall of St Mary and St Joseph's Catholic Church in Aiskew. The Annual Parish Meeting is not a Parish Council meeting. The Local Government Act states that every parish must hold Parish Meeting a year. Members of the public are permitted to make statements on relevant matters during the meeting. Any resolutions passed do not bind the Parish Council.	The Agenda is a standard agenda, to give reports on the business of the last 12 months. The Parish Council reports to its electorate on its activities over the last year and there are usually reports from County and District Councillors and perhaps from any voluntary or local community groups. It is also an opportunity for parishioners to question people and organisations on any issues relating to the village. As the Annual Parish Meeting is not a parish council meeting it is not conducted in the same way or governed by the same rules as a parish council meeting.	Resolved
21	Annual Meeting of the Parish Council	The annual meeting of the Parish Council (followed immediately by a full Council meeting) will be held on Wednesday 21st May at 7pm , in the Church Hall of St Mary and St Joseph's Catholic Church in Aiskew. Nominations for the position of Chair and Vice Chair are required for this meeting.	Resolved
22	Next Meeting	The next full Council meeting will take place on Wednesday 21st May at 7.00pm , at the Church Hall in Aiskew .	Resolved
23	Meeting Closed	With no further business the meeting closed at 8.10pm	
These Minutes are agreed by those present as being a true record.			
Signed: Cllr P Edworthy Chair Aiskew and Leeming Bar Parish Council		Date:	

R M Clare

Richard M Clare
Proper Officer to the Council
9th April 2025