



**Minutes of Aiskew and Leeming Bar Parish Council Meeting held on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> 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	
<b>No</b>	<b>Item</b>	<b>Issue</b>	<b>Action</b>
1	<b>Representations from the Public</b>	None	<b>Resolved</b>
2	<b>Apologies</b>  Council to receive apologies for absence.  Council to consent to accept apologies received.	<b>Cllr I Marr and Cllr H Robson</b> sent their apologies and these were accepted.	<b>Resolved</b>
2	<b>Declarations of interest</b>  To receive declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests, other registerable interests, and non-registerable interests for the agenda under discussion.	None received.	<b>Resolved</b>
4	<b>North Yorkshire Councillor</b>  To receive and consider the updates from the North Yorkshire Councillor. Cllr J Weighell.	Due to other commitments, Cllr Weighell was unable to attend.	<b>Resolved</b>
5	<b>North Yorkshire Council</b>  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.	<b>Resolved</b>



	<p>4. <b>PROPOSAL:</b> Additional 8 EV Charging Spaces.</p> <p>LOCATION: Exelby Services, Coneygarth, Leases Road, Leeming Bar.</p> <p>APPLICANT: Exelby Services – <b>ZB25/00179/FUL. – Granted.</b></p> <p><b>ALB Comments – No Comments</b></p>		<b>Resolved</b>
6	<p><b>Finance</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. To sign off the accounts for <b>March 2025</b> as a true reflection of payments made/received.</li> <li>2. To approve <b>Janet Doyle</b> as the Internal Auditor for FY 2024/25. Due to illness of Alan Gardner.</li> <li>3. To receive and consider the quotes for the installation of new play equipment in Kingfisher Park. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Kompan.</li> <li>b. Macventure.</li> <li>c. Streetscape.</li> </ol> </li> <li>4. To consider and discuss the Payments list provided by the Clerk.</li> </ol>	<p>The accounts were checked and verified by Cllr Edworthy.</p> <p>The bid from Streetscape was accepted.</p> <p>Nortelco <b>£20.26</b>  Diocese of Middlesborough <b>£30.00</b>  GCH <b>£468.72</b>  YLCA <b>£837.00</b>  Bensonwood <b>£84.00</b>  Mijan Ltd <b>£108.00</b>  Zurich <b>£1293.27</b></p>	<p><b>Resolved</b></p> <p>Proposed: <b>Cllr J Asquith</b>  Seconded: <b>Cllr C Utley</b>  <b>Approved</b></p> <p>Proposed: <b>Cllr J Kennedy</b>  Seconded: <b>Cllr C Utley</b>  <b>Approved</b></p> <p><b>Approved</b>  <b>Approved</b>  <b>Approved</b>  <b>Approved</b>  <b>Approved</b>  <b>Approved</b>  <b>Approved</b></p>
8	<p><b>Councillors Concerns</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Nil</li> </ol>		<b>Resolved</b>
9	<p><b>Residents' Complaints/Correspondence Received.</b></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><b>Resolved</b></p> <p><b>Resolved</b></p>
10	<p><b>Grants</b></p> <p>To receive and consider Grants.</p>	Nil.	<b>Resolved</b>
11	<p><b>CIL Updates</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Memorial Stone – Leeming Bar.</li> </ol>	The plaque is now with Historical Property Services.	<b>Resolved</b>
12	<p><b>Playground Updates</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Leeming Bar Playpark update</li> </ol>	No update.	<b>Resolved</b>

	2. Freemans Way Playpark	No update.	<b>Resolved</b>
	3. Mattison Close Playpark	No update.	<b>Resolved</b>
	4. Ascough Wynd Playpark	The gate has been repaired.	<b>Resolved</b>
	5. Kingfisher Playpark	No update.	<b>Resolved</b>
17	<b>Allotments</b>		<b>Resolved</b>
	1. Issues	None.	
	2. Complaints	None.	<b>Resolved</b>
18	<b>Highways and Paths</b>	No issues.	<b>Resolved</b>
19	<b>Grass Cutting/Verges/Trees</b>	No issues.	<b>Resolved</b>
20	<b>Annual Meeting of Electors.</b>  The annual meeting of the Electors will be held on <b>Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> May at 7pm</b> , 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.	<b>Resolved</b>
21	<b>Annual Meeting of the Parish Council</b>	The annual meeting of the Parish Council (followed immediately by a full Council meeting) will be held on <b>Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> May at 7pm</b> , 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.	<b>Resolved</b>
22	<b>Next Meeting</b>	The next full Council meeting will take place on <b>Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> May at 7.00pm</b> , at the Church Hall in <b>Aiskew</b> .	<b>Resolved</b>
23	<b>Meeting Closed</b>	With no further business the meeting closed at 8.10pm	
These Minutes are agreed by those present as being a true record.			
Signed:		Date:	
Cllr P Edworthy Chair Aiskew and Leeming Bar Parish Council			

*R M Clare*

Richard M Clare  
Proper Officer to the Council  
9<sup>th</sup> April 2025