MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE REEDLEY HALLOWS PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON THE 10 SEPTEMBER 2024.

PRESENT: Councillor V. Bates in the Chair;

 Councillors C. Johnson, M. Grimshaw, R.Korol, S. Munir, P. McCormick and L Oddie.

 Ian Woolstencroft – Clerk.

 32. APPOINTMENT OF A PARISH LENGTHSMAN.

 Dillon Irwin attended the meeting and reported to the Members that he would like to be

 considered for the position of Parish Lengthsman . He explained that he had obtained

 Public Liability Insurance cover.

 RESOLVED: That Dillon Irwin be appointed as Parish Lengthsman and that the Chair and

 the Clerk be asked to outline the responsibilities of the position to him and pass on

 items of equipment.

1. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST.

 Members were reminded of the requirements by the Chair. There were no

 declarations of interest on this agenda.

1. RECORD OF MEMBERS INTERESTS.

 All members interests were confirmed as up to date.

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE.

 There were no apologies for absence.

1. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING.

 RESOLVED: That the Minutes of the meeting held on the 9 July, 2024 , copies

 of which had previously been circulated were approved as a correct record.

1. CLERK’S REPORT .

 There were no matters to report.

 38 . FINANCE.

 RESOLVED: That the following items be approved.

* Bank Balances as at 31 August 2024 Business Premium Account £ 4,317.94 Business Community Account £20,502.36
* Clerk’s Salary and Expenses for July and August , 2024 paid by SO £283.98 each month
* Clerk’s Tax for July and August, 2024 = £59.40. each month.
* Work carried out by the Clerk in the absence of a Parish Lengthsman from 12 July to 9 September, 2024. 19.5 hrs @£11.82 =£230.49
* Purchase of 39 HD Black Refuse Sacks from Option Hygiene, Nelson for use by the Parish Lengthsman £21.99 inclusive of vat ( paid by the Clerk. ).

 39 . ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES.

* Redevelopment of the Former Lucas Sports Ground Site.

The Clerk reported that work was progressing on the creation of a Junior Football Pitch and Landscaping . He was unclear when that work would be completed but would endeavour to keep the Parish Council informed on progress.

RESOLVED: That the position be noted.

 40. PLANNING APPLICATIONS.

 The Clerk reported that the following planning applications relating

 to the area covered by Reedley Hallows Parish Council had been

 received by Pendle Council since the last meeting of the Parish Council.

* 24/0448/Full – erection of an agricultural building to be used as a machinery store and animal shelter – New Laund Farm House, Greenhead Lane, Reedley Comments by 8 August, 2024.
* 24/0551/VAR – variation of Condition 2 (Plans) of planning permission 23/0131/Full – Land and Buldings to the South of Hill Street, Montford Road, Brierfield . Comments by 5 September, 2024.
* 24/ 0560/HHO – Full – erection of a part 2 storey and single storey front extension – 30 Eskdale Close, Reedley Comments by 9 September, 2024.

RESOLVED: That the Parish Council have no objections to any of these applications.

 41. NELSON, BRIERFIELD AND REEDLEY AREA COMMITTEE.

 Councillor S. Munir reported on matters arising from his attendance at the last

 meeting of this Area Committee. He drew attention to the fact that the Area

 Committee had expressed concern to Barnfield at the delay in completing work to

 create the Junior Football Pitch on the former Lucas Sports field site.

 42. COUNCILLORS LOCAL ISSUES.

 Councillor M. Grimshaw suggested that work being carried out by the owner of

 the house which is nearest to the public footpath on The Crescent could be

 infringing on the footpath in contravention of planning law.

 RESOLVED: That the Clerk be asked to make enquiries with the Pendle

 Council Planning Department on this matter.

 31. DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING .

 RESOLVED: That the next meeting of the Parish Council be held on the 15 October,

 2024 in view of the fact that several Members are unable to attend on the 8 th .

The meeting finished at 2.00pm.

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