

Minutes of the East Carlton Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 23rd January 2023 in the Cricket Club, East Carlton at 7.00 pm.

Members Present	Cllr G Chambers (Chair)) Cllr J Hanlon Cllr B Trevelyan Cllr J Underwood
Others in Attendance	Mrs J Medwell (Clerk) and one member of the public.

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23/01	To receive and approve apologies: PC B Wilson	
23/02	Member's declaration of interest in items on the agenda and any changes to the members Register of Interests: There were no declarations of interest in items on this agenda. There were no changes to the Register of Member's Interests.	
23/03	To approve and sign the minutes of the last Parish Council meeting: The minutes of the meeting held on 7 th November were agreed as a true record of the meeting and were duly signed by the Chair. Proposed Cllr Underwood Seconded Cllr Trevelyan	
23/04	Matters Arising from the last Parish Council meeting: There were no matters arising from the minutes not covered on the agenda.	
23/05	Reports from NNC Councillors and Constabulary Matters: PC Wilson provided the following report. The crime and anti-social behaviour figures for NOVEMBER 2022 are as follows: <u>CRIMES / ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR INCIDENTS – NONE</u> The crime and anti-social behaviour figures for DECEMBER 2022 are as follows: <u>CRIMES / ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR INCIDENTS – NONE</u> <u>LOCAL POLICING PRIORITIES</u> The focus for the Neighbourhood Policing Teams from now until 31\03\23 will be on ROAD SAFETY, DRUG DEALING\MISUSE & A.S.B. These priorities have been selected through consultation with the public. The Council urged anyone witnessing suspicious activity in the area to report to the police via 101 so that any pattern of behaviour can be established and dealt with.	
23/06	Public Time (15 Minutes) and Exchange of Information: The old noticeboard on Church Lane was raised. The Council reiterated that this was no longer used for parish council purposes but to communicate village events once the whereabouts of the key had been established. The owner of 19 The Gardens advised that he was putting in a further planning application for a dwelling in the garden of that property and asked whether the Council would support this. The	

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	Council re-iterated that there was currently a 'no build policy' in East Carlton, put in place by the County Council and that it would be in a position to comment on the proposal as a statutory consultee once this application has been submitted.	
23/07	Planning: Update on Ashley Road Appeals The Council was very disappointed to note that North Northamptonshire Council had decided not to contest the two planning appeals at Oakley Park Ref: 20/00458/COU and 20/00097/COU. Middleton Parish Council and Residents Action Group however are continuing with their preparation to defend these. No dates have been set as yet. There was no further information on the Peasedale Hill Field at this point.	
23/08	Specific Matters: (a) Purchase of the Queen's Platinum Jubilee Commemorative Trees Further discussions took place on the purchase and plantings of the commemorative trees. The Chair will follow up with Justin Mumford, Forestry Specialist who had agreed to advise on this. Cllr Underwood will advise East Carlton Park of the proposal to fill in the gaps on the existing avenue along the metallic link road through the park. It was planned to plant these trees at the optimum time in the Spring.	GC JU
	(b) Update on Speed Review It was noted that the Safer Roads Team had undertaken a traffic speed survey at the junction of the A427 with Church Lane. Unfortunately, the data at the time did not show excessive speeds and therefore didn't support the creation of a mobile enforcement location. The Council agreed to request another survey at a later date.	
	(c) Welland Wanderer Cllr Underwood updated the Council on the current position with the Welland Wanderer. A meeting has been scheduled for 7th February to discuss the future of the service. Parish Councils had been asked to confirm their level of funding for the forthcoming year and a response was still awaited from NNC regarding the £1500 outstanding match funding and the provision of any future funding. It was expected that the service would continue until late summer if no further funding was received.	
	(d) Sale of Glebe Land The Council expressed its concern at the decision of the Diocese to sell the Glebe Land. It has written to the Diocese with its comments relating to the sale and a request for local approval prior to any sale being agreed.	
	(e) Fly Tipping Removal Grants The problem of fly tipping was discussed, particularly on the land off Wire Lane. It was noted that there may be grants available to farmers and other private landowners towards the cost of having the waste removed and putting preventative measures in place to make the land less vulnerable to fly-tipping. The Clerk to pursue. Any Fly tipping along the roadside can be reported online at my.corby.gov.uk	JM
23/09	Village Maintenance: The Chair informed the Council that fence at the turning circle end of the even numbered road, East Carlton, which had been damaged by a refuse vehicle had now been satisfactorily repaired. The Council agreed to organise a 'Tidy up the Village' day in the Spring.	

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	Finances: (i) Payments The following cheques were presented for signature and unanimously agreed: 101306 J Medwell - Salary, Pension and Expenses December £282.77 101307 J Medwell - Salary, Pension and Expenses January £282.77 101308 NCALC – VAT Recovery £45.80	
23/10	101309 Kandaprint – Newsletter £45.00 101310 ICO – Data Protection £40.00 (ii) Financial Statement and Bank Reconciliation Current Account £8,649.44 Savings Account £79.86 Total Balance of Reserves <u>£8,729.30</u>	
23/11	Correspondence: There was no further correspondence to consider.	
23/12	Items for the Newsletter: Parish Council Vacancy Feb – Plans for tree planting March – Information on Precept.	
23/13	Date of next meeting: Monday 6 th March 2023	

The Chair closed the Meeting at 8.30 pm

Chairman

Date