



# North Hykeham Town Council

Minutes of the Community Committee meeting 03/23  
held on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2023 at 7pm

**Councillors Present:** Cllr G Edwards (Chair), Cllr M Bennie (Vice Chair), Cllr FW Lee, Cllr N Blanchard, Cllr M Lofts, Cllr K Sampson, Cllr YS Sampson, Cllr T Ogden, Cllr A Cruickshanks

**In Attendance:** Non-councillor Committee Members: Mr M Dempsey, Mr M Watts, Mr D Hardy  
Miss J Humphrey – Deputy Clerk

**04-23.1 Apologies for absence and acceptance of reason given to the clerk prior to the meeting**

It was **RESOLVED** to accept the apologies of Cllr R Johnston.  
Mr M Biddulph, Mr M Reynolds and Rev P Collins apologies were accepted.

**04-23.2 Receipt of any Declaration of Members' Interest under the Localism Act 2011**

The Chair advised that declarations could be made as and when they arose.

**04-23.3 Notes of the Committee meeting held on 4<sup>th</sup> July 2023 to be approved as minutes**

It was **RESOLVED** to accept the notes of the Community Committee meeting held on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2023 as a true record of minutes once a part had been removed.

**04.23.4 Receive the Community Committee's latest Income & Expenditure report**

Noted.

**04.23.5 Chair's items**

The Chair spoke about a meeting of a few Councillors regarding the Non-councillor policy. During this conversation they spoke about how they were thinking about a working group for a new Community liaison group. The Chair mentioned that this was still in working progress but would like to bring it to the next meeting as an agenda item.

**04.23.6 Correspondence and Clerk's items.**

The Clerk spoke about the Food bank and a conversation that had been had regarding it. The Committee asked for an invite to be sent to Martin Joy to come and give an update regarding this.

**04-23.7 Receive updates from the organisations within the Community Committee.**

There were no updates from the Community organisations.

**04-23.8 Receive updates and consider recommendations of the Community Grants policy working group.**

There were no updates.

**04-23.9 Receive updates and consider recommendations of the Events policy working group**

There were no updates.

**04-23-10 Receive updates and consider recommendations from the Community Engagement Policy review working group.**

There were no updates.

**04-23-11 Receive updates and consider recommendations from the 2024 Annual Town Meeting working group.**

A report was circulated regarding the Annual Town Meeting (ATM). In this report it was explained that a guest speaker had been contacted and the awards had been considered. It was explained to the Committee that a venue still needed to be confirmed and a conversation still needed to be had regarding where this was going to be held.

Conversations had been had regarding the ordering the awards and what the advertising and whether there would be online forms, nomination leaflets and poster for advertisement.

The clerk made sure that they would be bringing back these ideas to the Community committee to ratify at the next meeting.

**04-23-12 Post-event review of Summer Sunday events 2023 and 2024 event planning.**

It was **RESOLVED** to defer this to the next meeting.

**04-23-13 Consideration of continuing to operate the Community Speed Watch due to the resignation of the CSW co-ordinator.**

After a short discussion it was **RESOLVED** to invite the CSW members to the next meeting.

**04-23-14 Consideration of request from Cllr Dyer (LCC) for the erection of Lincolnshire Road Safety Partnership 30mph signs on Mill Lane.**

It was **RESOLVED** to defer this to the next meeting.

The meeting closed at 7.35pm.