

MINUTES OF THE WARTON PARISH COUNCIL MEETING
Held at 7.30pm on Tuesday 16th March 2021 by Zoom.

PRESENT: Councillors K Briggs (Chairman), D Clough, Mrs J Cody, W Muckle, C Peacock and Mrs L Simmonds.

IN ATTENDANCE: Mr J W Ball – Clerk to the Parish Council.

APOLOGIES: Apologies for absence were received and accepted from Councillor Hilling.

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST: No declarations of interest were made by members in relation to items on this meeting agenda.

21.054. PROPOSALS FOR FUTURE PARISH COUNCIL PROJECTS: The Chairman advised members that the purpose of the meeting was to allow members to put forward for consideration projects to enhance village life in general and to improve village infrastructure through financial investments. Members expressed their hopes that the parish council could provide support to village organisations and events aimed at improvements to the wellbeing of village residents after Covid restrictions were eased. Publicity for proposals to be arranged.

Members discussed and agreed that further consideration be given to the provision of financial contributions to the following village organisations:

Church Hall and Wellbeing Centre

Warton Bowling Club

Gardening Club

Scouts

Age UK

School Summer Fair

Music Festival

Organisations that provided aid and services during the pandemic

Other village groups and organisations

Funding to be considered for:

Provision of floral displays

Community events of a non secular nature and open to all

Warton Mires partnership

Additional Christmas lights display

Wild flower bed creation

21.055. RELOCATION OF MILLHEAD BENCH: Members agreed to give consideration to the provision of a suitable site for the bench requiring relocation after the sale of land where the bench was located. The grass area adjacent to the Millhead defibrillator was suggested as being a possible suitable site.

21.056. REPLACEMENT OF CROFTLANDS TREES: Members agreed that District Councillor Duggan be asked to request the replacement by Lancaster City Council of 3 trees near to the Croftlands post box.

21.057. PLANNING ISSUE: Members agreed that advice be requested from Lancaster City Council Planning Control concerning the planning requirements for the installation of Velux style roof glazing.

21.058. DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING: There being no further business the chairman thanked members for their attendance and participation and closed the meeting at 8.50pm. The next meeting of the parish council had been arranged for 7.30pm on Tuesday 6th April 2021 by Zoom.

Items for inclusion in the Agenda for the 6th April 2021 Meeting to be notified to the clerk by Monday 29th March 2021.

Chairman _____ Date _____

Minutes subject to agreement at the 6th April 2021 meeting of the Warton Parish Council.