

Sowerby Parish Council

Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting of Sowerby Parish at Thirsk & Sowerby Town Hall Annexe on Thursday 11th May 2023 at 7.30pm

Present: Cllr M Robson (Chairman), Cllr P Bardon, Cllr T Beadle, Cllr G France, Cllr D Hannan, Cllr S Hoyland and Cllr C Snowden.

Also present: 15 members of the public, two representatives of North Yorkshire Police and Alexandra Robson, Clerk.

APM/01 Apologies

It was resolved apologies for absence be received and accepted from Cllr A Jackson, Cllr E Storm and Cllr A Turner

APM/02 Minutes

It was resolved the minutes of the previous meeting held Thursday 12th May 2022 be noted

APM/03 Presentation of Reports

Reports were received as follows:

- a. Hambleton District Council
- b. The Chairman of the Parish Council
- c. The Chairman of Thirsk and Sowerby Town Hall Committee
- d. The Chairman of the Flatts Preservation Trust

No report was received from North Yorkshire County Council

APM/04 No other business

APM/05 Date of the next Annual Parish Meeting

It was resolved that the date of next Annual Parish Meeting will be Thursday 8th May 2024

The meeting closed at 19.47

Signed
Chairman
Date

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23/001 Election of Chairman

Cllr Bardon proposed that Cllr Robson be elected as Chairman, Cllr France seconded this and it was carried unanimously.

It was resolved that Cllr M Robson be Chairman of Sowerby Parish Council for the year 2023/2024

23/002 Chairman's Declaration of Acceptance of Office

Cllr Robson completed the Declaration of Acceptance of Office.

23/003 To receive apologies for absence

It was resolved Apologies for Absence be received and accepted from Cllr A Jackson, Cllr E Storm and Cllr A Turner

23/004 To receive Declarations of Interest and confirm Councillors Registers of Interests are complete

No Declarations of Interest received and Councillors confirmed their Register of Interests are up to date. There is an updated ROI document under the new North Yorkshire Council and the Clerk will circulate this for completion.

23/005 To note the Minutes of the last Annual Meeting of the Parish Council held Thursday 12th May 2022

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23/006 Election of Vice-Chairman

Cllr France proposed that Cllr Bardon be elected as Vice Chairman, Cllr Beadle seconded this and it was carried unanimously.

It was resolved that Cllr P Bardon be Vice-Chairman of Sowerby Parish Council for the year 2023/2024

23/007 Allocation of members to committees and external organisations

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23/008 Date of next annual meeting

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The meeting closed at 19.58

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Chairman
Date

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Appendix i

Committees and External Organisations	Membership
Complaints Committee	A panel of 3 made up of available Councillors
Flatts Preservation Trust	Cllr. Robson
Greens & Play Area	Cllrs. Robson, Beadle, Jackson, Hoyland and Snowden
Thirsk and Sowerby Swimming Baths Charity	Cllr. Robson
HR Committee	Chairman, Vice Chairman and one additional person
Planning Committee	Full Council
Play Area Open and Locking	Cllr Beadle
Rail Users Group	Cllrs. Hoyland and Storm
Thirsk & Sowerby Town Hall	Cllrs France, Robson and Storm
Thirsk and Sowerby Festival on the Flatts	Cllr Jackson
Community Works	Cllr Snowden
Yorkshire Local Councils Associations	Cllrs. Hoyland, Beadle & the Clerk

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