Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting held on 9 April 2024 in Hutton le Hole Village Hall.

Present: Cllrs S Bentley (Chair), H Pettiford, T Shephard, D Dangerfield, J Thompson and P Ashley (Clerk)

- 1) No apologies for absence were received.
- 2) There were no dispensation requests or declarations of interest under the Members Code of Conduct.
- 3) The minutes from the meeting held on March 12, 2024, were approved. There were no matters arising not covered elsewhere on the agenda.
- 4) Public Session There were no members of the public present.

Should an application be recorded the detail is made by the authority pursuant to section 47 of the Copyright, Design and Patents Act 1988. Permission has been received from the relevant planning authority to share the information contained solely for the purpose of the consultation.

5) To consider any Planning Applications/Decisions received from NYMNPA.

No planning applications had been received since the last meeting.

- 6) VILLAGE
- a) Fencing repairs have been completed and now need painting when the weather improves. Grass cutting has started as, due to the bad weather last year, a final cut was not possible. Mole numbers have slowed although a few are still being caught. A lot of dead wood has fallen from the walnut tree and a proper survey on it may be needed, (this maybe GWD's responsibility) and Cllr Thompson will follow up on this. It is also worth noting that the cherry tree planted next to the bench does not look healthy and may need to be replaced as growth is only coming from the base.
- b) There were no further comments with regards to work carried out since the last meeting.
- c) It was agreed that H Pettiford be allowed access to the website once she has resigned as a Councillor so that she can keep village information up to date.

7) FINANCIAL MATTERS

- a) The income/expenditure form was agreed.
- b) The Council agreed to the payment of cheques according to the list presented and issued since the last meeting:

Clerk (J,F,M) - Salary/Expenses - Undisclosed as per Transparency Code HMRC- Undisclosed as per Transparency Code

YLCA membership fee £64.00 Caretaker (March) £476.00 HDC £156.76 Village Hall £60.00

- c) It was agreed to donate £60 to the Village Hall towards the cost of the wi-fi.
- 8) Information from and question to the Chair.
 - a) It was reported that the new Clerk has accepted the position and they will meet with Council in the next two week to formalize the necessary paperwork.
 - b) The Village Hall committee had invited members of Council to attend their AGM on the 22nd May 2024.
 - c) It was noted that the Annual Parish meeting will be held next month.
- 9) Information from the Clerk.

The Clerk had nothing to report this month.

Meeting closed at 7.45pm

The next meeting to take place on 14 May 2024