

Westward Parish Council

Minutes of the meeting of the Annual Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 19th August 2024 at Rosley Village Hall

PRESENT

Cllrs Brockbank, Hartley, Robinson, Studholme, Holliday, Todd, Rothery & Brown

Also present:

J Webster (Clerk)

20/24 TO RECEIVE APOLOGIES AND REASONS FOR ABSENCE

Cllr Watson

Cllr Johnson (Cumberland Council)

21/24 TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

HELD ON 21st May, 2024

The minutes of 21st May, 2024 were **APPROVED** and signed as a true record.

22/24 DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS, MEMBERS AND OFFICER TO GIVE NOTICE OF INTEREST OF ITEMS ON THE AGENDA

None

23/24 REQUESTS FOR DISPENSATIONS

None

24/24 TO CONSIDER WHETHER THERE ARE ANY ITEMS ON THE AGENDA FOR WHICH THE PRESS AND PUBLIC SHOULD BE EXCLUDED

None

25/24 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

25.1 To receive comments and representations from members of the public- None

25.2 To receive reports from the Cumberland Council member in attendance – None
Cllr Brockbank had spoken to Cllr Johnson earlier in the day regarding drainage issues around the parish affecting the road surfaces. Cllr Johnson will look into further with Highways

26/24 FINANCIAL MATTERS

26.1 Councillors received and authorised the payments as per the schedule to date for 2024/25.

26.2. The financial statement was received and approved

27/24 TO CONSIDER A REQUEST TO INCREASE THE DONATION TOWARDS GRASS CUTTING AT ROSLEY CHURCH

The request was received by Councillors. It was **RESOLVED** to consider in full at the November meeting to coincide with the setting of the 2025/26 Budget and Precept.

28/24 MEMBERS REPORTS

- BB- Re potential sale of land/property at Townhead, Curthwaite. Questioned whether it would be worthwhile checking with Agent that the parish land adjoining had not been inadvertently included. Members agreed that it would suffice that the parish land was registered with Land Registry
- TT – expansion of campsite at Wallace Lane – were planning aware? Clerk to check.

29/24 CLERKS REPORT

- As mentioned in financial matters – cheque book now received.
- Next meeting will present various options regarding the budget and precept

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Meeting closed 8.15pm