

Bridekirk Parish Council
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Minutes of the meeting of Bridekirk Parish Council held on Wednesday 12th October 22

Present: Mr S Dumbill (Chair); Mr W Nixon; Mr B Crosby; Mr D Hodgson; Mr Frank Armstrong; Mr M Buckley & Clerk : Ms D Cosgrove

Parish Meeting

1.6.22 Apologies for absence received from Mr R Coy; Mr M Rollison, Mr R Stenson

2.6 .22 The minutes of the meetings held on Wednesday 13th July 2022 were signed as a true record.

3.6.22 No declarations of interest

4.6.22 There was a presentation from two members of The Village Post who talked about the progress of The Village Post and how it plans to move forward in the future. They wish to let people in the communities know about how the Parish Council works and what it is involved in, in the community. There was some discussion around how they may interact with the PC and what form this might take.

5.6. 22 Accounts approved for payment

- BHIB Insurance £22.97
- Grass cutting September- £225
- Grass cutting October - £225
- Clerks salary to October 2022 £440
- HMRC £110
- N Power for defibrillators - £12.65

6.6 .22 **Reports from outside bodies.**

- Cumbria Constabulary – No report or correspondence
- Cumbria County Council no report and no apologies.
- Allerdale BC – Report received and apologies from Cllr Harris. Report was regarding the progress of the Shadow Cabinet that takes over from April 2023, largely setting up of portfolio's and how the Cumberland Council will look.

7.6.22 **Planning Applications –**

LBC/2022/0045 Applicant Fabio Seri; Proposal: Listed building consent to replace existing timber double glazed windows with bespoke timber double glazed windows with similar details. (NB previously circulated via email and no objections) Confirmed no objections

8.. 6.22 Clerks report - reported under appropriate headings.

9.6.22 Flooding updates

- **Tallentire** – Heavy rain but no flooding to the homes that might normally expect to be impacted on..
- **Dovenby**. – during recent heavy rain the levels did rise and the road through the village was blocked but no homes were affected.
- **Bridekirk** – nothing of significance to report

10.6.22 Parish Maintenance –

- **Grass Cutting** Clerk asked to access the maps from the Parish Website and circulate so that the areas to be can shaded in at the next meeting in order to inform future contracts.
- West Cumbria Rivers Trust are considering future funding options for natural flood management tasks to supplement the effective projects carried out to date in the Parish . It was unanimously agreed that this should be supported.
- The wall in Dovenby that was collapsing has now been repaired by Highways.
- Speeding restrictions through Dovenby, no further update on when this will be put into place. Clerk to write to Highways asking for a date for the work to be undertaken as it has been reportedly scheduled for completion before the end of the calendar year.

11.6.22 M Sport – Nothing new to report.

12.6.22 Defibrillators in Parish - New pads have been received and replaced.

- **Dovenby**. - in good working order
- **Tallentire** . Costing to relocate the defibrillator will be 10% higher than the previous work. Approved.
- **Bridekirk** - In good working order.

13.6.22 Cumbria Community Foundation –

It was noted that the CCF applications were received by the clerk and circulated, however no further word has been received to follow up on the actions to speak to the Donor regarding funding allocations..

14.6.22 Noted date and time of next meeting : Wednesday 9th November at 7.30pm Bridekirk Parish Church