

GROSMONT PARISH COUNCIL

PARISH ASSEMBLY MINUTES

Tuesday 11th April 2023 at 7.15pm at Hazelwood Tearooms

Chair: Colin Williamson (Chair to Grosmont Parsh Council)

Minutes: Connie Wiggins (Clerk to Grosmont Parish Council) MOP: 7

1. Welcome by Cllr Williamson

Cllr Williamson welcomed all to the meeting.

2. To receive report from Cllr Williamson on behalf of the Parish Council from 1st April 2022 – 31st March 2023

Cllr Williamson gave a brief summary as below:

The year was started with the Tour de Yorkshire coming through the village.

The Queen sadly passed away.

Various planning applications from North York Moors National Park have been received and the general feeling was the lack of acknowledgement/disregard of the Parish Councils perspective in approving some applications.

The village has two defibrillators, one in the village and one in Esk Valley. Bills incurs for these total £720 which is felt invaluable for the village and the community.

Local housing continues to be challenging for the village and this continues.

The suspension bridge causes concern due to the brickwork underneath, this is due to be reassessed in 2024.

The footbridge over the railway which belongs to North York Moors National Park also requires attention which is ongoing.

The fingerboard at Fairhead has now been replaced.

Attention is still being given to the possibility of reducing speed limits in certain areas to 20 mph in an attempt to try and slow down traffic. Unfortunately, due to traffic orders this is not straightforward and this continues to be monitored.

A drain has gone in at the end of Priory Park road.

The footpath outside Grosmont Villa has been repaired.

Christmas lights for the village continues to be looked into.

New bins have been installed at the Cricket Club gate and at the entrance to the car park, along with at the end of the Toll Road.

A couple of new seats have been installed.

Dog fouling has improved.

The phone box is in need of urgent repair and this is currently ongoing.

Grit heaps up Fairhead have been replenished.

Everyone was thanked for all their help and support and continuing efforts.

3. Any Other Business

None.

4. Cllr Williamson to close the meeting

The meeting closed at 7.30pm.p

Signed: _____ Dated: 14th June 2022