

**Minutes of Waberthwaite & Corney Parish
Council Meeting held at Waberthwaite & Corney District
Village Hall, 7.30 pm on 9th January 2023**

Item		Action
1. Present	Chairman. N. Southward, Vice Chair, M Steele Cllrs: A. Pritt, J Varden, A Hadwin, R Thornton E Wilson Clerk: G Savage.	
2. Absence	Cllrs, A Clegg – No apologies were given.	
3. Declarations of Interest	None.	
4. Minutes – To consider the approval of the minutes of the last meeting of the Council 10th October 2022.	It was proposed by Cllr J Varden, seconded by Cllr M Steele and resolved that the Chairman sign the minutes of the meeting held on 14 th November 2022.	
5. Public Participation.	<p>A resident attended the meeting and raised concerns about land owned by the Parish Council opposite Moorside farm, where the fence is in a poor condition. They questioned who is responsible for the maintenance. It was resolved that the resident would have a look at maps of his property to establish if he owned the boundary as the land is not registered with land registry.</p> <p>The resident also raised that water from the spring in the watering hole runs into their field causing damage and the drains further up on the road are blocked. It was resolved that the resident would report the blocked drains on the road to Highways and the Parish Council would assess the situation in relation to the watering hole before deciding any further action.</p>	
6. Progress Reports		
6(a) <u>Highways</u> Footway leading to Alley Hill, needs attention/clearing. Footway is by road at Broadoak behind the hedge, overgrown and gravel washed onto it.	Reported again to highways. No update.	To report progress to County Councillor Keith Hitchen. Clerk to request site visit from Highways.

<p>Millgate to Broadoak footway, some of the work has been completed. Footway requires regular cutting back of the hedge and the drain on the footway is overgrown and floods. French drain along the footway where the stone in the filter drain has washed away. Postcode at top of the footway LA19 5YN. The footway has been cut back but the work on the drains is still outstanding</p>		
<p>Drainage channels on Marshes, Heron Creek, Stockbridge Road.Ref:E1/54590</p>	<p>Reported to Highways again, case had been closed, reopened.</p>	<p>To request site visit from Highways.</p>
<p>School flashing light speed limit.</p>	<p>Reported again to Highways.</p>	<p>To report County to Councillor Keith Hitchen to follow up and request site visit from Highways.</p>
<p><u>LDNP</u> Corney - Becksid e Cottage to Corney Hall, overgrown could possibly be a bridleway. Peggy’s Lonning/Hall Waberthwaite – Lonning floods and potholes present. Outstanding footpath repairs and drainage problems on Peggy’s Lonning.</p> <p>Footpath Broadoak Quarry, overgrown and needs cutting back. LDNP confirmed that this work had been added to their work schedule.</p>	<p>No update. Following discussion with County Cllr K Hitchen clerk referred matter to Paul Turner at Cumbria County Council for assistance.</p> <p>No update</p>	<p>To update Cllr Keith Hitchen and email Paul Turner.</p> <p>Clerk to monitor situation.</p>
<p>6(b) The defibrillator box</p>	<p>Cllr A Hadwin confirmed that the defibrillator box is registered online now. One of the pads is out of date and the other expires in Jan</p>	<p>Cllr Southward to send link for clerk to</p>

	2024.It was proposed by J Varden and seconded by M Steele that the clerk would purchase another pad which are approximately £70.	purchase defibrillator pad.
6(c) Litter picking kits	The chair confirmed that there were no litter picking kits available. It resolved that the Parish Council were unable to support the funding of litter picking kits for the school.	Clerk to contact Waberthwaite school.
7.Finance		
7 (a) To consider the statements of accounts date 2/1/2023– Current account £221.46 Deposit account £9862.33	It was proposed by Cllr M Steele, seconded by Cllr A Hadwin and resolved that the accounts be accepted.	
7 (b) To consider the following payments: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clerks’ monthly salary: December 2022 £103.00 & PAYE £15.40 January 2023 £103.00 & PAYE £15.40 • Bank monthly charge December & January 2022/23 £8 each month • Printer ink £30 approximately. 	It was proposed by Cllr M Steele, seconded by Cllr A Hadwin and resolved that the Payments be accepted.	
7 (c) To note the following payments: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Zurich Insurance £214.00 16/11/2022 • Monthly bank charge £8 – 9/12/2022 • HMRC £15.40 – 26/11/22 • HMRC 15.40 –31/12/2022 • Clerks’ salary November £103 – 26/11/2022 	Payments noted.	

8. Clerk's report on any actions taken under delegated	None to report.	
9. Correspondence for Information:	Nothing to report.	
10.Planning Applications to note:		
10(a) Reference: 7/2022/4101 Location: Land between Mandalay and Smithy Wood Farm, Waberthwaite, Millom, LA19 5YL Proposal: Amendment to local occupancy (including additional parishes), condition 4 on planning approval ref 7/2021/4137, new 4 bedroom house with detached garage Reply by: 23 December 2022 Reply to: planning@lakedistrict.gov.uk	Noted.	
11. Councillors' reports and items for future agenda.	Cllr A Pritt raised that a member of the parish is interested in the old phone box at Corney. Clerk to report back at next meeting. Cllr A Hadwin raised that the street light at Lane End Farm is not working again after being repaired.	Clerk to report street light to highways and add items to next meeting agenda.
12. Date of next Parish meeting.	It was proposed, seconded and resolved that the next meeting would be on Monday 13 th February 2023 in Waberthwaite, Corney & District Village Hall at 7.30 PM.	

The meeting closed at 20.20 PM