

Present: Councillors M Bowes, D Hollingworth, Ms C Devlin, Mrs S Barker and Mrs C McGee.
Clerk/RFO: Mrs J Starkey. One member of the public.

12/30 Public apologies were received from the County and District Councillors.

12/31 Declaration of interests – none declared.

12/32 Minutes of the meeting held on February 29th 2012 were agreed and signed.

12/34 Matters arising noted

12/34.1 NYMNPA had agreed to provide a display sign to show the route of the nearest public footpath and to deter public use of private access into a field at Raisdale Road end (see minute 12/19).

12/34.2 Home, the housing association, had agreed to write to its tenants about dog control (see minute 12/23).

12/35 Planning

12/35.1 The council resolved to respond to the NYMNPA that it had no objections to NYM/2011/0606/LB Application for listed building consent for installation of flue pipe at Fangdale Beck Farm, Fangdale Beck.

12/35.2 The council resolved to respond to the NYMNPA that it had no comment on the legal arguments for NYM/2011/0869/CLP Application for certificate of lawfulness to establish whether the creation of 394 no. drinking water scrapes is permitted development at land to east of Bransdale Road, Bransdale.

12/36 Highways actions noted

12/36.1 There is no funding currently available for additional barriers at drop off adjacent to the North side of Urra Road between the track to Mount House and the B1257.

12/36.2 Saplings growing adjacent to the B1259 between the track to Garfitts and the top of Clay Bank have been pruned back by about 1.5 metres.

12/36.3 The verge in Raisdale near Raisdale Mill House has been repaired and the barriers removed.

12/37 Finance

12/37.1 The bank balances at 15th February 2012 were noted: £1077.77 current account, £768.78 savings account.

12/37.2 The bank reconciliation to 15.03.2012 for the 2011/2012 accounts was noted.

12/37.3 Coun Barker reported that she had checked the accounts. A receipt from the jubilee committee was needed; a vat refund had not been noted in the minutes; Minute 11/86.6 should have read £38.76 to Joy Starkey (not (£38.66)).

12/37.4 The council agreed to issue cheques to pay J Starkey £387.70 for final half year salary for 1½ hrs per week on scale 21, and to pay J Starkey £44.78 clerk's expenses incurred from 02.09.10 to 15.03.2012.

12/37.5 The council agreed to issue a cheque to pay J Starkey £102.39 for 10.8 hours holiday entitlement for the year 2011-2012 less ½ hour holiday actually taken in BMPC time. (£107.36 - £4.97 (Est ½ hr re 8th June 2011 meeting) = £102.39) subject to confirmation from YLCA of the legal situation.

12/37.6 The council agreed to issue a cheque in April to pay YLCA £125 for council membership of YLCA,

12/37.7 The council noted that payment of £46 to SLCC was due for the new clerk's membership if wanted.

12/38 Data Protection Act Consideration of registration under the Data Protection Act was deferred to the July meeting.

12/39 Verge cutting The council noted that requests for quotations for verge cutting would be advertised in the April Beacon.

12/40 Unsurfaced unclassified roads The council agreed to respond to NYCC that management of unsurfaced unclassified roads was an important local issue that needed to be resolved.

12/41 Annual Parish Meeting The council agreed to hold the APM on May 9th with Chris France NYMNPA Director of Planning as the speaker on the topic 'Future challenges in the National Park'.

12/42 Seat inspections Coun Barker reported that there was no change to the condition of the seat at Seave Green. JS would check the condition of the village hall seat on her way home and e-mail her report to councillors straight away.

12/43 Next meetings April 11th, May 2nd.

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