

MEETING MINUTES

Attendees: Gordon McIlroy (GMc) (Chair)
Karl Tumman (KT)
Eileen Birrell (EB)
Gerald Bainbridge (GB)
David Griffin (DG)

Apologies: Charles Brader (CB)

1. Minutes from the last Meeting.
 - a. The minutes from the the last meeting 19th August 2021 were accepted as a true record.
2. Matters raising
 - a. Village signs: It was agreed KT would investigate with Area4 North Yorkshire (Contact Simon Lythe) what permissions for installation are necessary before signs are purchased.
 - b. Grit bins: NYCC have installed bins as requested. GB will request one additional bin to be placed halfway up Fotherdale.
 - b. Thixendale Parish Website: KT has now received “Councillor Profiles” from members of the PC. Some members have yet to provide photographs. Outstanding details should be forwarded to KT asap.
 - c. Drainage on Martinholme: GB has discussed with Simon Lythe (SL) at NYCC to assess what further work is possible. SL will assess what can be done as an interim solution but agreed a more permanent solution was required and this would require capital expenditure. He will begin a capital request process within NYCC.
3. Community Grants Scheme:

The PC noted that grants up to £5,000, are available. GB to investigate the possibility of funding for the village signs.
4. Jubilee Tree:

RDC has provided the village with a sapling to commemorate the Queens Platinum Jubilee as part of the “Queens Green canopy” initiative. EB collected the tree from RDC Malton and is currently caring for it until a suitable site in the village has been agreed by the PC.
5. Rydale Plan:

The Rydale Plan contains no submissions for further development in the village. Although infill development is possible, the PC recognises that this constrains the development of affordable housing and consequently the presence of younger families. The PC wishes to put on record their concern that this could adversely affect the social balance in future.
3. Financial update
 - a. KT stated the balance, at 02/12/21, was £4644.37 with no outstanding commitments.
4. Dates for PC meetings in 2022 are as follows:

17th March
19th May (AGM)
18th August
13th October

(All in the Village Hall at 1800hrs)