

ASENBY PARISH COUNCIL

**Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Wednesday 17 March 2021
Via Zoom meeting**

Present:

Councillors:

Peter Palmer (Chairman), Judith Lowe (Vice Chairman)
Dave Allon, Margaret Atkinson NYCC.

Joyce Palmer - Clerk
One member of the public

19/01 APOLOGIES

Cllr Don Crompton
Cllr Mel Arkley
Cllr B Bateman, Harrogate Borough Council
Asenby Parish Council understands that Cllr Bateman is presently in poor health, and asked Cllr Atkinson to convey our best wishes.

19/02 APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

It was resolved that the minutes of the meeting held on the 20 January 2021 be accepted as a true record and be signed by the Chairman. All agreed.

19/03 DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

None

19/04 MATTERS ARISING

None

19/05 LORRY WATCH SCHEME

The development of Dalton 49 has increased concern about the number and frequency of HGVs travelling through Topcliffe and Asenby en route to and from Dalton Industrial Estate.

The lorry watch scheme is a joint venture between the Parish Councils of Asenby and Topcliffe.

The resident at The Forge in Asenby gave an update on measures to document evidence and to alert Trading Standards and the Police to take enforcement measures. These included logging details of HGVs and an installation of CCTV cameras.

Trading Standards have requested evidence of HGVs travelling through to the Industrial Estate to ensure they were not legitimately delivering locally.

It was agreed that signage prohibiting HGVs should be improved.

The sign at the entrance to village from A168 slip road has faded and needs replacing.

The Chairman of the Parish Council is to write to interested parties setting out our concerns and our views on improved signage.

Letters to be sent to:

John Bury, Hambleton District Council
Hamish Robertshaw, Johnson Mowat, Planning and Development Consultants
Andrew Mosley Associates, reporting on signage
Hambleton District Planning website.

19/06

FOOTPATHS

Bank Top Footpath – the Chairman reported no movement on footpath closure which is very disappointing after 10 years.

The Chairman to write to the Chief Executive of NYCC to raise an official complaint on lack of progress.

The Riverside footpath – the Chairman reported no damage after recent flooding.

19/07

PLANNING

sign:

Date: