

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE BILTON IN AINSTY WITH BICKERTON PARISH COUNCIL HELD IN TOCKWITH SPORTS HALL ON MONDAY 13 JANUARY 2025**

**Present:**

**Councillors:** Mrs D Podlowska (Vice Chairman), Mr D Cross, Mrs J Farnworth, Mrs L Chasney,  
**Mr L T I Grant (Clerk/RFO)**  
**County Councillor:** Mr A Paraskos (Last part of Meeting)

<b>1.</b>	<b><u>Apologies for Absence</u></b> Cllr Mrs J Hanson Cllr Mr C Cummings	
<b>2.</b>	<b><u>Public Questions and Statements</u></b> No questions or statements had been received from members of the public.	
<b>3.</b>	<b><u>Minutes of the Meeting held on 18 November 2024</u></b> The minutes of the meeting held on 18 November 2024 were approved as a true record by all Cllrs present without abstention.	
<b>4.</b>	<b><u>Highway Matters</u></b>	
4.1	Nothing to report	
<b>5.</b>	<b><u>Police Matters</u></b>	
5.1	PC Olesqui had been invited to the meeting but had not responded.	
<b>6.</b>	<b><u>Financial Matters</u></b>	
6.1	Funds received <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● None received</li> </ul>	
6.2	Bank Balance at 31.12.24 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Charity Account £4,234.45 (incorrect figure shown on Agenda)</li> </ul> There were no questions about the financial statistics circulated for December 2024.	
6.3	Invoices Received and paid/to be paid <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Clerk's quarterly Invoice £1,718.22 (£1,399.80 salary &amp; expenses + £318.40 PAYE) paid with Cllrs approval.</li> </ul>	
<b>7.</b>	<b><u>Planning and Related Matters</u></b>	

7.1	<p>Planning applications received and to be determined</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Crown lift T4 Tree with TPO – Highfields Tom Cat Lane Bickerton.</li> </ul> <p>After discussion, Cllrs agreed to instruct the Clerk to respond:  ( A ) The Parish Council <b>HAS NO OBJECTIONS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Erection of single storey rear extension and window alterations – The Old Chapel Church Street Bilton in Ainsty</li> </ul> <p>After discussion, Cllrs agreed to instruct the Clerk to respond:  ( A ) The Parish Council <b>HAS NO OBJECTIONS</b></p>	
7.2	<p>Planning decision notifications received</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● None</li> </ul>	
7.3	<p>Planning Enforcement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Illegal containers Elmfield Main Street Bickerton</li> </ul> <p>Nothing to report</p>	
<b>8.</b>	<b><u>PC Administration</u></b>	
8.1	<p>Grass verge maintenance in the Parish 2025.</p> <p>Cllr Mrs L Chasney suggested a Contractor who could be contacted.</p>	
8.2	<p>Rebuilding of the Village Pillar on the B1224</p> <p>Both brick pillars on the B1224 at each end of Bickerton, had in error been demolished and rebuilt. The Contractor apologised for the error and no change to the costs involved will occur.</p>	
<b>10.</b>	<p>Councillor's Business Items for the next Meeting</p> <p>Cllr Mrs L Chasney had attended a further Resilience Meeting on behalf of the PC and distributed documents about the project. A further meeting will be held at the end of January which the Vice Chairman agreed to attend.</p>	
<b>11.</b>	<p><b><u>Dates for Future monthly Meetings</u></b></p> <p><b>17 February, 17 March, 14 April, 19 May, 16 June 2025</b></p> <p>Meetings to be held in Tockwith Sports Hall at 7.30pm</p>	

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