

# REETH FREMINGTON & HEALAUGH PARISH COUNCIL

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## **AGENDA for Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2025, at 7pm in the Memorial Hall:**

1. To receive Apologies for absence.
2. To Approve reasons for absence
3. To receive any declarations of interest not already declared under the council's code of conduct or members' Register of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests.
4. To confirm the Minutes of the meeting held on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> January 2025 as a true and correct record (attached).
5. **Public session.**
  - 5.1 To hear and consider North Yorkshire Rural Housing Enablers request to do a survey to understand the housing needs across our parish. They are working in partnership with Upper Dales Community Land Trust.
6. **North Yorkshire Police**
  - 6.1 To note any news and information from any attending police officers.
  - 6.2 To note the Two Dale Police report for January.
  - 6.3 To note the parking complaint on the corner of the Reeth/Richmond Road near the Back Lane entrance. This was passed on to the police.
7. **Lord Peel and the Green Agreement.**
  - 7.1 To consider, after reading the latest emails from Phil Scott-Priestly, proceeding with a **draft** of the new Agreement.
8. **Aspirations of Expenditure for 2024/25.**
  - 8.1 To note that the clerk is still waiting for the Bridge engineering department to arrange a meeting to discuss works to the river. She has chased and copied in Councillor Peacock. Requested photos have also been sent.
  - 8.2 **Matrix Signs**
    - 8.2.1 To note that the speed traps can be cancelled on the day if the weather is bad. The traps have been organised for the last week of March and the first week of July.
  - 8.3 **Honesty Box Signs**
    - 8.3.1 This is on hold until the new Agreement between Lord Peel and the Parish Council have been resolved.

### **8.3.2 Contactless Honesty Box Donations**

8.3.3 This is on hold until the new Agreement between Lord Peel and the Parish Council have been resolved.

## **9. To receive information on the following ongoing issues and decide further action where necessary:**

### **9.1 Playground**

9.1.1 **To consider reducing the playground inspections.** Currently, the requirement is once annually. We have monthly by North Yorkshire Council and an annual by ROSPA. North Yorkshire Council are going to put up their price for these things by 4% based on the current price, from £329.84 to 343.03. As well as inspections this will include a quarterly report, instant alerts about dangerous issues and in the future, they are hoping to provide a repair service but this is not included in the price. ROSPA inspections are £132.00 annually.

### **9.2 Memorial Benches**

9.2.1 Nothing to consider.

### **9.3 The Green and Market**

9.3.1 **Chetwynd Land** – To note there has not been any progress so far

9.3.2 To note there have not been any serious offers for the grass mesh yet.

9.3.3 To consider Nick Caldwell's request to remove the current sign between the bus shelter and the toilets and replacing it with one that advertises the businesses and services that are available to visitors. He estimates it will cost between £2K - £2.5k and would like the Parish Council to contribute to this.

## **10. To consider and decide upon the following planning applications.**

10.1 To consider planning application R/07/378 for Leaholme, Reeth to replace the corrugated roof above the door on the side elevation.

## **11. To receive the following planning decisions/information.**

11.1 To note Week 3 has no decisions or applications for our parish.

11.2 To note Week 4 has no decisions or applications for our parish.

11.3 To note Week 5 has no decisions or applications for our parish.

11.4 To note Week 6 has no decisions or applications for our parish.

11.5 To note Week 7 has no decisions or applications for our parish.

## **12. Matters requested by Councillors** – There are no items to consider.

## **13. Matters requested by the clerk**

- 13.1** To consider asking residents how they would feel about a Car Boot Sale on the Market Square on 1 Sunday a month. We could charge a small amount for each car/table and it could bring in extra visitors.

**14. Financial matters:** - There are no items to consider

**14.1 To resolve to make the following payments:**

L Bridge	Salary February	£402.50
Memorial Hall	Inv. January Meeting 025-009	£16.00
EDF Energy	Bill for February	£45.55
Cancer Research	Carols collection money (not paid last month)	£48.12
Eyecatching Signs	Deposit to hold price 50%	£246.00

**To note the following credit accounts**

GB Sport (will stay on the Agenda until used.)	Credit note 16109	£77.58
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**To note the following Receipts**

Market	Jan/Feb/March No collect till Good Fri.	£0.00
Honesty Box	Jan	£200.00

**Bank Balance as at 17<sup>th</sup> February 2025** £14,425.58

**15. Market Report and Honesty Boxes**

- 15.1 To receive a report on the honesty boxes (GF).

- 15.2 To receive a report on the Market (KL).

**16. Highway matters:**

- 16.1 To note that the clerk has chased Highways about the inspection of the failing wall on Silver Street, originally requested by Reeth School.
- 16.2 To note the road closure notification for Richmond starting on the 10 March for 3 weeks.

**17. Streetlights:**

- 17.1 To note an email was sent to Streetlighting about the concerns that the Councillors expressed about the shutdown times of streetlights and the new bulbs and covers.

**18. Footpaths (YDNP)**

- 18.1** To note that the following will be temporarily closed for repairs, Footpaths 27, 38, 39, 40, 54 and 56. Bridleways 23, 24, 36 and 55.

**19. To consider the following new correspondence received, and decide what action where necessary:**

- 19.1 To consider HarBus's proposal for bus services which link various routes which are not currently. They have submitted this to North Yorkshire Council and, if you believe this is an improvement, submit your support to the Council.
- 19.2 To consider Yorkshire Dales National Parks invitation to a Planning Webinar on the 2<sup>nd</sup> April from 6.30 – 8pm
- 19.3 To consider Yorkshire Dales National Parks invitation to attend their Spring Parish Forums in April and May (23 April, 29 April and 21 May).
- 19.4 To note the latest updates and online webinar meeting about the Lithium-ion Batteries Campaign.
- 19.5 To note the letter received from Rishi Sunak about the School Transport and what he is doing.
- 19.6 To note the explanation of the Green bin license, costs and what is covered.
- 19.7 To note the skip request from Walpardo, Anvil Square for 2 weeks. This was booked for 7<sup>th</sup> February.
- 19.8 To note the North Yorkshire Cultural Newsletter from North Yorkshire Council Parish Liaison.
- 19.9 To note the North Yorkshire Council Parish Liaison Parish Update January 2025.
- 19.10 To note the North Yorkshire Council Parish Liaison Public Convenience consultation.
- 19.11 To note the North Yorkshire Council Parish Liaison Local Plan, regarding Call for sites.
- 19.12 To note the North Yorkshire and York Local Nature Recovery Strategy, with a draft of their shortlist of priorities and measures plus their Vision and Principles document.

**20. North Yorkshire Council report (YP) –**

**21. Housekeeping (for time sensitive items such as Payments, Planning and Complaints)**

- 21.1 There are no items to consider.

**22. Future meetings**

- 22.1 Date of the next meeting, Monday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2025, at 7pm in the Memorial Hall.