

IREBY AND ULDALE PARISH COUNCIL

At the Virtual Meeting of Ireby and Uldale Parish Council held on Tuesday 1st September, 2020 commencing at 7.30 p.m.

Present:

E. Alexander
K. Bridges
S. Hey
G. Moore (Chair)

Also Present:

M. Grainger, Allerdale Borough Councillor
J. Rae (Clerk)

14 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from J.W. Hall and A. Bowness Cumbria County Councillor.

15 MINUTES – 7 JULY 2020

The minutes of the virtual meeting held on 7th July, 2020 were agreed as a correct record.

16 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None received.

17 POLICE REPORT

The Police newsletter for the Wigton area had been circulated prior to the meeting. There were no matters in the newsletter relating to the Parish.

18 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

No members of the public had requested to join the meeting.

Parking Issues in Ireby – A parishioner had raised the issue of incidents of inconsiderate parking in the vicinity of the Square/Public House. The Parish Council are unable to take any action other than to include an article in Binsey Link asking residents to consider others when parking in the area.

19 MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MEETING 7 JULY 2020

Annual Audit – Confirmation had been received from the External Auditors that the Certificate of Exemption had been logged with them.

Waste Bin at Uldale - Cllr Bridges agreed to check whether the waste bin had been sited near the Tea Rooms in Uldale.

Paper/Card Recycling – Cllr Grainger agreed to enquire at the Borough Council whether Uldale could be included on the paper/card recycling scheme.

Public Footpath 237017 Ireby - The Countryside Access Officer at the County Council had confirmed that the landowner had been established. The County Council are still waiting to hear back from him as to what materials he requires to carry out the repairs to the stiles. Cllr Hey agreed to speak to the landowner.

20 FINANCE

(a) The financial position at 31st August, 2020 had been provided for Members information.

Balances 31st August 2020

Business Current Account	£10,409.55
Business Savings Account	£ 5,646.06

(b) The following accounts were authorised for payment:

Clerk's account Quarter 2	£345.72
HMRC PAYE Quarter 2	£ 86.40
Clerk's expenses Quarter 2	£121.07
ICO – Data Protection fee due 7 October 2020	£ 35.00

It was agreed to set up a direct debit mandate thereby reducing the data protection fee to £35.00.

Donations granted to:

Ireby PCC	£200.00
Uldale DCC	£200.00
Citizens Advice Allerdale	£ 60.00

21 PLANNING

(a) Applications received:

Lake District National Park

7/2020/2175 – Orthwaite Farm, Uldale CA7 1HL

Non material amendment to planning approval 7/2019/2203

(Demolition of existing living area. Construction of new larger living area) – Revised window layout to new room and change of location of multi-fuel stove and flue) – For information only and not consultation.

Allerdale Borough Council

LBC/2020/0022 Standing Stone Cottage, Ireby

Retrospective listed building consent for replacement window fitted in 2014/15

No objections

HOU/2020/0138 – Rosedene, Ireby

Insertion of window in the south facing gable end first floor of property

No objections

(b) Decisions

Lake District National Park Authority

7/2020/2093 – Pyerigg, Aughtertree

Demolish existing out buildings and build extension to adjoining house

APPROVED

22 HIGHWAYS

The following matters were discussed:

Two road closures had been received from Cumbria Highways

Ireby Low Bridge - drainage works to be carried out week commencing 17th August 2020.

Ireby – Torpenhow road - urgent drainage repair works to be carried out with effect from 26th August

Cllr Bridges reported that the major pot holes around Uldale had been repaired but some smaller ones are still evident.

The Chairman reported that he had removed some Himalayan balsam that had been growing along the river on the parish land at Ireby Low Bridge.

23 REPAIRS TO NOTICEBOARD, IREBY

Cllr Alexander reported that since the last meeting she had been notified that the notice board had been damaged. This was a result of general wear and tear. The joiner who originally made the notice board had been approached to provide an estimate for the necessary repairs. The repairs had been carried out. The joiner had agreed to do the work free of charge. The notice board had also been painted by a volunteer in the parish. It was suggested that a card should be sent thanking the two parishioners for their generosity.

With regard to the other two noticeboards in the Parish Cllr Bridges advised that the noticeboard at Uldale had been varnished in Spring. Cllr Alexander agreed to inspect the notice board at High Ireby and Cllr Hey would carry out any work required.

24 FOOTWAY LIGHTING

The Clerk reported that at the date of the meeting the Borough Council had not provided an updated inventory of the footway lights in the Parish. Cllr Grainger agreed to make enquiries as to when this is likely to be received.

25 DONATION REQUESTS

Three requests for financial assistance had been received and were considered by Members.

- (a) Ireby PCC – Annual request for a donation towards the grass cutting at St James Church Ireby. Members noted that the Church had lost income due to the Covid 19 pandemic. RESOLVED to increase the donation this year to £200.
- (b) Uldale DCC – Annual request for a donation towards the grass cutting at St James Church Uldale. RESOLVED to grant £200 this year.
- (c) Citizens Advice Allerdale – RESOLVED to grant £60.00.

26 CORRESPONDENCE

Correspondence received since the last meeting had been circulated by email.

Re re-opening of Ireby WI Hall – Members noted the conditions of re-opening of the WI Hall that no more than 8 people are allowed in the hall at the same time
LDNPA Members Report July 2020
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LDNPA – Letter to Parishes
Cumbria County Council -Latest News from Cumbria County Council
Cumbria Police - Maryport, Aspatria, Silloth and Wigton Newsletter
ICO - Data Protection fee - Reminder to renew
Allerdale Borough Council - Adoption of the Allerdale Local Plan (Part 2) - 22 July 2020

CALC - Local Government Reorganisation Cumbria
CALC - Allerdale 3 tier meeting 17 September 2020
National Association of Local Council Chief Executive's Bulletin
CALC - Developing your skills programme September to end of December 2020 – Cllrs Alexander and Hey advised that would like to attend the virtual training session Effective Councillor Module 1 on 22 September
CALC - National Pay Award - NALC briefing on salary award – Members noted that the NJC pay award for clerks had been agreed at 2.75% backdated to April 2020.

External Auditors - Data logged – notification of exempt status
CALC - Join the Great British September Clean 11-27 September – Cllr Alexander advised that she would display the poster advertising the event on the noticeboard to ascertain if there is any interest in the village.
Allerdale Borough Council - Dog Fouling PSPO Consultation
CALC/CCC - Highways Asset Management Strategy 2020-2025

27 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be held on 3rd November 2020.

The meeting closed at 8.38 p.m.

Chairman Date