

IREBY AND ULDALE PARISH COUNCIL

At the Meeting of Ireby and Uldale Parish held at the WI Hall, Ireby on Tuesday 6th July, 2021 commencing at 7.30 p.m.

Present:

E. Alexander
K. Bridges (Chair)
R. Cockburn
J.W. Hall

Also Present:

A Bowness Cumbria County Councillor
J. Rae (Clerk)
One member of the public

The meeting was held in accordance with current coronavirus regulations and subject to social distancing with a risk assessment undertaken prior to the meeting commencing

The Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting and thanked those present for attending.

18 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Cllrs. S. Hey, G. Moore and M. Grainger Allerdale Borough Councillor.

19 MINUTES – ANNUAL MEETING 4th MAY 2021

The minutes of the Annual meeting held on 4th May, 2021 were agreed as a correct record and were signed by the Chairman

20 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None received.

21 POLICE REPORT

The newsletter for the Wigton area had been circulated prior to the meeting. No matters were raised.

22 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

One member of the public was in attendance and expressed an interest in joining the parish council.

23 MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MEETING 4 MAY 2021

Gate on the Whent, Ireby – An update had been provided by Cllr Grainger that the Borough Council's Planning Team are dealing with this matter.

Crosby House Barn, Ireby – An update had been requested from the Borough Council, this had not been received in time for the meeting. The Clerk agreed to pursue this further with the Borough Council. Members also discussed the condition of another property in Ireby. This would also be raised with Allerdale's Planning Team.

Annual Audit – The Certificate of Exemption had been submitted to the external auditors and the requisite documents uploaded onto the website. The notice advertising the period of elector's rights had been displayed on the noticeboards.

Signage Torpenhow to Ireby road – A request for additional signage on the Torpenhow to Ireby road advising that the road is unsuitable for large vehicles had been submitted to Cumbria County Council Highways. The positioning of the signage at the Bothel/Torpenhow junction was also discussed. Cllr Bowness advised that he had raised this at the Highways Working Group.

24 FINANCE

- (a) The financial position at 30th June 2021 had been circulated with the agenda.

Bank Balances 30th June 2021

Current Account	£11,384.48
Business Saver Account	£ 5,897.27

- (b) Payment of Accounts

The following accounts were authorised for payment:

Clerk's account Quarter 1	£336.87
HMRC PAYE Quarter 1	£ 84.00
Clerk's expenses Quarter 1	£145.03

Donations Granted to

Ireby PCC – Maintenance of the Churchyard	£200.00
Uldale DCC – Maintenance of the Churchyard	£200.00

25 PLANNING

- (a) Applications received:

Lake District National Park Authority

7/2021/2140 – Ruthwaite Farm, Ireby

Like for like replacement of sash windows

7/2020/2282 – Reservoir House, Uldale

Alterations to existing domestic property including 2 storey side extension, new porch, new rear extension, re-roofing, solar panels and the installation of flues following the removal of chimneys

- (b) Decisions:

Lake District National Park Authority

7/2020/2287 – Ruthwaite Farm, Ireby

Refurbishment of building comprising damp proofing replacement stove in lounge and new multi-fuel stove in second lounge, replacement lighting, replacement bathrooms and chimney repair work

GRANTED

7/2021/2157 – Ruthwaite Farm, Ireby

Remove modern ceramic tiles from floor of the downstairs of the property and replace with traditional style natural limestone flagstone tiles

GRANTED

26 HIGHWAYS/HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE

The following matters were reported:

Pot hole on the Ireby to High Ireby road

Blocked pipe on the High Ireby road – Cllr Bowness agreed to report this to Highways and arrange for this to be inspected.

The drains in Uldale had been cleaned out

Some repairs had been carried out on Prior Hall Lonning

27 DONATION REQUESTS

Two donation requests had been received for financial support towards the maintenance of the churchyards at Ireby and Uldale. Members discussed the amount donated in previous years. A proposal was put forward to increase the amount to £250, a further proposal was received that the amount should remain the same as the previous year at £200. Following a vote, it was RESOLVED that the amount granted should remain at £200.

28 VACANCIES

Following the resignation of Cllr. Foster the Borough Council had been notified and the vacancy advertised. The Borough Council had advised that an election had not been requested, therefore the vacancies on the parish council can be filled by co-option. Felicity Payne was in attendance and had expressed an interest in joining the parish council. On the proposal of Cllr Bridges, seconded by Cllr Cockburn it was RESOLVED that Felicity Payne be co-opted onto the Parish Council. Mrs Payne signed a declaration of acceptance of office and was provided with a disclosable pecuniary interests form for completion. Mrs Payne will be provided with a copy of the Code of Conduct. One vacancy still exists and will be advertised.

29 CORRESPONDENCE

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

- LDNPA Members Report May
- LDNPA Members Report June
- CALC - Allerdale Joint Three Tier Meeting May 25th
- CALC - Allerdale GDF Working Group
- CALC - April/May Edition CALC Newsletter
- CALC - DCMS Rural Broadband Consultation
- CALC - Highways Information Asset Management System Launch Briefing for Parish Councillors 24th June 7pm
- CALC - The Queen's Platinum Jubilee Beacons - 2nd June 2022
- CALC - ACT News Update
- CALC - New T NL Funding Programme
- CALC - Minutes of a three-tier meeting held on the 25th May 2021
- Cumbria Police Newsletter -May 2021 - Maryport, Aspatria, Silloth & Wigton
- Wigton Baths – Letter of thanks for the donation of £100
- CALC - New Highway Customer System
- CALC - Friends of the Lake District Landscape Grant Fund
- Lake District National Park Local Plan 2020 – 2035

30 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday 7th September, 2021 – W.I. Hall, Ireby

The meeting closed at 8.16 pm

Chairman Date