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|  **PENNINGTON PARISH COUNCIL****Ordinary Meeting of the Parish CouncilMonday 11th April 20227pmParish Rooms****Minutes** |
| **Attendees** | Mrs AthersmithMrs Bell (Clerk)Mr DavidsonMrs Slater | Mr StretchMrs Thompson (Chair)1 Members of the public |  |  |
| **ITEM** | **DISCUSSION** | **ACTIONS** | **OWNER** | **DUE** |
| 1. Apologies
 | * Apologies received from Cllr Willis, Cllr Cooper and representative of the LCG
* All apologies accepted.
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| 1. Declarations of Councillors Interests
 | * None
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| 1. Vacancies
 | * Swarthmoor Ward – 2 vacancies
* Pennington Ward – 0 vacancies
 | * Vacancies to be advertised on the website and CommChat.
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| 1. Previous Minutes and Matters Arising
 | * Sunnyside Cooker Ongoing
* Bank accounts/ signatories ongoing
* It was suggested that the jubilee trees be planted at the memorial hall.
* Mrs Slater confirmed that Freedom Camping issue a site certificate and not a license.
* Minutes were approved and signed as true and accurate record of the meeting.
 | * To liaise with the Memorial Hall Committee
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| 1. District Councillors/ Elected Members Reports
 | * Cllr Willis reported via email that she will be standing in the elections for the new council in May.
* Cllr Cooper reported via email that confirmation has been received on the ownership of land at Moorgarth/ Fox Street and will continue to work closely with the PC and SLDC and provide an update at the next meeting.
* Cllr Cooper reported via email that hypothetically the redistribution of waste bins in the village is possible. He proposed that the PC agree on a plan that he can provide to the street care team.
 | • It was suggested that the bin in the basketball court be moved closer to the road, the bin at the bottom of Fox Street be relocated onto the A590 by the bus shelter opposite 58 Ulverston Road and that the bin in the Millenuim Gardens be repositioned so it is outside of the gardens. | * Clerk to contact Cllr Cooper
 | * Next meeting
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| 1. Public Participation by Question and Comment
 | * A member of the public updated members on correspondence received regarding the campsite at Cowran Farm and confirmation that Article 4 can be triggered in certain situations.
 | * No action
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| 1. Cllrs Reports
 | * Nothing Raised
 | * No action
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| 1. Police Report
 | * It was reported via email that speed monitoring has been carried out on Park Road and Fox Street in response to a resident petition to reduce the speed to 20mph. The request has been forwarded to the multiagency CRASH meeting with the aim of having speed monitoring strips installed.
 | * Clerk to email the PCSO to request the possibility of the visual speed awareness sign being installed.
 | * Clerk
 | * Next meet
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| 1. Swarthmoor/ High Carley
 | * Members were informed that a meeting had been held at the Millennium Gardens and steps are being taken to progress with the work.
* It was confirmed that a new plot holder has taken over allotment plot 5.
 | * No action
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| 1. Loppergarth/ Pennington
 | * It was confirmed that the swing has been replaced.
* Members were informed that a fundraising event has been planned by LCG.
* Members were informed that a jubilee event has been planned by LCG.
 | * No action
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| 1. Footpaths
 | * Members were informed of concerns raised by residents regarding the state of footpaths within the parish. Clerk has contacted the Countryside Access Team and will remain in contact with the residents.
 | * It was requested that reporting procedures – encouraging members of the public to report issues directly through the online portal be advertised in the CommChat publication.
 | * YA
 | * Ongoing
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| 1. Sunnyside/ Parish Rooms
 | * Nothing raised
 | * No action
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| 1. Planning Matters
 | * No issues raised/ matters arising from 14/03/2022 and 28/03/2022
* The following applications were discussed and responses agreed as follows:
* SL/2022/0235 – application for lawful development certificate for partial conversion of garage to form extended kitchen and shower room at 16 Spring Vale.
* SL/2022/0306 – detached 2 storey garage with car port at Fieldside Carley Lane Ulverston.
* CU/2022/0002 – Application to determine if prior approval is required for a change of use of an agricultural building to a dwelling (Resubmission of CU/2021/0004) at Levey View Pennington.
* SL/2022/0318 – Outline planning for agricultural workers dwelling at Seaview Pennington.
 | * Application already granted
* The council resolved to support this application but the following observations be considered: 1. Consideration of the height of the development in order to ensure no overshadowing of neighbouring properties.
* Previous applications for this development have been refused by the planning authority. The Parish Council has no comment to make on the application however the following observations/ concerns were made for consideration: 1. The siting of shrubs/ trees causing potential safety issues and visibility for motorists, pedestrians and other road users. 2. Parking, access and exiting from the development causing issues with road safety.
* The Parish Council has no comment to make on this application.
 | * Clerk
 | * ASAP
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| 1. Financial Matters
 | * Clerk informed members of CIL payment received.
* Financial/ Year end information to be brought forward to the next meeting.
 | * No action
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| 1. Correspondence
 | * NALC smaller local councils request for online events content.
* Utility Aid – energy audit
* Resignation of Groundsman
* Allotment tools available on behalf of the plot holder recently stepped down.
* Letter and petition regarding Park Road and Fox Street speeding/ speed limit.
* Thank you card from Pennington Church.
 | * Clerk to respond with support for the whole list provided.
* Clerk to contact CALC for advice.
* Clerk to thank groundsman for continued support
* Position to be advertised in the CommChat publication.
* Clerk to contact resident.
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* Clerk
* Clerk
* YA
* Clerk
 | * Next meet
* Next meet
* Next meet
* Ongoing
* Ongoing
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| 1. Highways
 | * It was commented that communications with HE have slowed.
 | * Clerk to contact HE re: site visit.
 | * Clerk
 | * ASAP
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| 1. Parking Consultation Events
 | * Nothing to report
 | * No action
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| 1. Items for Future Agendas
 | * AGAR, Clerk’s hours.
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| 1. Date of Next Meeting
 | The next ordinary meeting is planned for 9th May 2022 – 7pm in the Parish Rooms  |

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Signed Chairman…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………. Date…………………………………………………………

Signed Clerk………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………... Date…………………………………………………………