

## YAXHAM PARISH COUNCIL Clerks Report – December 2021

## The items below relate to actions / resolutions from the 27th October meeting :-

Item 7.2 - A letter has been sent regarding the Well Hill hedge.

- The Church Room is being investigated for the YFC Changing Rooms before any planning application may be considered.
- NCC Highways have been notified regarding the verge on the northern side of Norwich Road between Mill Lane and Spring Lane needing cutting as it is obstructing the footpath.
- Item 8.1 No comment submissions made on the two planning applications.
- Item 8.3 The Old Post Office planning case officer has been contacted and the response will be reported in item 7.4 of the agenda.
- Item 9 Two new playground springers have been ordered.
- Item 10.3 Westcotec have been asked for ideas and costings for the B1135 Whinburgh Road / Norwich Road junction and for options for the Highways Parish Partnership. Details to be detailed under agenda items 9.2.
- Item 10.4 A letter has been sent to the owner of the car that destroyed the planter and Highways signage seeking £300 to cover the cost of a new planter and removal of the debris.
- -A photo of the Road Traffic Accident has been forwarded to Matthew Lines of Highways and a response is outstanding.
- Item 11 The Well Hill dog waste bin is yet to be ordered.
- Item 15 Poppies Café "Don't be alone at Christmas" Initiative has been included in the Yaxham Parish Newsletter.

Item 17 - The Pandemic Resilience Plaque is to be presented on 9<sup>th</sup> December at the Community Café at 10am by Mary Rudd, Deputy Lieutenant, on behalf of Lady Dannatt MBE, HM Lord Lieutenant of Norfolk.

Item 18 - Payments made as agreed Cllr Chris Couves is continuing to negotiate.

Item 21 - The Bus shelter at Clint Green we are in contact with Highways and Konnectbus to reach a final agreement.

## Additional items for information

- -The December Parish newsletter has been completed and distributed.
- -Breckland Monitoring Report for local housing numbers for HOU 04 villages was challenged and corrected by Breckland.
- -The Clerk has circulated emails from Anglian Water helping vulnerable parishioners through their Priority Services Register to Yaxham cares and NP4Yaxham.
- -The Clerk has forwarded an email from Anglian Water regarding a webinar in respect of flooding and developing a local emergency plan to Cllr Maggie Oechsle and Cllr Richard Whadcoat.
- -The Clerk has responded to Highways that no street lighting is required on the Norwich Road development in line with the NPlan no street lighting policy.
- -Invoices from CGM amounting to £192 including VAT and Harlequin for £89 were received following the agenda being issued and the Clerk asks that these are agreed for payment.
- -The Cllrs are asked to agree to Anita Rose the Mattishall Parish Clerk providing mentoring to the Yaxham Parish Clerk for an hour a week for the next few months.

## **Outstanding Items**

- -Follow up with the Environment Agency in respect of the river Tudd.
- -Consideration of the Highways/Flooding schedule.
- -To question Anglian Water on battery back up for the sewage pumping station.