



WARMSWORTH PARISH COUNCIL COUNCIL MEETING

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 13th July 2026 at 7pm at Warmsworth Stapleton Road Centre.

26/083 To Receive Apologies for absence

Members Present: Cllrs. D Maxey (Chair), S Beech, C Pattison, P Cole, K. Mason, B Laird & C Jackson

In Attendance: The Clerk, Mr A. Bosmans, CDC Cllr. Howard Rimmer (Reform UK Group Leader) and CDC Cllr Joan Briggs.

Apologies: None

Members Absent: Cllr. S. Siddall MBE

26/084 To receive Disclosures of Interests from Councillors on matters to be considered at the meeting.

There were no disclosures of Interest in this meeting.

26/085 To identify items for which the Press and Public may be excluded.

The Chair invoked Press and Public exclusion for the next item, the relevant people present were requested to leave the meeting for a short period whilst a specific item was discussed.

Councillors were circulated numbered copies of a Grievance by a member of staff, on an Investigation, by Cllr Cole on a specific Councillor's Behaviour in in contravention of the Code of Conduct.

The recommendation was for the named Councillor to resign.

RESOLVED : by a vote of 7 to 1 that the named Councillor is asked to resign (The Parish Council has no power to remove such an individual)

Despite an overwhelming vote and the evidence provided, the councillor concerned **REFUSED** to resign.

All numbered Reports were then collected in and will remain on file.

The Public Meeting then resumed.

26/086 Public Participation Session

Various Councillors expressed their concerns to the CDC Councillors present that various items of concern in the Parish Council Area were either being ignored or not given adequate attention and in some cases dismissed.

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The Leader of the Main Party Group on the Council agreed to take the Parish Councillors concerns back to the Council.

26/087 To resolve that the minutes of the meeting of the Council held on 8th. June 2026 be signed as a correct record.

RESOLVED: The Minutes of the meeting held on 8th. June 2026 are accepted as a true record.

26/088 Unresolved Items / Clerk's Update

- a. Root problem from Holiday Inn Trees – Further response sent to the Holiday Inn – not acknowledged – legal advice being considered – beyond ultimatum – Clerk seeking legal advice - **ONGOING**
- b. State of Roads need - photographs the "damage" required to notify Highways at Doncaster Council - CDC Councillors present to follow up on concerns
- c. Purchase of "No e-bikes" sign – contractors have not got back to the Clerk – ordered, paid for – awaiting delivery - **COMPLETED**
- d. Update on Lords Head Lane – CDC Councillors present to follow up on concerns, alongside obvious concerns on the delay of reopening Wrightson and some ASB from temporary residents.

26/089 To Hear Reports on the work of Internal / External Bodies

a. Allotments – Cllrs. Laird / Maxey / Jackson

Cllr Laird stated that various outstanding items were being attended to and that the feeling he got was that plot holders were much happier recently.

CCTV was being considered after a number of recent petty thefts and Cllr Laird was looking into a new battery for the generator.

The next Plot holders Consultation Meeting would be on 15th, and publicity had already been placed in the noticeboards and on the App.

b. Environmental Group / Playing Fields – Cllr Pattison reported that there was little at present being done on the field, but the Environment Group is continuing its litter collection.

It was reported that the grass on the King George Field was being cut by the Cricket Club, and although not terribly expensive, some research is being undertaken to source a larger grass cutting tractor, which, if as anticipated by the Internet, would likely cost around £5k and would pay for itself based on recent grass cutting quotes, in around two years if the grass was cut by a WPC mower using WPC staff.

It was agreed to search out such a machine.

c. Cricket and Football Club – Normally report at the Stakeholder Meetings

d. PCJCC – A meeting is scheduled..

e. Don Gorge - A meeting is due and the Clerk will circulate the minutes when received.

f. YLCA South Yorkshire - still needs a representative



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e Events Committee – Cllr Beech reported that she was currently working on both the Halloween and Christmas Fayres – more detail would appear nearer the event dates.

Other Groups / External Bodies had not met.

26/090 To Discuss and Receive Correspondence

- a. Community First Yorkshire – Newsletters – Various
- b. NALC – Newsletters
- c. YALC – White Rose Update / Training bulletins
- d. Northern Gas Networks – Updates
- e. SLCC – Newsletters
- f. YALC – Training programmes
- g. Allotments Association – Newsletter and Magazine
- h. Parish Online – Newsletter
- i. Fields in Trust : Update newsletter
- j. City Of Doncaster Council – Lords Head Lane – Further Closures
- k. Don Gorge – Appeal for Funds – Usual Insurance request – ½ of £288.15 – Certificate seen (£144.08)
- l. City of Doncaster Council – various queries over appeal for funding – Summer Activities
- m. PCJCC – Agenda for 6 August Meeting
- n. Office of SY Mayor – Bus Service changes in July – only minor updates / intermediate timings
- o. Office of SY Mayor – details of transport for upcoming Tramlines Festival

RESOLVED: To send 50% of Don Gorge’s Insurance for their annual renewal amounting to £288.15

All items of correspondence were noted.

26/091 Members Items

Members suggested a discussion before a meeting with representatives from St Leger homes.

26/092 To Consider Financial Matters

- a) To approve Orders for Payment – July 2026 **APPENDIX 1**
- b) Budgets and Bank Reconciliation – June 2026 – **APPENDIX 2 & 3**

RESOLVED: That the Budgets and Reconciliation is accepted as presented

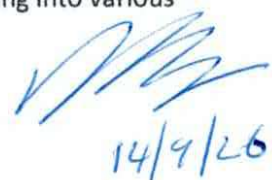
26/093 Planning Matters

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The Previous Shop fronted Car showroom would have a Change of Use to Offices – there were No observations

26/094 To Consider resolutions Notified by Members

- a) To discuss and Consider a response to unanswered queries from Doncaster Council over Lords Head Lane, Potholes and other issues, and its lack of adherence to the Charter agreed with Parish Councils through the PCJCC – Cllr Laird will mentioned that he was looking into various



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charters and agreements between Doncaster Council and Parish Councils and was placing pressure on Doncaster Council to come up with some answers – this would be ongoing.

- b) To discuss whether the Parish Council should have a future need for the Cottage and whether it exploratory investigations should be made into its disposal – Cllr Jackson verbally update about the verbal quotes that she had obtained – they were broadly in a similar range, but the cottage would require a great deal of work if someone made the purchase.

The quotes were noted for now and further discussion would take place at September's meeting, as there was some objection to its sale.

26/095 To Confirm the date of the Next meeting.

As previously agreed, Monday 14th September 2026 at 7.00 pm – Warmsworth Community Hub, Stapleton Road


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