

GOODMANHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 7th September 2022 at The Fiddle Drill, Manor Farm, Goodmanham

Attendance: Liz Stephenson (Chair), Richard Cooper, Fran Preston, Christine Sawyer, Sarah Gillard, John Stephenson
 ERYC Councillors Leo Hammond.

46. Apologies, Dispensations and Declarations

Apologies Chris Buswell, Anita Greener

Jeremy Sherlock (Clerk) was unable to attend due to a family medical emergency

47. Public Session

Cllr Hammond gave an update on the traffic and parking issues following the meeting in the village. One suggestions that has been made are bollards at both ends of the double kerb opposite the pub. If the Parish Council are content with that the bollards could be installed as soon as possible.

The parking opposite the church could be discouraged by hatching markings on the road under the tree and at the narrowest point. Traffic Management at ERYC would be happy to do that but as Goodmanham is a conservation area a consultation with the residents of the village would be required. The hatchings would be large thick white lines on the road. ERYC do not feel the road warrants double yellow lines. Yellow lines take a long time due to the public consultation and the legal process required. There are also more than 50 applications already to be considered for yellow lines and there is a cost issue.

Cllr Hammond was asked if there was any legal requirement not to park in a hatched area. He answered that there wasn't, but it should be a deterrent.

The consultation for the hatched area was discussed. The village need to be made aware. This will be discussed further with the Clerk, but it was thought notices on the website and a leaflet drop would be appropriate with a time limit for responses to be made prior to the next meeting.

Cllrs Stephenson and Sawyer will also liaise with the Church to see if notices re parking can be put up and it was suggested that signs should also be put on the verges.

48. Minutes of the Meetings held on 6th July and 27th July 2022

Resolved that the minutes of the meeting of 6th July 2022 and 27th July 2022 be approved

49. Matters arising - none

50. Highways – a meeting had been held with ERYC to discuss traffic problems in Goodmanham. The following issues were raised:

- Parked vehicles blocking farm vehicles and lorries from passing through the village. Some vehicles have been damaged as vehicles try to squeeze through.
- Damage to the verge next to the Church, which is undermining the wall foundations. There is a particular pinch point outside Rectory Farm.
- Parking at the Goodmanham Arms corner reducing visibility
- Pavement parking in front of 17-20 Edwin's Garth and Bretwalda which limits access for pedestrians

A number of other options had been discussed which can be delivered without a traffic order:

- Use of bollards to prevent pavement parking outside 17-20 Edwin's Garth and Bretwalda. A limited number to prevent access as there is a double kerb.

- Use of planters or a double kerb to protect the verge next to the Church. However, this could increase the potential of blockage.
- Use of signage to encourage people not to park in certain areas, and to use the Car Park.
- Use of informal highway markings to define a carriageway suitable for farm vehicles and HGV's.

Cllr Hammond had commented on these options in the Public Session.

It was felt that some measures were necessary to manage the traffic and parking in the village. The bollards, road markings and signage were supported. As it is a conservation area a public consultation would need to be held before road markings are installed. The bollards can be erected by ERYC.

Resolved that:

1. **ERYC be requested to erect bollards to discourage pavement parking next to Edwin's Garth**
2. **Residents be consulted with regard to road markings, and the results reported back to the next meeting**
3. **Provision of signage be agreed, to be considered in more detail at the next meeting**

51. Community Energy – in the absence of the Clerk it was agreed to defer this item
52. Operation London Bridge – the Clerk had circulated a report which considered what actions should be taken on the death of the Queen. If and when this happens the Church will make arrangements as there is nowhere else in the village to meet. This can be discussed further at the next meeting.
53. Data Protection – in the absence of the Clerk it was agreed to defer this item
54. Civility and Respect Pledge – in the absence of the Clerk it was agreed to defer this item
55. Planning

Applications for **consideration**

None

Applications **approved** by ERYC

22/02124/PLF | Erection of two storey extension to rear and changes to fenestration | Willow Garth Goodmanham Road

It was also reported that Highways have done an extensive report regarding the extra pigs at Goodmanham Lodge. It was not thought that this would cause any problems. It has been highlighted to ERYC that there are no 'pull-offs' on that road to allow lorries to pass but ERYC have commented that lorries will be there at 7 a.m. and so there would not be an issue.

56. Finance
 - a. **Clerk's Finance Report** - The current balance is £6,910.40. A copy of the accounts and reconciliation has been circulated. A monitoring report has been submitted for the ERYC grant. No issues have been raised by ERYC.

b. Payments

M Rook	Jubilee event expenses	£141.09
M Rook	Planting box expenses	£40.80
Zurich Municipal	Insurance	£336.71
Safety Supply Company	Line Marker	£24.51
East Riding Farm Services	Pig	£180.00
Wilson Services Ltd	Noticeboard installation	£234.00
Vizcom	Signs	£156.00
S P Stephenson	Expenses	£169.87

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S Gillard	Expenses	£49.96
J Sherlock	Salary	£147.21
HMRC	Tax	£36.60
J Sherlock	Home working expenses	£26.00
Bullguard (JS Refund)	Internet Security	£49.99
J Sherlock	Salary	£147.21
HMRC	Tax	£36.60
J Sherlock	Home working expenses	£26.00

c. Income

10.7.22	TSB	Interest	£2.75	R
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57. Councillors Reports

Cllr Cooper advised that Wateringdyke Lane was becoming very overgrown, and ERYC should be asked to cut it back. The path was difficult to walk down, and it is part of the Wolds Way. The Clerk to ask ERYC to look at it.

Cllr Gillard had been approached by a resident regarding whether a bin could be installed on the junction of the Hudson Way and Wolds Way as walking from the top meant there was no bin for some considerable distance. The Clerk to ask ERYC whether this is a possibility.

Cllr Sawyer had been asked where the large green council garden waste bags could be obtained. Could ERYC distribute some in the village? The Clerk to approach ERYC.

Cllr L Stephenson raised that the planters would need replanting soon. The ash trees also need cutting back. Cllrs Sawyer and Rook will liaise regarding the planters. It was suggested heathers be planted for the winter.

Cllr L Stephenson advised that she had received concerns about noise and antisocial behaviour in recent weeks from the pub & people leaving the pub in the early hours. It was noted that the music on BH Sunday did stop by 11pm. It was agreed to monitor this in future & was noted that special events of this nature are infrequent.

Cllr J Stephenson asked if the fire service had any information that would assist with the parking issue i.e. that they could not get a fire engine through. Fire service always say they can get down the road.

The residents' passes for the car park have been done and can be used once the signs are up. The letter has been redrafted and will be sent to the relevant residents. The lines in the car park need redoing and it may not be sustainable to keep spraying. This will be discussed further at the next meeting.

58. Clerks Report (for information) - none

59. Agenda Items for Next Meeting – Data Protection, Community Energy, Civility and Respect, Residents parking, Car Park.

60. Date and time of next meeting –Wednesday 2nd November at 7:00pm at the Fiddle Drill, Main Street, Goodmanham

..... Signature of Chair