

# CATTERLEN PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES # 81

A Meeting of the above Council took place on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2023. at 7.30 p.m. in the Village Hall. Newton Reigny.

PRESENT. Councillors A. Blackburn (Vice Chairman). K. Monaghan. J. Elliott. D. Bell. And the clerk F. P. Barbour.

APOLOGIES. Were received from Cllr. D. Savage, and E.D.C Councillors. Mrs. E. Martin, and Mr. D. Ryland.

MINUTES of the previous Meeting were read and agreed and signed by Vice Chairman A. Blackburn.

MATTERS ARISING. The clerk reported the late Queen Jubilee Benches were now installed in their designated locations. An invoice in the sum of £384.63p was paid for installation costs. The Green Power Generation, enquiry into the feasibility within the Parish, continues.

CORRESPONDENCE . A copy letter regarding traffic issues in Newton Reigny was received from C.C. Highways regarding roadside verges, on approaches to the Sun Inn. The C. C. C. Traffic Management Team's response is that improvements would be included in the 2023/24 financial year. Letter regarding proposed future increase in Domestic Council Tax 5% with a proposed 100% for Second Homes. An invitation to purchase King Charles 3<sup>rd</sup> Coronation Mugs was received. It was agreed to wait until near the time to see how the Parish wished to Celebrate the occasion. Notice was received from Electricity North West regarding a road closure along a section of the C3010 in Newton Reigny between the Sun Inn and Reigny Cottage. To begin 30<sup>th</sup> January, continuing to a possible date 10<sup>th</sup> February. 2023.

PRECEPT. The clerk presented the estimated budget requirement for the financial year 2023/24. Following a detailed discussion regarding Parish Council finances in general. It was unanimously agreed to set the Precept at £7000. showing no increase on the previous year.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS. It was noted there were increasing pot holes throughout the Parish, also recurring standing flood water on a dangerous location near to Sewborwens Farm Entrance. It was also reported the 30 mph speed warning unit, in Newton Reigny was not operating. The clerk agreed to inform Cumbria Highways. There being no other business to transact. The Meeting was closed at 8.30 p.m.

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