

CATTERLEN PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES. 95#

A Meeting of the above Council took place on Wednesday 29th October 2025. in the Village Hall. Newton Reigny.

PRESENT. Councillors. A. Blackburn. (chairman). J. Elliott. K. Monaghan.

D. Booker. C. Wright. W&F.C C. Cllr. C. Atkinson. And the clerk F. P. Barbour.

MINUTES. of the last Meeting, and Site Visit. were agreed, and signed as correct by Chairman A. Blackburn.

MATTERS ARISING. There were no matters arising which could not be transacted in the agenda.

CORRESPONDENCE. A notice of expected increase in CALC annual fee was received in the sum of £207. .49. E.mail copies regarding continuing foul smells experienced in Newton Reigny, suspected from waste disposal methods by Omega Proteins were received from Mr. A. Coleman. and discussed with interest. A letter of thanks from Sara Milland W&FCC with regard to recent repairs to the Play Area Equipment, and the cutting back of overhanging tree branches was received.

ACCOUNTS. The clerk reported receipt of the National Audit Certificate, regarding Approved Year End Accounts dated. 31st March 2025. The clerk noted payments made since last Meeting as follows :- D. Booker Joinery Play Area repairs £1293 . .35. Village Hall Grant Aid £700. Church Tree Removal Grant £500. Elan City 2 no. S.I.D. Traffic Speed Warning Units £5555 . .98. Bentley Electrical, Difibrillator Installation £439 . .80 . Moor Ltd National Audit Fee £283 . .50.

CHURCH YARD. Year end grass cutting invoice for cutting in Churchyard and Play Area. £1800. a cheque in that sum was completed It was once again noted that the Churchyard, and Play Area had been kept in a very tidy condition, The clerk agreed to convey thanks to W. Martindale for his continuing good work.

PLANNING. There were no planning matters to transact.

HIGHWAYS. An urgent need was agreed regarding the provision of more prominent speed restriction signage on the B5305 Catterlen, [t was agreed to request on the road markings to increase traffic awareness. The matter of increasing usage of The Catterlen—Newton Reigny road which is narrow and winding is causing local pedestrian and vehicular concerns. Newton Reigny Kiln Tofts—Sun Inn, highway suffering ongoing water emissions and pot holes, including faded white lineage at junction for Catterlen Hall, urgent attention requested. Having taken delivery of the new SID equipment, and the fixing column has been installed in Catterlen village, arrangements are in hand for completion of installation.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS. There being no other business to transact, the Chairman closed the Meeting at 8.10 p.m.

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