



Balne Parish Council

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## Meeting Minutes No 236

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2025 at 7.30pm in the Parish Room

Clerk: Mrs L Holliday

In attendance: Cllr Andrews, Cllr Lewis, Cllr Woods, Cllr Kealey

1. Apologies for absence
  - a. Cllr Faulkner absent - approved
2. No declarations of interest received
3. Minutes of meeting **235 held on 4<sup>th</sup> February 2025** confirmed as a true and correct record
4. To receive information on the following ongoing issues and decide further action where necessary:
  - a. **RESOLVED** the business deposit card & debit card have now both arrived
  - b. **ONGOING** website redevelopment is in progress
  - c. **ONGOING** Quickline fibre broadband – no new updates – availability within the village due to increase around 20<sup>th</sup> March
  - d. **ONGOING** Parish Council policies – there are further templates on the YLCA website that the clerk is adapting for the parish
  - e. **ONGOING** Advertising the parish room for public use
  - f. **RESOLVED** Highways Agency has repaired Toadham Lane
  - g. **ONGOING** Dykes and flooding around Balne – Cllr Lewis contacted the drainage board
  - h. **RESOLVED** Gritting for Balne village – it was decided that a gritting contract is not cost effective for the village
  - i. **RESOLVED** Village Halls week – Mon 17<sup>th</sup> March to Sun 23<sup>rd</sup> March – volunteers would like to showcase the history of Balne on Sat 22<sup>nd</sup>. Flyer to be produced and distributed to residents
  - j. **ONGOING** Micro councils group – disseminating knowledge between small councils – clerk to investigate further
  - k. **RESOLVED** Road safety enforcement review – no points to be actioned
  - l. **RESOLVED** East Riding Local Plan update – no points to be actioned
  - m. **RESOLVED** YLCA regional training day at Drax on 21<sup>st</sup> March – councillors to sign up for the day if they wish to attend
5. Matters requested by councillors/clerk:
  - a. **RESOLVED** Parish Boundary Map – would the parish like a digital map for the website? This can be provided by NYC if we have an Ordinance Survey licence for the parish. – Cllr Faulkner to research
6. Correspondence received:

To receive information on new correspondence and decide further action where necessary.  
Correspondence forwarded to Councillors for consideration prior to the meeting.

  - a. EDF electricity – credited bills for Aug, Sep, Oct and re-invoiced Aug to Jan – to investigate

7. Finance:
  - a. To receive and note the current bank balance as at 25<sup>th</sup> February 2025  
£5,233.02
  - b. To approve the following accounts for payment:
    - i. n/a
  - c. To note the following payments previously authorised:
    - i. Everflow £5.56 – water direct debit
    - ii. IONOS £10.80 – website direct debit
    - iii. Clerk salary Jan25 £276.28
8. To consider and decide upon the following planning applications:
  - a. None this month
9. To receive and note the following planning decisions/information:
  - a. None this month
10. Events:
  - a. None to consider
11. To notify the clerk of matters for inclusion on the agenda of the next meeting.
  - a. Defibrillator – refresher course on how to use the defibrillator
12. To confirm the date of the next meeting as **Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2025**

The chairman thanked everyone for attending. The meeting closed at 20.50.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Print name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_