

ULNES WALTON PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES of the Council Meeting held on 17 April 2023 in The Old School, Ulnes Walton Lane, Ulnes Walton commencing at 7.00 pm.

Present Councillors , P Doddenhof (Chairman), J Dalton, E Doran and N Watkinson.

Also present 1 Member of the public.

24/23 Apologies for Absence

Apologies were received from Cllr P Sloan

25/23 Declarations of Interests

None declared.

26/23 Minutes of the Meeting held on 13 March 2023

Resolved: the Minutes (as circulated) were approved and signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

27/23 Residents Surgery

Residents had reported issues with the children's home on Southport Road relating to young people leaving the home, entering gardens and running into the road. The residents have been advised to log the incidents. It was noted the application for another children's home at Auldene, 338 Southport Road had been withdrawn.

The poor condition of the New Lane road surface was mentioned. Lancashire County Council has been notified.

28/23 Planning Matters

23/00300/FULHH Erection of single storey rear extension following demolition of existing dairy at Ormerod House, Flag Lane

23/00307/CLEUD Application for a certificate of lawfulness for an existing use including the use of buildings for the stabling of horses with associated facilities and use of land as grazing fields and external riding arena at Greenacres, Ridley Lane, Croston

23/00194/FUL Front boundary wall 2.2m in height, comprising of rendered brick base and pillars with neo timber composite wood affect insert boards, creation of new access and 2.3m high gates at 267 Southport Road.

Resolved: an objection is to be submitted on the grounds the proposed height is felt to be excessive and should be reduced to 1.8m.

The Public Inquiry into the appeal by the Ministry of Justice against the refusal of application 21/01028/OUTMAJ for the new prison is to be reopened to consider new evidence relating to highway safety and capacity concerns. The date for the Inquiry is 19 September 2023.

29/23 Finance

Resolved: the current Monitoring Statement was approved and signed by the Chairman.

Resolved: the following payments were approved, the invoices having been inspected in accordance with fidelity guarantee requirements:

£ 90.15	Eccleston PC	Litter picking
£ 250.00	Ulnes Walton Charitable Fund	Room hire
£ 313.56	Staff costs	Salary, deductions and reimbursements

30/23 Asset Register

Councillors completed the annual review of the asset register.

Resolved: the Asset Register was approved and signed by the Chairman.

31/23 Reports from Outside Bodies

No reports.

32/23 Date of Next Meeting

Monday 15 May 2023.

A request from the Clerk to reschedule the June meeting was considered.

The meeting will take place on Monday 5 June 2023.

There being no further business the Chairman declared the meeting closed.