TISSINGTON & LEA HALL PARISH COUNCIL

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Unapproved Minutes of a Parish Council Meeting held in Tissington Village Hall on Tuesday 26 March 2024 at 7.00 pm

Present: Cllrs: Sir Richard FitzHerbert (Chair); Nigel Edwards-Walker (Vice-Chair), John Etches and

Stuart Naylor. 1 Member of the Public. Clerk: Brenda Kirkham

1. Welcome and apologies for absence

Cllr FitzHerbert welcomed everyone to the meeting. There were no apologies.

2. Declarations of Interest

Cllr Edwards-Walker declared an interest as a District Councillor. Cllr Carr declared an interest as a member of the Peak Park Parishes Forum.

3. Approval of Minutes of meeting held on the 23 January 2024

The Council resolved to accept the minutes of the last meeting as a true record of that meeting.

4. Matters Arising from the last meeting

Regarding the recent road closure at Darfield Cottages, Cllr FitzHerbert reported that it was very disappointing that there had been some animosity towards the workers and considerable damage to roadside verges by some inconsiderate motorists.

5. Invited comments from members of the public

No comments were received from members of the public.

6. Planning Applications for consideration at this meeting:

a) NP/DDD/0224/0212 - Bent Farm, Bent Lane, Tissington - Proposed agricultural building to house young livestock - Phase 1

The Council resolved to have no objection to this application. *Action: Clerk*

b) NP/DDD/0224/0214 - Bent Farm, Tissington - Agricultural building to house young livestock - Phase 2
The Council resolved to have no objection to this application. *Action: Clerk*

7. Housing Needs Survey – search for potential sites

A detailed map of possible sites had been sent to the Housing Needs Officer, a visit to look at the suggested locations is likely to take place in the near future.

8. General Business:

a) Roadside parking outside the Pre-School

The problem had improved a little and the situation was being monitored.

b) Entertainment for the Village Fete – 28 July

Derwent Valley Wind Band had agreed to play at the Fete. Clerk to apply to the Local Projects Fund for £100 towards the cost. *Action: Clerk*

c) Cattle Grids

The bars on the cattle grid near Keepers Cottage had moved, it also needed cleaning out as cattle were getting over. Clerk to send an email to Cllr Kewal Singh Athwel as Chair of the County Council Highways and to draw his attention to the potholes on Flatts Lane and the painting of white lines around the village which had still not been done. *Action: Clerk*

d) Posts around the Village Green

The Council resolved that the wooden posts around the village green needed to be replaced. Cllr FitzHerbert agreed to obtain quotes for replacements and erection. *Action: Cllr FitzHerbert*

9. Financial Report & Administration:

a) Parish Council Risk Management Strategy and Risk Management Scheme

The Parish Council resolved to approve the risk management strategy and risk management scheme as presented, these would now be published on the Parish Council website. *Action: Clerk*

b) Authorisation of Bank Payments

The attempt to add Cllr Etches to the electronic banking had not been successful. The Clerk to submit another application.

c) Update on Finances & Audit

The balance in the current account was £4,686.28.

d) Items for approval and payment at this meeting

The Council resolved to pay the following items electronically:

Clerk's Salary - January	86.40
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DALC Annual Membership	86.23
HMRC	64.80

10. Clerk's Report & Correspondence

The Clerk reminded Councillors that elections for the Police & Crime Commissioner and a Major for Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire would be held on the 2 May. *Action: Clerk*

11. Village Highways/Tissington Estate Business:

a) Update on items previously reported:

- Repainting of the White lines around the Village Green; this work was still outstanding. Action Clerk
- Cattlegrids around the village still needed to be cleaned out as they were no longer stock proof and fit for purpose. **Action: Clerk**
- A bar had moved on the Darfield cattle grid near Keepers Cottage. Action: Clerk
- The potholes on Flatts Lane had been reported. Action: Clerk

b) Issues raised at this meeting:

- Repair work to Tissington Gates was now completed; Council resolved to request that the metal side gates be replaced with wooden ones. Clerk to email Cllr Kewal Singh Athwel. Action: Clerk
- Cllr Carr stated that after 53 years he wished to tender his resignation as a Parish Councillor. Cllr
 Carr was thanked for his work. The vacancy would be advertised in due course. Action: Clerk

12. Dates for forthcoming Meetings

Tuesday 21 May 2024 at 7 pm in the Village Hall. The Meeting closed 19.30.

Signed	Dated