## ROMANBY PARISH COUNCIL Minutes of the ORDINARY Parish Council Meeting Held on Tuesday 8 April 2025 At Romanby Parish Office

Present: Chair: Councillor S Bradnam

Councillors: K G Hardisty, S Adsett, A Deas, N Jones,

J Davies

Clerk/RFO: A W Lambert

Public: None Police: None

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25 / 55 Introductions / Welcome	The Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting.	
25 / 56 Declarations of Business Interests	To Note Any Declarations of Business (or other) Interests by Elected Members There were no declarations of Business (or other) interests.	
25 / 57 Apologies	To Receive Any Apologies for Absence by an Elected Member Councillors B Phillips, D A Atkinson, P Wilkinson, J Town, D Jemson, A Everington.	
25 / 58 Open Forum	To Hold Open Forum Nothing to report.	
25 / 59 Minutes	To Approve and Sign the Minutes of the Previous Meeting The minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on Tuesday 11 March 2025 had been circulated prior to the meeting.  Resolved: That the minutes be agreed as a correct record and signed by the Chair.	
25 / 60 Matters Arising	To Consider Any Matters Arising from the Previous Meeting which have not been Signed Off There were no matters arising.	
25 / 61 Clerk's Report	To Receive the Clerk's Report  Circulated: The Clerk's Report which included the following information:  Administration  Office space storage – tamba unit acquired free of charge from NYC.  Barclaysafe contents – deeds to be stored in the safe for the timebeing.  Finance and Resources  The Staffing Committee date to be arranged. The admin. assistant post has been advertised with a closing date of 2 May 2025.  Parks and Recreation  It was noted that the first operational inspection had taken place.  Councillor Jones to report under Parks and Recreation item.	Staffing Comm.

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	A report on the work to the War Memorial Clock was noted.	
25 / 62 Police Report	To Consider the Police Report It was noted that the March police report had been received and was noted.	
25 / 63 Any other Authority	To Receive a Report from any other Authority There was no report from any other Authority.	
25 / 64 Governance Committee	To Receive a Verbal Report from the Governance Committee It was noted that the Governance Committee had not met. A draft Reserves Policy would be discussed at the May meeting.	
25 / 65 Finance & Resources Committee	To Receive a Report from the Finance Committee To Approve the Invoices Received Since the Previous Meeting Circulated: The list of invoices to be paid since the last meeting for approval. Resolved: That the invoices be unanimously agreed.  Bank Reconciliation The bank reconciliation for April 2025 was noted.	
	Finance Checks It was noted that the next and final finance check for the financial year would be arranged.	
25 / 66 Parks & Recreation Committee	To Receive a Report on Parks and Recreation Councillor Jones reported that Synergy had undertaken the operational inspection. He was currently making his way through the report, and this would be discussed at the Parks and Recreation Committee to be held on Friday 2 May 2025. Urgent work to the large slide at Ainderby Road Leisure Park would be undertaken that week. Work to the springer at Carroll Close was required along with the roundabout and seesaw.	
	Some plumbing work is required at the Memorial Garden. Councillor Jones to see if he can do this in the first instance. Spring bulbs had been planted.	
25 / 67 Projects & Planning Committee	To Receive a Report from the Projects & Planning Committee Planning The planning application list was noted.  War Memorial Clock The brick test was awaited.	
	Staffing Review Work was ongoing with the staffing review.	Staffing Comm.
25 / 68 Joint Burial Committee	To Receive a Report from the Joint Management Committee (N/A/Romanby JBC) Councillor Hardisty reported that the cemetery was tidy, and grass-cutting had started.	
25 / 69	To Consider any Reports from Outside Organisations	
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Outside Organisations	There were no reports.	
25 / 70 Correspond- ence	To Receive Any Correspondence and Action Taken Circulated: A list of correspondence received since the last meeting. The correspondence list was noted.	
25 / 71 Member Reports	To Receive any Member Reports It was noted at this point that Councillor Bradnam was retiring the next day from his teaching role. The Parish Council offered their best wishes and thanked him for all he does for the Parish Council.	
25 / 72 Date of the Next Meeting	To Confirm the Date, Time and Location of the Next Meeting Tuesday 13 May 2025 commencing at 7.00 pm. This was the Annual meeting of the Parish Council.  All meetings to commence at 7.00 pm at the Parish Office.	ALL

There being no further business the meeting closed at 8.00 pm.

<u>April 2025</u>