

# ALLITHWAITE AND CARTMEL PARISH COUNCIL

## MINUTES OF ALLITHWAITE AND CARTMEL PARISH COUNCIL HELD VIA ZOOM ON THURSDAY 15<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2021

**Present:** Cllr Johnson (Chair), Cllr Anderson, Cllr Dean, Cllr Huggett, Cllr Lamb (vice-Chair), Cllr Lewis, Cllr Sanderson, Cllr Sim, Cllr Simpson and Julie Hendry, Parish Clerk ([acpc.clerk@gmail.com](mailto:acpc.clerk@gmail.com))

Item	Action Point	Person
1	<b>Apologies received from:</b> Cllr Gardner	
2	<b>Declarations of interest/Requests for Dispensations:</b> None received	
3	<b>Minutes of the previous meeting of FGWG held on 8 March 2021 and of the Parish Council held on 11 March 2021:</b> Noted and accepted as a true reflection of the meeting by the Council	
4	<b>Public Participation:</b> a. Community participation: No matters raised by the attending member of the public b. District Council update: None received c. County Council update: Report previously submitted by Cllr Sanderson. Additional comments made and noted included: Local Government review (LGR) intention is to continue to maintain local links with increased devolution and Cllr Huggett asked whether increased funding would follow devolution to Parish Councils. A review into speed camera provision on A590 from Ayside to Greenodd has been proposed and that the newly established change to the Swan, Newby Bridge junction has caused issues and further work is required to ensure safety and compliance with the “no right turn” at this junction. Cllr Dean asked whether Cllr Sanderson could raise the adoption of Cartmel footbridge by CCC as ACPC still has liability for the structure. d. Police report: Police monthly newsletter circulated	SS
5	<b>Action from Previous Minutes</b> (if not covered elsewhere on the agenda) a. Neighbourhood Plan update: Cllr Dean reported no further update available. b. Dates of future meetings including AGM, Annual Parish meeting and production of annual reports: Cllr Johnson and the Parish Clerk agreed to confirm a meeting date for the AGM/Open Meeting. Cllr Lamb requested that Allithwaite Community Centre should also be used to ensure presence in both of the main centres of the community, and it was agreed that he would ascertain availability of the venue. Cllr Lewis also requested that an occasional afternoon meeting should be held to attract wider participation.	CJ/JH  ML
6	<b>Correspondence (as previously circulated):</b> a. CVS meeting minutes circulated for information were noted. b. Cartmel Racecourse parking charges: Cllr Johnson updated the meeting on the new system that came into effect on 12 April and following further discussion Councillors expressed concern that overnight or long-stay use by motorhomes or other vehicles could prevent use by day visitors and on drainage/water supplies if camping “toilets” were discharged into the existing toilet facilities. It was agreed that Cllr Johnson would approach the owners/mangers of the car park to raise these concerns.	CJ

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	<p>c. Community orchard offer: Cllr Sim reported on an offer made by a member of the public to donate surplus fruit trees to be planted in the orchard. As the orchard is planted to capacity discussion ensued about the potential donation of the trees to other local groups following an enquiry by Cllr Lewis. Cllr Sim agreed to provide contact details for Cllr Lewis to pursue the matter.</p>	<b>SS/RL</b>
<b>7</b>	<p><b>Local Government Reorganisation Consultation</b>  The Consultation closes on 19th April and the Parish Council wishes to consider a response following discussion.  Following much discussion on two proposals, The Bay and One Cumbria options, it was agreed to support The Bay as the PC preferred option with 5 votes <i>versus</i> 3 votes for One Cumbria. Cllr Dean agreed to send his previously documented summary as the response on behalf of the PC.</p>	<b>BD</b>
<b>8</b>	<p><b>Planning:</b>  The Parish Council discussed the following applications to enable a response to be made to SLDC Planning Committee:</p> <p>a. Consideration of relevant planning applications:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. <b>SL/2021/0206</b> for Blenkett Farm, Jack Hill Allithwaite. Application for a Certificate of lawfulness to establish that a material start of work has been carried out in respect of planning permission 5/92/1762 (conversion of redundant barn to two dwellings).  The Parish Council <b>OBJECT</b> to this application.</li> <li>ii. <b>SL/2021/0282</b> for Burnleigh Garret House Lane from Cartmel to Becksid Cartmel. Alterations to rear of dwelling.  The Parish Council <b>SUPPORT</b> this application.</li> <li>iii. <b>SL/2021/0317</b> for Greenfield Lodge, Aynsome Road, Cartmel. Demolition of existing house and construction of replacement dwelling.  The Parish Council agreed to <b>SUPORFT</b> this application subject to a geological survey demonstrating no impact on the nearby aquifer.</li> <li>ii. <b>Cartmel SL/2021/0321</b> relates to upgrading of the existing racecourse car park including drainage. Cllr Johnson agreed to follow up this application with the applicant prior to a decision being made by the Parish Council.</li> <li>i. <b>SL/2021/0332</b> Old Bar, Cavendish Street. The Parish Council agreed to <b>SUPPORT</b> this application.</li> <li>ii. <b>SL/2020/0337</b> Fairfield Lodge. Cllr Dean had previously circulated a summary of issues to Councillors on 15/4 and it was agreed that he would follow this up in conjunction with Cllr Sanderson who agreed to highlight the Highways issues pertinent to this application.</li> </ul> <p>b. Notification of an Appeal - Land south of Hags Lane, Cartmel LA11 6PH - <b>SL/2017/0732</b>.  It was agreed that the Parish Clerk would re-circulate the email produced by Cllr Dean in order to further develop and agree the next steps in responding to the appeal.</p>	<p><b>CJ</b></p> <p><b>BD/SS</b></p> <p><b>BD/JH</b></p>
<b>9</b>	<p><b>Environment, climate and sustainability:</b>  Cllr Lewis provided an update on the Greening campaign and reported that PEAT have now distributed seeds in the local area which would be followed by seedlings. Next steps include a public meeting being held on 5 May 21.</p>	



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>b. Approval of the Parish Asset Register as a true record of the assets owned and/or managed by the Parish Council as of end of March 2021</li><li>c. Media Working Group (MWG) update on website development</li><li>d. Findings of structural survey of cottage and outbuildings</li><li>e. Development of a policy and process to formally assess proposals for large/Capital schemes within the Parish and to enable their approval, commencement and monitoring</li></ul>	
<b>16</b>	<b>Next Meeting</b> The next meeting will take place on 24 <sup>th</sup> May 2021 at 7pm in Cartmel Village Hall	<b>ALL</b>