

Kettlebaston Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Wednesday 9th November 2022 at Kettlebaston Village Hall at 7.00pm

Present: Cllrs Rob Butler (Chairman), Ben Flockton, Graham Cranfield, Louise Daniels and June Carpenter

Attending: Lucinda Rogers (Clerk)

68/22 Apologies for Absence

Cllrs Stephen Phillips, Stephen Marzal and County/District Cllr Robert Lindsay

69/22 Declaration of Interests and Requests for Dispensation

None

70/22 Minutes of the meeting held on on 28th September 2022

The minutes of the meeting were approved by the councillors and signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

71/22 Report from Cllr Lindsay – The report from Cllr Lindsay had been circulated and was noted. Clerk to place notice in Roundabout magazine to ascertain how many cars have been damaged in the flood by Bridge Farm.

72/22 Public Forum

No members of the public were present. A resident had raised a problem with vehicles using Valley Lane as a cut through. It is a restricted byway. Clerk to check if there are any restrictions on the byway

73/22 Defibrillator

Cllr Cranfield reported that the defibrillator is up and running following the software update. Thanks were expressed to Cllr Cranfield.

74/22 Planning Matters

a). Babergh have approved application DC/22/04257 – Erection of recreational ancillary outbuildings at Bridge Farm, Preston Road, Kettlebaston

b). The Councillors considered the application and agreed to support the application DC/22/04846 – Erection of 1no new energy efficient sustainable dwellinghouse following demolition of existing barn (in lieu of the dwelling approved under DC/20/04750 at Old Rectory, Rectory Lane, Kettlebaston due to the application's sympathetic approach to the special landscape area and sustainability as aiming for passive house standards

75/22 Notice board wording for Queen Elizabeth II – Dave Francis is working on the wording to reflect the year of Queen Elizabeth II's death

76/22 Clerk/RFO Report

The Councillors approved the outstanding invoices and finance report

The Councillors agreed to pay the national pay award to the Clerk

77/22 Councillors reports

Concern was raised about 3 Highlands Road, Monks Eleigh as a van is often parked in the road restricting access. Clerk to write to Monks Eleigh parish council

78/22 Date of the next meeting

Parish Council Meeting 7pm Wednesday 18th January 2023

The meeting closed at 7.45pm

