



Gateforth Parish Council

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MINUTES OF GATEFORTH PARISH COUNCIL

An Extra Ordinary meeting of Gateforth Parish Council was held on Thursday 20th July 2023 at 19:30 at Chapel Haddlesey Community Hall

17609. Attendance/Welcome: Present: Cllrs Caroline Shaw (Chair), Richard Longbottom and Diane Osborne. Graham Earnshaw – Parish Clerk was also in attendance. There were no members of the public in attendance.

17610. Apologies: Apologies had been received from Cllrs Diane Hey and Tony Parkin. The Council agreed to accept the reasons for absence.

17611. Declarations and Dispensations: There were no declarations of interest or requests for dispensations made.

17612. Thorpe Willoughby meeting regarding Parish Boundary Changes:

Cllrs Shaw and Collier had attended a meeting on 27 June 2023 with representatives from Thorpe Willoughby and Hambleton Parish Councils to discuss the changing of the Thorpe Willoughby boundary to reflect the Selby by-pass impacting on Gateforth PC and Hambleton PC to ensure all planning applications could be administered by the affected Parish Council.

A series of maps were presented to attendees at the meeting showing the options for the suggested boundary changes.

Gateforth Parish Council looked at the maps and discussed the proposals and agreed that all the councillors from Gateforth Parish Council should attend the next meeting regarding boundary changes, which is scheduled to take place in September.

Action: Clerk to contact Thorpe Willoughby PC to advise that councillors from Gateforth PC would attend the next meeting regarding the proposed boundary changes.

Cllr Shaw said she wouldn't want to see the amalgamation of the 3 Parish Councils into a single entity but did want to work together with the other Parish Councils in the future.

Cllr Osborne mentioned the email from Hambleton PC regarding the Hambleton East Proposal. This issue also demonstrated that it was important for the Parish Councils to support each other regarding proposals such as this.

17613. Planning

a) Applications for consideration

ZG2023/0657/HPA– Erection of front porch at 1 Chancery Court, Gateforth

The Parish Council did not have any objections to this planning application.

17614: Date of next meeting: The Parish Council noted that the next ordinary Parish Council meeting was scheduled to take place on Monday 4th September 2023 at 7.30pm. The Clerk informed the Chair that he wasn't available to attend this meeting.

Action: Clerk to contact councillors to arrange a new date for the next meeting in September.

The meeting closed at 7.50pm.