

# **FARNHILL PARISH COUNCIL**

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## **MINUTES OF THE EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF FARNHILL PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON THE 1 SEPTEMBER 2022 AT 7.00PM**

### **PRESENT**

Councillor. D Atkinson (Chairman), Councillors, J Walton, S Close, S Trigg, J McFarlane, J Waring, A Brown and Clerk J Fieldhouse.

#### **131/22     APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Chairman D Atkinson for slight lateness.

#### **132/22     PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

**None present**

#### **133/22     DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS**

Councillor S Trigg wished to have a disclaimer read into the minutes that she is participating in Council Business in her own right as a Councillor and not as a lawyer, as she is not insured to give legal advice in her personal capacity and any issues that arise that require a legal opinion must be confirmed by the Parish Council's own lawyers.

Councillor J Waring, a Neighbor of the applicant  
Councillor J McFarlane, been collecting residents' views on the application.

#### **134/22     TO DISCUSS THE PLANNING APPLICATION FOR A PROPERTY ON STARKEY LANE, FARNHILL, KEIGHLEY, BD20 9AW REF: 2022/24221/HH.**

Given the above disclosure of interest by both Councillor J Waring and J McFarlane it was agreed that they would abstain from voting.

After an in-depth discussion it was agreed by all remaining Councillors that the council would support the application on the proviso that the issue of overlooking is resolved, and the parish are kept informed by planning officers throughout the process.

#### **135/22     TO DISCUSS THE NEW COUNCIL TAX PROPOSALS AND POST ANY COMMENTS FROM THE PARISH COUNCIL BY 18<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2022.**

It was agreed that in general there are no objections except the level of threshold which seems very low given recent increase in cost of living.

**136/22     TO TRANSFER FUNDS FROM THE BUSINESS ACCOUNT INTO THE  
COMMUNITY ACCOUNT.**

Chairman proposed that £5000.00 was transferred Councillor J McFarlane and Councillor S Trigg  
2<sup>nd</sup> this. All other Councillors agreed.

**DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL  
TO BE HELD ON THURSDAY 29 SEPTEMBER 2022 @ 7.30PM IN  
KILDWICK/FARNHILL INSTITUTE  
All members of the village are welcome to attend.**