

**MINUTES TO THE MEETING OF THWING & OCTON PARISH COUNCIL  
HELD ON MONDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2025 7PM,  
AT CHURCH ROOMS, CHURCH LANE, THWING**

**Present:** Cllr S Morrison (Chairman); Cllrs A Frost; J Blott; J Hare; E Harrison and M Jibson

**Guest:** Ward Cllr J Owen

**Minutes were taken by Cllr Morrison in the absence of the clerk**

**1219. The Chairman welcomed** members and guest

**1220. To receive apologies** - Cllr Burdass and Cllr Lancaster – Cllr Turnbull absent.

**1221. To receive a Declaration of Pecuniary or Non-Pecuniary Interest** – none

**1222. To agree on minutes of the meeting held on the 12<sup>th</sup> May 2025 for the Annual & Ordinary Meeting** – proposed Cllr Frost seconded Cllr Blott. Resolved

**1223. To agree to open the meeting to Ward Councillors and members of the public** – Cllr Owen discussed the outstanding issues and advised that the clerk had received a full response, as attached at appendix a

**1224. Correspondence for information and action**

- i. ERNLLCA Newsletter - circulated
- ii. ERNLLCA AGM – circulated Cllr Blott to attend the AGM
- iii. Parish & Town Newsletter - circulated
- iv. ERNLLCA Funding for community projects – circulated noted that the Council had already been successful in receiving funding from a previous round in 2019, an a feasibility study had been undertaken, the results of which are available.
- v. NALC Star Council Awards 2025/2026 - circulated

**1225. Community for Information and Action**

- vi. To Note Driffild School's Twilight Bus Correspondence – proposed Cllr Frost seconded Cllr Hare, that a donation of £50 to be given, as per the budget. Resolved.
- vii. To receive an update of the official opening of the Heritage Trail, which took place on 16<sup>th</sup> May 2 pm – The opening walk was on a Friday afternoon, and it was proposed by Cllr Hare that another 'group' walk be undertaken on a Sunday to allow a more diverse range of walkers. A Summer Sunday Thwing Walk at the end of July to be promoted on Facebook sites of neighbouring parishes and also in the East Wolds Newsletter.
- viii. To receive an update on any outstanding issues see comments from Ward Cllr Owen
- ix. East Wolds Community Newsletter update – it was noted that a new editor has taken over the running of the magazine, and a request for support both by the way of finance and articles has been made. It was proposed by Cllr Hare and seconded by Cllr Harrison that the Council offer a monetary support of £100, as well as articles re the Heritage

- Trail, and the new village insignias that have been generously donated by a local resident. Some of the insignias have already been fixed to the village planters. Resolved.
- x. Thwing Playground Update- to be pursued.

#### 1226. Planning

**To Comment:** Land North East Of Eastgate Farm 25/01200/PLF

Erection of a livestock building with associated feed bins, hardstanding and access

<https://newplanningaccess.eastriding.gov.uk/newplanningaccess/PLAN/25/01200/PLF>

Proposed by Cllr Frost and seconded by Cllr Hare that no objections be raised, subject to conditions covering access protection of the PROW, and that no vehicles travel through the village. Resolved

#### 1227. Finance

- I. **To agree on** receipts and payments to date – proposed Cllr Hare seconded Cllr Blot. Resolved
- II. **To agree on** bank reconciliation to date – Bank Balance £10,266.68 as of 03.06.2025- Proposed Cllr Jibson seconded Cllr Harrison. Resolved
- III. **To agree on** payments as per schedule 2 – proposed Cllr Hare seconded Cllr Jibson. Resolved.
- IV. **To approve** the following payments: proposed Cllr Hares seconded Cllr Jibson. Resolved  
BRC Gardening Inv 492 £185.00
- V. **To agree to** final details of Clerk's email account in line with changes made to the Practitioners Guide (Email management - every authority must now have a generic email account hosted on an authority-owned domain)- to defer until September meeting when clerk returns and then any costs can be covered in the budget for 2026/2027. Agreed
- VI **To Review** Current year's Budget – reviewed no issues were raised.
- VII **To Agree** amount to transfer to Hinckley & Rugby Savings Proposed Cllr Harrison seconded Cllr Jibson an initial amount of £4000.00 be transferred. Resolved

**1228. Review and agree to Finance Risk** assessment additional risks covering events and The Mere management to be included. All agreed.

The deterioration of the tank track was discussed briefly – and it was suggested that the clerk search for funding to preserve this heritage asset for future generations.

**1229.** Review Parish Calendar – next meeting 14<sup>th</sup> July – agenda items to include all outstanding issues raised with ERYC; the 6 month rule for councillors none attendance to meetings; The village Playground; Defibrillator maintenance package.

**Meeting Closed 8.15pm**

**Signed as a true record**

**Chairman**

**Date.**