



Menston Parish Council Extraordinary Parish Council Meeting Thursday 1st February 2024 at 7.05pm MINUTES

Present: Councillors Philip Moore (Chairman), Marilyn Banister, Lisa Greer, Chris Steele and Jo White

In attendance: Simon D'Vali (Bradford Council), Catriona Hanson (Parish Clerk)

2024/027 Welcome and introduction from the Chairman of the Parish Council
Councillor Moore welcomed everyone to the meeting.

2024/028 To receive any apologies for absence
Apologies for absence were received and accepted from Councillor Dale Smith.

2024/029 To receive any disclosures of interest or requests for dispensation
No further disclosures of interest from those made at the Annual Parish Council meeting were given at the meeting and no requests for dispensation had been received by the Clerk.

2024/030 Finance – to consider a financial contribution towards the proposed works to improve the junctions of Bingley Road/Main Street and Main Street/Cleasby Road.

Simon D'Vali addressed the meeting about the proposed highway improvements in the village. He advised the meeting that the proposed improvement works at the junction of Bingley Road and Main Street and that the proposed speed table at the junction of Cleasby Road and Main Street (the latter was being developed following a consultation exercise with Menston residents) were outside the financial scope of the road improvement programme agreed by Bradford Council.

Mr D'Vali agreed to forward details and costs of the proposed schemes to the Clerk for circulation to the Parish Council and to arrange a site meeting with the Engineer in order to discuss measures further.

Simon D'Vali agreed to ask his colleagues, Saira Ali and John Davies to contact us for a site meeting to provide additional advice about other measures for Menston such as the Lane Ends junction and Low Hall Road.

RESOLVED: the Parish Council agreed in principle to set aside £25,000 towards the improvement works at the Bingley Road/Main Street and Cleasby Road/Main Street junctions and to re-affirm that the Parish Council will contribute £10,000 towards a safe road crossing on Main Street outside Menston Primary School.

Proposed: Councillor Steele
Carried unanimously.

Councillor Moore thanked Mr D'Vali for attending the meeting.

There was no further business and the meeting ended at 7.55pm