

Minutes of the meeting of South Kilvington Parish Council held on Monday 10th March 2025 at 19:30 held at St Wilfrid's Church

Date/Time	Monday 12th May 2025
Chair	Cllr B Hitchen
Parish Councillors	Cllr's; J Martin, ; C Cogswell
Guests	T Cussons, Cllr A Baker (only for section 5)
Parish Clerk	Luke Barletta ('LLB')

1. Welcome

- 1.1. Cllr B Hitchen welcomed those present.
- 1.2. Apologies from Cllr Southwell; J Easton

2. Conflicts of interest

- 2.1. Cllr Easton, Cllr Martin and Parish Clerk are all members of Thirsk Against Battery Storage.

3. Minutes of the last Parish Council Meeting

- 3.1. The minutes from the meeting held on Monday 10th March 2025 were tabled and approved.

4. Matters arising

- 4.1. Village summer party - agreed the date of Saturday 5th July - 3pm prompt. Cllr Martin to provide a Risk Assessment. Agreed to be a DIY BBQ,
- 4.2. BESS ZB24/O2454/HYB - The planning officer has requested that a full environmental impact be undertaken for the proposed planning application. An additional letter of objection from the Parish Council was submitted following the last meeting. It is worth noting that the following statutory consultees have raised objections: The National Park, The Ramblers Association, Yorkshire Water, South Kilvington Parish Council, Bagby Parish Council, Thirsk Town Council, Sowerby Parish Council, Sutton under W Parish Council, Hillside Parish Council, Principal Landscape Architect.
- 4.3. Village field - Cllr Easton to discuss the field with the owner and collection of overdue rent.
- 4.4. Beck Lane (ZB25/00197/MRC) (22/01486/OUT) - A modification/variation of conditions 8 and 10 has been granted but noted that the granting of permission also attracts more reserved matters.

5. Update for Cllr A Baker (left the meeting 19:58)
 - 5.1. Bicycles for young asylum seekers are needed, anyone free to donate a bike please get in touch with Cllr A Baker.
 - 5.2. Anyone with any land available across the village that wants it considering for future development - it can be put forward.
 - 5.3. Cllr A Baker has a surgery between 10am and 2pm on Thirsk Auction Mart.
 - 5.4. Boundary changes for the parish council. It is being proposed that South Kilvington Parish Council will be joining Thirsk as opposed to remaining within Hillside. It was felt that it would be more suitable that SKPC remains within Hillside, due to our agricultural connections and the fact that this would also mirror the Church of England proposed changes to the new church boundaries.
 - 5.5. Cllr Hitchen asked if Cllr Baker could raise the matter of the unresponsive Combined Authority with Cllr Dadd as SKPC received no reply after 12 months and 4 requests on the 20mph query.
6. Finance
 - 6.1. Cheques approved in the meeting;
 - 6.2. WJPS - £232.80 for email
 - 6.3. YLCA - £154
7. Next meeting
 - 7.1. Monday 14th July 2025 - St Wilfred's Church

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Cllr B Hitchen

Chair

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Luke Barletta

Parish Clerk