MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF BUTTERWICK PARISH COUNCIL HELD IN THE VILLAGE HALL ON _TUESDAY 8 JULY 2025

Present: Chairman: A Gosling

Councillor: C Gosling, K Forman, L Pearson, A Quickfall, J Barton

Also present Mrs C Anderton – Clerk of the Council

Public Forum

There were no matters for the public forum.

2025/60 Apologies

Apologies were received prior to the meeting from Cllr C Smith, Cllr P Bedford and Cllr D Broughton.

2025/61 Receipt of any declarations of interest in accordance with the requirements of the Localism Act 2011.

There were no interests declared.

2025/62 Approval of the minutes of the previous meeting

It was **RESOLVED** that the notes of the meeting held 10 June 2025 be approved and signed by the Chairman.

2025/63 Reports from Lincolnshire County Council and Boston Borough Council

The Chairman conveyed a written report from Cllr D Broughton to members.

2025/64 Butterwick Park

The clerk confirmed that the park inspection had been booked and was awaiting confirmation of a date. The clerk also confirmed that there had been positive feedback regarding the footpath. Cllr C Gosling reported that it appeared that weeds were already coming through however it was unclear if this was a result of growing in soil on top of the tarmac or through the tarmac itself. The Chairman stated that he would have a closer inspection and would report it to Vere Bros if it was through the tarmac.

2025/65 Bus Provision through the village

The clerk confirmed that she had received a call from a member of the team dealing with the request who reported that the safety audit had been completed and identified the site as unsafe due to it being on the junction with Homers Lane/A52. The clerk expanded on the reasoning behind the request and the team member confirmed he would go back to the Safety Audit team and ask for their recommendations on a safe site and would also liaise with the local bus services to see if the timetable could be reviewed to add on further trips through the village.

2025/66 Events

Cllr Barton confirmed that she had received positive feedback for a Children's Christmas party and a summer event for 2026. Members discussed the subject and suggested that it would be more appropriate for an external committee to look at arranging these events.

2025/67 Finance

It was **RESOLVED** to accept the payments as per the payment sheet 07/2025.

2025/68 Matters for discussion or to be added to the next agenda.

There were no matters to discuss or add to the next agenda

2025/69 Date of the next Parish Council Meeting

Date of the next Meeting of the Parish Council will be held on Tuesday 12 August 2025. There being no further business to discuss, the Chairman thanked those in attendance and declared the meeting closed.