

Minutes of Witton Gilbert Parish Council held on 9th November 2020 at 6.30 pm virtually through Zoom

- 20/73 Apologies: - Councillor A. Simpson.
Present: - Councillors F Reynolds, G Brown, P Guy, D Lynch, L Murphy, L Hope and A. Hillary.
Also present: - G Thompson (Clerk), DC Rider (Assistant Clerk), B Coult (County Councillor)
- 20/74 Declarations of Interest: - None
- 20/75 Questions and comments from electors of the Parish: - None
- 20/76 Minutes: - The minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 12th October 2020 were approved as a true record and signed by the Chairman.
- 20/77 Matters Arising: - None.
- 20/78 Correspondence – The Clerk reported on the following Correspondence: -
- Durham County Council Neighbourhood Budget application approval towards Allotment Garden Purchase
 - H and H Land and Estates - Red Book Evaluation Allotment Gardens
 - Witton Gilbert Primary School - Donation from County Durham AAP towards PPE for the School
 - Fulforth Centre – Further hot meal provision
 - Application from S Rangarajan for an allotment garden. Members agreed to add S Rangarajan to the waiting list.
- 20/79 Accounts for payment: -

H & H	Professional Fees	607.20
H M Customs G T	Income Tax October	136.60
E.on	Electricity	1.07
N Crozier	Maintenance September	231.00
Witton Gilbert Primary School	AAP Donation for PPE	200.00
Witton Gilbert Village Hall	Donation	4000.00
D Hardy	RBL Wreath	25.00
PWLB	Loan Repayments	556.70

- 20/80 Reports: - County Councillor Coult reported on the approval of the County Durham Plan, the latest information on the Covid 19 infection rate in County Durham, a Walkabout by herself and County Councillor Simpson in Witton Gilbert and Speeding problems in Witton Gilbert. The Clerk reported on developments regarding the Allotment Gardens.
- 20/81 Parish Council Newsletter: - The Assistant Clerk reported that the next edition (Issue 60) is planned to be out in January.
- 20/82 Neighbourhood Plan Monitoring Committee: - The Clerk reported on the latest meeting of the Committee.
- 20/83 Witton Gilbert Parish Council - Precept 2021 – 2022: - After a short discussion it was agreed to defer this item to a later date.

As there was no further business the meeting closed at 7.02 p.m.

Signed..... Councillor F Reynolds Chairman 7th December 2020