

MELDON PARISH COUNCIL
MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON
WEDNESDAY 13TH NOVEMBER 2024
AT 7.30PM IN DYKE NEUK, MELDON

Present:

Councillors: G Sanger (Chairman)
A Lloyd (arrived at 7.55pm)
H Waddington
J Garnett
A Frankland
T Garnick
A Driver
A Taylor

Clerk: Miss D Smith

Apologies: None

50. **Chairman's Announcements**

The Chairman welcomed everyone present.

The Chairman advised members that Peter Herzberg has resigned from the Council. Thanks were given. The Clerk will inform Democratic Services at Northumberland County Council.

51. **Declarations of Interest**

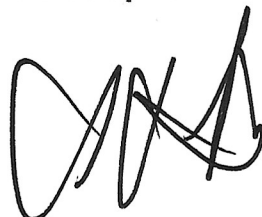
There were no declarations on this occasion.

52. **Public Participation Time**

There were no public present or public questions on this occasion.

53. **Police Update**

There was no update on this occasion.



12/3/2025.

54. Report from the County Councillor

There was no update on this occasion.

55. Minutes of the meeting held on 11th September 2024

Members were asked to approve the draft minutes of the above meeting.

RESOLVED

That the above minutes, a copy of which has been previously circulated to each member, be approved and signed as correct by the Chairman.

56. Town and Country Planning Act 1990

There were no planning applications to consider on this occasion.

57. Financial Matters

a. Members were provided, for information, with a payments and receipts list and budget report up to 31th October 2024.

b. Members were asked to consider the budget for 2025/26.

RESOLVED

i. To note and approve the above financial reports.

ii. To levy a precept of £2345 on Northumberland County Council, representing a 0% increase.


58. Defibrillator - Molesden

There was no update on this occasion.

RESOLVED

To remove this item from the agenda.

59. Highways

a.  Members reported that the signage at the passing places at ~~Wylford Steads~~ and Molesden is either fallen or blank. It was also noted that vehicles are parking in the passing places, reducing the effectiveness of these areas.

b. **Bus Service Improvement Plan**

Cllr Garnick advised members that he has been advised that Northumberland County Council are planning to install a Saturday 419 service in March 2025, which will feature two round trips to Morpeth, covering Hartburn, the Dyke Neuk and Meldon. The route is subject to a risk assessment from Arriva to ensure it is suitable for buses and a timetable is still to be finalised.

RESOLVED

- i. To report the parking places issues to Northumberland County Council.
- ii. Members welcomed the news about the proposed new bus service.

60. **Environment & Climate Change Issues**

There were no issues to discuss on this occasion.

61. **Any Other Urgent Business**

Power Interruptions in Molesden.

The Clerk advised members that she had reported them to Northern Powergrid and was awaiting a response.

62. **Date & Time of Next Meeting**

The next meeting will take place in March 2025.

The meeting concluded at 8pm.