

Carthorpe Parish Council

MINUTES

of the meeting held on Monday 1 September 2025
in Carthorpe Community Hall at 7.30pm

Present

Mr Jonathon Jessop	- Chairman (JJ)	Cllr David Webster	- NY Councillor (DW)
Mr David Foulds	- Parish Councillor (DF)	Mrs Maggie Haigh	- Clerk (MH)
Mr Charlie Craggs	- Parish Councillor (CC)	4 members of the public	
Dr Catherine Grant	- Parish Councillor (CG)		
Mr Kevin Askham	- Parish Councillor (KA)		

25.58 Apologies for Absence

25.58.1 No apologies received.

25.59 Declarations of Interest

25.59.1 There were no declarations of interest.

25.60 Minutes of Previous Meeting

25.60.1 The minutes of the meeting of 14 July 2025 were approved and signed as correct.

25.61 Matters Arising

25.61.1 *Blocked Drains* – still no action had been taken by NYC. All encouraged to report.
www.northyorks.gov.uk/roads-parking-and-travel/roads-and-pavements

All

25.61.2 *Bridge* - works still to be undertaken. Undergrowth to be cut back now hedge trimming was underway. A treatment to be sourced.

MH/JJ

25.61.3 CC advised that he was still in discussions with NYC over their responsibilities with regards to Back Lane. Further negotiations to take place.

CC

25.62 Finance

25.62.1 *Receipts & Expenditure* - A brief summary of the financial situation was given. £6097.95 closing balance of which £4859.86 remains in Precept and £1238.09 in CIL funds.

25.62.2 *Barclays Savings Account* - Total stands at £419.56. MH advised that Barclays were reducing the interest rate on this account from 1.2% to 1.1% from 11 November 2025.

25.63 Planning

25.63.1 JJ advised that application ZB25/01294/FUL for Demolition of Existing Farm Buildings and Construction of New Dwelling - Land and Buildings Opposite Breach House, Carthorpe for Mr J Prior had been received since the last meeting. Following the original application ZB24/02469/MBN for a barn conversion to a dwelling under the Class Q Scheme, which was approved May 2025, the barn had been found unsuitable for conversion, hence the new application. The PC had responded before the NYC deadline.

25.64 Councillor Report

25.64.1 DW presented a brief report – there had been a rise in homelessness in the NY area and an increase in the number of children in the care system. Improvements had been made in the speed of processing Benefit claims. There had been a number of issues with street refuse collections due to numerous factors. Households had received an email explaining the issues.

25.65 Review of Correspondence Received

25.65.1 All correspondence had been circulated.

25.66 Matters for Discussion

25.66.1 CIL - Installation of a Bus Shelter

JJ gave a brief recap on the project. In summary, NYC have put the west bound new stop too close to the junction and it will need moving and we need to find a suitable place for the eastbound service on the other side of the road. A date for a site visit was still awaited.

JJ

25.66.2 CIL - Water Pump

Water testing had taken place. Awaiting the results before further action is taken.

JJ

25.66.3 Footpaths

JJ advised that he had chased NYC for a response on two occasions since the June PC Meeting, and again before this meeting regarding the cultivation of footpaths across Mr Dent's land. No response had been received.

JJ

25.66.4 Resignations

Councillors JJ & CG are to step down in March 2026. MH to step down as clerk in March 2026. DF had drafted and circulated a proposed flier which aims to ascertain any interest in any of the roles. With the addition of information on the number of meetings, all agreed it should be posted on the notice board, website and Village Life in October.

DF

25.66.5 Precept 2026/7

MH advised that NYC had already circulated a document and were requesting figures for the 2026/7 Precept request by December 2025. To be discussed at the next meeting.

MH

There being no other business the meeting closed at 8.10 pm.

The next **PC Meeting** will be held on **Monday 13 October 2025**
at 7.30pm in Carthorpe Community Hall.