

Monthly Update – June 2022

1. APOLOGIES AND DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS.

Apology for absence – Councillor Emily Kelly.

Declarations of Interest - Councillor Brigginsshaw in respect of cheque payments and Councillor Langthorne in respect of car park mater in the Highways Group report.

2. FILLING OF CO-OPTED VACANCY.

The Chairman and Clerk have interviewed Mrs Rachel Smith of Cotswold Street for the co-opted vacancy and RECOMMEND - That Mrs Smith be appointed to the Council.

3. EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC - To Exclude the Public from the meeting for item 19 on the agenda under the provisions of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 as the disclosure of information would at the present time be prejudicial to public interest.

4. MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 17th MAY 2022.

To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting held on the 17th May 2022.

5. LOCAL CRIME REPORT.

Brompton Parish Council on 19/04/2022 to 10/05/2022

Anti-Social Behaviour	2 Reports
Total	2 reports
Arson	0 Reports
Burglary Dwelling	0 Reports
Burglary Commercial/Other	0 Reports
Criminal Damage	0 Reports
Theft (inc Theft from Shop)	1 Reports
Violence against the person	4 Reports
Other crimes inc Drugs	0 Reports
Hate Crime	0 Reports
Robbery	0 Reports
Fraud	0 Reports
Total	7 reports

Brompton Parish Council on 10/05/2022 to 14/06/2022

Crime Type	
Anti-Social Behaviour	6 Reports
Total	6 reports
Arson	0 Reports
Burglary Dwelling	0 Reports
Burglary Commercial/Other	0 Reports
Criminal Damage	0 Reports
Theft (inc Theft from Shop)	0 Reports

Violence against the person	7 Reports
Other crimes inc Drugs	2 Reports
Hate Crime	0 Reports
Robbery	0 Reports
Fraud	0 Reports
Total	15 reports

6. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES – FOR INFORMATION ONLY.

(i) Recreation Ground.

Initially thought to be vandalism the breakage of the Fire Engine Springer was found to be metal fatigue and has been removed by Councillors Hazelwood and Langthorne. Consideration will need to be given in due course to how this play equipment is going to be replaced. The Clerk is arranging a full inspection by an independent Inspector of all play equipment.

(ii) Queens Jubilee.

The Council had a gazebo on the Green at the recent Jubilee event and canvassed people about the 20's Plenty initiative. The comments received were positive.

(iii) Letters of Complaint.

Five letters of complaint have been received from residents about the same matter. Item 9 on the agenda relates to the appointment of a Complaints Committee to consider the matter.

(iv) Dog Walker and Picnic.

Councillors have agreed to a picnic being held on Church Green on the 6th August following a dog walk arranged by Brompton Churches.

(v) Proposed Electricity Works on Village Green Opposite 94 Water End.

Approval has been given to works by Northern Powergrid for the replacement of an electricity pole on Water End Green. The works will incorporate a short road closure of which residents have been informed.

(vi) Removal of Ivy from the Church Wall.

The ivy that has been growing in the Church wall especially along the northern side has been removed. Due to Covid restrictions this had grown substantially over the past three years particularly in the inside of the wall. If left this can substantially damage the structure of the wall. Fortunately it has been found that whilst some pointing, of a relatively recent nature has been displaced there appears to be no structural damage. This is a task that needs to be carried out annually to avoid expensive repairs.

7. CHAIRMAN'S/VICE-CHAIRMAN'S ACTIONS.

To be reported to the meeting.

8. REPORTS – INCLUDING REPORTS OF WORKING GROUPS –

(i) Finance Group.

The Finance Working Group met on the 13th June.

AGREED - That during August all Councillors be contacted by email asking for their suggestions for any revisions to the current years budget so that the Finance Group can review these at its September meeting.

The Chairman to email all Councillors as follows -

1. Working Groups to request a budget in March for the April Council Budget setting.
2. Before any spending Working Groups to put in writing to the Finance Group and the Clerk requests to release funds from their budget.
3. Working Groups to check that the Council does not hold accounts at such as Sam Turners and J T Atkinsons so that can get a discount.
4. All to collect proper receipts especially so that VAT can be reclaimed.
5. Cheques will only be issued on production of receipts and only at the monthly Council meetings will cheques be issued.

The AGAR Return and the Internal Audit report be placed on the agenda for the June Council meeting.

Councillors who are unable to attend the YLCA Training session in the Town Hall on the 18th July to sign up for remote YLCA Councillor training.

The Chairman and the Clerk both signed the Clerk's Contract of Employment and agreed the Job Description at the meeting.

The village walk-round be placed on the June Council meeting agenda and this to include a visit to the Cemetery.

The Clerk to ask the Highways Working Group to consider a view on whether cycle racks should be placed on the cobbles on the corner outside The Three Horse Shoes to alleviate parking problems.

The Burial Board to be **RECOMMENDED - That in respect of residents who have resided outside the Parish for longer than 12 months when they die the level of fees for their burial be considered on the merits of each case if they have had to move out of the Parish for care reasons.**

The dates of future Finance Working Group meetings are as follows –

11th July, 15th August, 12th September, 10th October, 14th November and 12th December.

(ii) Middle Bridge.

To be reported to meeting.

(iii) Highways/ Road Safety Working Group.

Meeting held on Monday 13th June.

North Road Pedestrian Crossing

Taylor Wimpey apparent 'successful' potential outcome regarding email from TW and the N North Road crossing the TW are in negotiation with NYCC regarding funding an automated crossing point.

- SB to email TW again to request an update and keep the pressure on- had update on the 21st from TW- nothing else to report as of yet.

20's Plenty- successful stall and plenty of signatures collected- the sheets then went to school- Ek to retrieve the additional signature sheets from school.

School has been asked to scan and forward all historical evidence- Headteacher said they had letters from Rishi Sunak MP from years ago replying to school request for 20 mph zone.

Action- still awaiting info/evidence from school – have sent a reminder email for the information

Ann Cornforth supplied photographs of congestion around school

Once all information arrives a draft email letter will be forwarded to the school for their endorsement then to the BTC for editing and approval before being sent to NYHighways with the full request plan and all photos evidence etc

School are now displaying the banner.

RC went over the details of his suggestion for the additional 20's banners for exits and entrances to the village- request to be made to Finance Group once quote sourced- JH forwarded the artwork to be used on banners from the original one. Agreed there will also be a press release.

Request through the Parish Portal to revive the line markings outside school

Bow Bridge pedestrian crossing

SB received an email last week from the Chair of Governors at school regarding the Feasibility Study that was forwarded many months ago for discussion. The request was for someone to attend the next Governors meeting to explain the document- SB has replied and forwarded the email to the Councils Chairman as there are others on the Council that understand the Feasibility Study and are better placed to attend the school meeting.

Action- require update from Chairman to see who will be attending the school meeting and if the school needs informing of who is attending.

Danes Crest STOP- discussed having a white line marker on the pavement at the bottom of Danes Crest and a small STOP LOOK RIGHT sign attached to the existing road sign that denotes 'School' nearby- further discussion at meeting

Car park update- ask M and Daryl Langthorne when they will be starting the work

Cobbles/Cockpit Hill- verbal update

(iv) NYCC Richmondshire Constituency Area Committee.

See item 14 below regarding the new bridge from the meeting of the Area Committee held on 6th June 2022.

(vii) Northallerton and Villages Community Forum Held on the 26th May 2022

Northallerton Heritage Hub.

Now open Wednesdays to Fridays from 10am up 4pm and on alternative Saturdays for 6 months at 90 High Street.

Is part of the Historic England funded Heritage Action Zone project in partnership with York Archaeological Trust.

Local schools, community groups and voluntary organisation have been invited to get involved with the project.

A dedicated heritage website www.northallertonheritage.uk has been launched and gives access to Northallerton's history when the Hub is closed.

There will be monthly themes and workshops, eg art workshops.

Any new projects from the community can be recorded and put on the website.

Use of the Town Square will be encouraged to promote social cohesion and fund raising. In this respect HDC is working closely with Peter Cole the Vibrant Market Towns Manager at HDC and with BID.

There are currently grants of up to 75% of the costs of replacing shop fronts in the town, up to a maximum of £25,000; one has started but due to the amount of interest the projects will need to be prioritised.

A reality trail is being developed identifying points of interest and this will be a 3D visualisation. It is hoped that this will be completed before the end of the year.

Involvement of the Northallerton and District Local History Society, the Parish Church and the possibility of war games of the Battle of the Standard were suggested at the meeting.

Town Ambassadors

These are being engaged in order to encourage people to stay longer in the town. Recruitment has started. They will work as points of information on Wednesdays and Saturdays and will have information on tablets. Coaches are being encouraged to stop at the new coach park on the Applegarth car park.

Other Matters.

An update was given on the Grace Gardner Trust.

The Shop Mobility scooters have found new homes in West Africa. £3,000 remains in the funds for Shop Mobility type issues, the Shop Mobility scheme having folded.

It was agreed that there needed to be a map of the locations of all defibrillators around town.

Attention was drawn to the lack of maintenance of notice boards around town and an approach is to be made to Northallerton Men's Shed to see how they could be refurbished.

In particular the one at the railway station needs to be improved as for many people it was the first thing they see when they come to Northallerton. There was also a question as to whether the Community Forum could adopt the notice boards.

Mention was made of the stall at the Jubilee on the Green at Brompton for 20's Plenty and Flood Protection.

(viii) Meeting With the Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner held on the 26th May

Attended by the Clerk several questions were put to the meeting by representatives of Parish Councils, including Brompton.

An allegation that North Yorkshire police were not following guidelines for 20 mph enforcement.

The Commissioner commented that there were limitations over deployment issues and that in general the areas that suffered from a problem installed traffic regulation matters such as speed bumps etc. In addition in some locations where it was perceived that speeds were being exceeded the Police could not site its speed monitoring vehicles due to road condition issues.

She was however in favour of 20mph speed limits outside of schools.

PCSO's were to monitor pilot schemes which it were intended to put in place and then to gauge whether these should be rolled out to villages which had speeding problems.

Concerns were expressed over the waiting times of 10 to 15 minutes in respect of the Police is 101 service.

The Commissioner agreed that waiting times for both 999 and the 101 service were far too long therefore these were being looked at a high level. There had been a significant increase in calls to both numbers since Covid. However other issues needed to be looked into such as to why people were calling the 101 number and there was a need to understand where the calls were coming from.

An additional £20,000 had been allocated to the engagement of more call centre staff and to overtime. There needed to be a focus on the 999 calls as this has increased by 2,000 calls a month over the last two months. There were also negotiations being carried out with BT to ensure that calls were put through to the Call Centre as efficiently as possible.

Rural crime

This is a big challenge for North Yorkshire as it has one of the largest local Task Forces in the Country. effective emphasis was being placed on poaching which had dropped by the third in the past year.

The Commissioner encouraged Parish Councils to make contact with its local Task Force officers.

The meeting then discussed questions which related to -

Why **Drug offences** were included in Other Crimes and why Other Crimes also included Sex Offences? Without knowing the categories of drug offences communities did not know if there was a serious drug problem. In such a category how could it be known if there was a

problem in communities with sex offences - surely **sex offences** should have a crime category of its own.

The Commissioner reported that crime statistics were recorded as set nationally by the Home Office and in respect of drug offences centred on the type of offence rather than the category itself. The Assistant Chief Constable added that the Police reporting mechanism was in accordance with Home Office guidance and if the statistics were based on the type of crime then this wouldn't necessarily capture the nature of serious offending; reporting being based on crime types.

The question was put as to why the new Commissioner had not put forward support for the **road safety and other issues including the 20's Plenty** campaign in her election material. The Commissioner responded that road safety was a priority in her role as the Commissioner and was also in her statutory plans to ensure that roads were safe for all the all users. She would be delivering a Road Safety Enforcement Review to enhance safety on roads in both urban and rural areas. However she pointed out that some people were not in favour of 20 mph speed limits and consequently there needed to be a conversation with the whole of the public; however that was for North Yorkshire County Council to do.

Concerns were raised about **county lines** and the problems that they cause every day, including the exploitation of young people. However information was needed from the communities and the successes that the Police had had to date in these matters had all resulted from information received from the communities with there being a need for continual support from the public and reporting issues through the 101 system, on the website or Crimestoppers. There was also a need to work with partners to ensure vulnerable people who may be taking drugs for whatever reasons get the help that they needed. Everything depended on the information received from the communities and it was essential that local communities increase the use of the 101 service in reporting matters.

The issue was raised of receiving crime reports and of the **participation of the Police in Parish Council meetings**. It was claimed that in some cases the crime reports were inaccurate with some crimes being missed off. The Commissioner endorsed Police attendance at Parish Council meetings and ACC accepted that more work needed to be done on this and that she really needed to understand the concerns about crimes that had been identified and if this required attendance of Parish Council meetings then the Police would do so.

Care needed to be taken about the level of detail contained in the crime statistics reports so that victims could not be identified therefore there was a need to restrict what information was shared but it was hoped to be able to identify underlying crime trends to local Parishes. The ACC added that she was happy to look at any changes to the crime reporting form.

It was contended that the crime statistics did not provide any additional information to assist others for example Parish Councils in helping **victims**. Whilst information was regularly seen on the Police website relating to offenders it was unfortunate that the current Parish Council crime template concentrated on trends rather than particular offences. The Police were asked what Parish Councils were expected to do and it was also stressed that it was important for members of the Police team to attend Parish Council meetings in order to give crime prevention advice etc.

The ACC responded that the Police were totally governed in respect of what information they could provide and tried to concentrate on any emergency crime issues affecting localities.

It was mentioned that pilots were currently in place to train PCSO's for **community speed watch schemes** and the ACC undertook to ascertain where these pilots would be taking place.

Concerns were raised with regard to cyber-crime particularly with old people being victims. A Question was asked as to how many offences the North Yorkshire police cyber-crime unit which had been set up some years ago had brought to prosecution. The ACC undertook to bring this information back.

Another question asked if a cost benefit analysis of the **role of the Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner** had been undertaken since the role was established and the Commissioner undertook to bring this answer back.

Concerns were expressed that PCSOs and traffic Police were hardly ever seen in villages and this, added to the fact that the Police very rarely attended by Parish Council meetings. A suggestion was made that perhaps a Parish Council Information Board could be added to the ommissioners website which could regularly update crime information and advice for the public. In response it was reported to the meeting that it was intended to set up "**Your Neighbourhood**" page on the website to go live in July.

The meeting was informed that all Crime statistics were included on the Commissioners website monthly.

Other Police Forces had social media desks and North Yorkshire Police intended to look into this and linking the control room the new online reporting option.

(ix) YLCA Hambleton Branch Meeting – 13th June 2022.

Attended by the Clerk. As this was the Hambleton Branch Annual Meeting much of the business was procedural such as the Election of Chairman, Vice-Chairman and other representatives, YLCA remote training, Conference details etc

An informative presentation was given by NYCC Trading Standards about Multi Agency Safeguarding involving -

Doorstep Crime
Cold Calling
Targetting of the older North Yorkshire population
Reasons why many such crimes are not reported
Taking of monies by deception for works carried out on properties
Investment frauds
Abuses by people in positions of trust
Romance Fraud
On-line frauds
Junk mail and telephone scams.

A main item that is on-going is how YLCA Branches will operate when the Unitary Council comes into being. The preference of those present is for the present arrangements to continue in some form - mainly due to the geographical travelling issues that any changes would give rise to. One option not favoured being for one single Branch to meet for the whole of North Yorkshire.

It was also considered beneficial for the YLCA to meet remotely say six monthly with the Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner as happened last month. It was the view that such meetings alerted the Commissioner to the fact that local Councils had issues that they wanted to discuss with her and that this was the most appropriate forum in which to do that.

The YLCA has agreed to look at arranging courses for local Councils as regards routine play equipment safety inspections training rather than the other, more costly, option of local Councils having to arrange their own training.

9. TO APPOINT A COMPLAINTS COMMITTEE AND TO APPOINT A CHAIR.

RECOMMENDED – That a Complaints Committee be appointed to consider five complaints that have been received in respect of the same matter.

10. PLANNING MATTERS

(i) Decisions.

22/00804/FUL - Single storey garage to side of dwelling – 31 Hilton Close - Granted.

22/01262/CAT - Works to Beech tree in a conservation area – The Cobbles, 6 The Green – Granted.

(ii) Applications.

To make decisions on the following planning applications -

21/02227/FUL - Amended Plans and information received: 10.06.2022 and 26.04.2022. Full planning application for construction 38no. residential dwellings with associated access, parking, landscaping and infrastructure.

LOCATION: Persimmons Phase 3 Land To The South Of North Moor Road
Northallerton Business Park Thurston Road

21/02226/REM - Application for approval of all reserved matters (considering access, appearance, landscaping, layout and scale) to previously approved application

15/01083/HYB - this is associated with the construction of 60 residential dwellings for Taylor Wimpey and Persimmon Homes.

LOCATION: Taylor Wimpey And Persimmon Homes Phase 3 Land To The East Of
Darlington Road, West Of Stokesley Road, South Of North Moor
Road Northallerton North Yorkshire

8. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT.

Receipts –

Dales of Thirsk (Memorial fees)	100.00
J Barthrams (Burial fee)	300.00
Funeral Services Ltd (Internment fee)	150.00

Payments –

P Atkin (Salary)	384.04
P Atkin (Expenses including reimbursement to S Brigginsshaw)	49.77

HMRC (PAYE)	96.20
Mrs C Huang (6 hours weeding Church wall + sweeping)	60.00
CE + CM Walker (May grasscutting)	1,528.80
Hillside Tree Surgeons (Tree Works)	1,900.00
A Pratt (Reimbursement of burial plot fee due to cremation)	300.00
YLCA (Play Inspections Seminar)	25.00
NYCC Yorwaste (Advance Charges)	37.37*
* paid by Direct Debit	
Paid out of meeting–	
Mrs J Rolph (Purchase of paint)	47.49
Sammantha Briggishaw (Purchase of paint)	101.75
Mr P Snickas (Painting of bridge)	140.00
Northallerton Mens Shed (Donation for making bird boxes)	40.00
P Atkin (Rembursement for 20'Plenty bin stickers etc)	235.80
RGPS (20s Plenty banner)	108.00
NYCC (Office 365 Licence – replacement cheque)	57.42
Sammantha Briggishaw (wood for bird boxes)	11.42

Bank Balances

Current Ac't - £200.00

Business Premium Ac't (i) - £61,254.57

Business Premium Ac't (ii) - £13.20

RECOMMENDED - That the accounts listed above be approved for payment.

The Bank Reconciliation appears on the last page of this update.

12. INTERNAL AUDIT REPORT.

Report sent separately.

13. AGAR – ANNUAL FINANCIAL RETURN – YEAR END 31 MARCH 2022.

The Annual Return for the Financial Year ended 31 March is due to be sent to the External Auditors. The Financial figures are as follows –

31 March 2021

31 March 2022

	£	£
Balances Brought Forward –	9,492	5,642
Precept -	45,000	54,000
Total other receipts -	8,239	23,936
Staff costs -	4,128	4,876
Loan interest -	0	0
All other payments -	52,961	42,279
Balances carried forward -	5,642	36,613
Total value of cash -	5,642	36,613
Total fixed assets -	72,500	72,500
Total borrowings -	0	0

RECOMMENDED – That the Chairman sign the Annual Financial Return for submission to the External Auditor.

14. HIGHWAY MATTERS - Including - Notification of Road Closures and 20's Plenty/

PLANNED ROAD CLOSURE NOTIFICATION - SW-34863-Lead Lane,

The Closure will be in place for a period of 3 days between 4th July 2022 and 6th July 2022 to allow for Yorkshire Water Works to renew lead supply from property boundary to water main. The Road Closure and any associated Diversion Routes can be viewed using this URL link <https://one.network/?tm=129037371>

PLANNED ROAD CLOSURE NOTIFICATION - 35041 - Water End, Brompton

The Closure will be in place for a period of 1 day on the 29th June 2022 to allow Northern Powergrid to replace an overhead pole which is showing signs of decay. The closure will be in place between the hours of 10:00 and 13:00 only.

The Road Closure and any associated Diversion Routes can be viewed using this URL link <https://one.network/?tm=129242633>

New Bridge

A report on North Northallerton Bridge went to the NYCC Richmond (Yorks) Constituency Committee on the 6th June. The report stated that repairs to the surfacing and waterproofing on the bridge had delayed the laying of the final surface course but this was now expected to be completed in the next 2 to 3 weeks. The incorrect waterproof surfacing was put on and had therefore had to be removed. It was expected that resurfacing would commence on Monday 13th June.

Once the bridge works are fully completed checks on the full route of the link road including an independent road safety audit will be undertaken before the completed route is open to through traffic. The bridge will only open when a road safety analysis has been done - which there is no timeframe for.

Works to address the flooding issues on the A684 near the new roundabout by providing the final connection and outfall into the adjacent ditch was completed at the end of May.

20's Plenty North Yorkshire Branch Meeting 9th June 2022

Several newly elected County Councillors, mainly from the Harrogate, Craven and Selby areas attended the virtual meeting.

For the benefit of the new County Councillors an annotated brief of the presentation made at the previous meeting was outlined.

The branch organiser and the national organiser has been invited to meet with the new Highways Portfolio Holder for North Yorkshire County Council in the next week.

The previous portfolio holder had decided four years previously that he did not wish to pursue the 20mph issue on the grounds that it was not affordable and this had coloured the political view on the matter from that time onwards.

Although no explanation had been given as to why he considered this unaffordable it was assumed that he was referring to traffic calming measures needing to be implemented in respect of 20mph speed limits. However no physical measures such as speed humps would be installed for any 20 mph zones and it was expected that any costs incurred would be recovered within less than nine months in North Yorkshire.

As regards the contention that the Police would be unable to enforce 20mph limits it was the view that once the Highway Authority had changed its policy then the Police would come on board.

It had been found that Police enforcement dramatically decreased after the initial few weeks of the establishment of 20mph zones. This had been proven in the Scottish Borders and where in Plymouth during the first week of enforcement 23,000 penalty tickets had been issued this had subsequently fallen dramatically.

Nationally the issue of enforcement tickets and fines also involved insurance issues for drivers.

It was suggested that it would be appropriate for villages and that had 30 limits but spasmodic dwellings and then had continuous houses to maintain the 30 limit at its existing location and to impose the 20 limit where the properties were no longer strung out.

Some communities would only need signs but others may need Gateways to slow traffic down.

There was also the benefit of travelling at 20 on road surfaces as this did not create so many potholes and would be a saving to the County Council as any potholes would be easier to repair.

The importance of communities purchasing Vehicle Activated Signs that could be changed to 20 was emphasised.

A discussion took place about the Killed and Seriously Injured statistics which had been updated in January and had indicated that in a 20 zone the KSI figures were 2% of the total of 455 casualties whereas in a 30 zone the figure was 25% and in a 60 zone 57%.

It was noted that in Wales the 20 zones had been implemented in consideration of the aspects of pollution, active travel/obesity and injury levels.

There was also the advantage to motorists of costs due to less wear on tyres and fewer particles going into the atmosphere.

The current initiative by Brompton Council was outlined and the organiser undertook to prepare a Press Release once the figures were available. Attention was also made to the fact that as many villages were much smaller than Brompton they could quite easily canvas their communities for residents views.

It was pointed out that the 20's Plenty campaign needed to assure the new Highways Portfolio Holder that the initiatives would have positive outcomes and did have the support from the communities.

It was suggested by the new Chair of the Harrogate Area Constituency Committee that each Area Committee should consider the 20mph policy and make their recommendations to the County Council.

This was considered to be a good way forward, especially as the former ruling Political Group at the County Council no longer held a majority on some of the Area Committees. The organiser undertook to make a presentation to the Area Committees which would include recommendations to the new Portfolio Holder and in this respect he would make contact with the Clerks for each Area Committee.

There was a need for new County Councillors to review the existing policy which needed changing as it was in effect just a set of hoops which in most cases did not lead anywhere.

It was also reported that at a recent meeting of the County Councils Environment and Transport Scrutiny Committee the matter of 20's Plenty had been raised with the Chair who had made it clear that he did not support it.

The next meeting is scheduled to be held at 7:30 pm on Thursday, the 14th July.

15. GREENS INSPECTION + WILD LIFE AREA.

Received from a resident –

I'd just like to say how well the wildlife area at the junction of Water End and Fullicar Lane seems to be developing. The wildflowers are now taking hold, and it's a pleasure to cycle past on my way to the allotments. I congratulate the Parish Council for having the vision to use the area in this way.

16. CORRESPONDENCE.

(i) Parking of Commercial Vehicles.

Received from a resident –

During the last 3 to 4 months vehicles on Corber Hill and the link road to Vikings Court has increased to saturation. However the main increase in vehicles is large business vans and pickups, today I've counted 11 of these large business vehicles over and above there own private cars. It now appears that this section of residential housing has become a business park. All business that own these have there own premises for parking at their business

address. It has become difficult to negotiate sometimes due to the size and number of business vehicles especially during the winter periods where the route is restricted. Is right to expect that residential properties should be for residential purposes and not a business park.

17. ANY OTHER BUSINESS – Including - (i) Date of the Next Meeting of the Council – Tuesday 19th July 2022.

(ii) To decide on a date for the annual village walk-round.

18. BURIAL MATTERS.

1. Reimbursement of a Plot fee – Private Matter previously discussed with the Chairman – To be considered under agenda item 19.

2. Cemetery of the Year Competition - The judging panel has awarded Brompton Cemetery 453 points in this years competition. Last year it received 421 points last year.

Analysing last years results gave hope of an additional 35 points this year - so an additional 32 points wasn't far away and puts the score just about level with Northallerton Cemetery last year - they however decided not to enter this year.

3. One pre-paid burial has taken place this month and one new burial is to take place in the next few days.

The following items of business will be considered in Private Session.

19 . TO ADVISE THE CLERK REGARDING THE COUNCILS INSTRUCTIONS ON LEGAL MATTERS.

Bank Reconciliation to 1st June 2022			
Income			
Income reported at last meeting		£31,050.00	
a) Receipts in the period:			
VAT Refund	£340.00		
Burial Fee - Wilson & Willoughby	<u>£1,290.81</u>		
Total income for the period		<u>£1,630.81</u>	
Revised 2022/23 income to 1st June 2022			£32,680.81
Expenditure			
Expenditure reported to last meeting		£2,312.28	
b) Payments in the period:			
Yorewaste	£24.91		
YDS JCB Hire - Allotments	£25.00		
P. Atkin - Salary April	£384.24		
HMRC	£96.00		
P. Atkin - Salary May	£443.72		
HMRC	£110.80		
P. Atkin - Expenses	£30.37		
Mrs C Huang- Sweeping May	£40.00		
Sports and Carnival Ins 2019	£540.00		
Brompton Carnival Insurance	£288.00		
Gallagher Insurance	£808.24		
NYCC - 2 posts for VAS	£600.00		
CE & CM Walker - Gasscutting April	£1,576.80		
Sandra Langthorne - Substitute Clerk	£75.00		
Jennifer Ralph - Paint	£47.49		
Samatha Brigginsshaw - Paint	£101.75		
Peter Snikas - Painting Railings	£140.00		
P. Atkin - Bin Stickers & Death of the Queen	£235.80		
NYCC - Windows License 22-23	£57.42		
Samantha Brigginsshaw - NY Timber	<u>£11.42</u>		
Total payments in the period		<u>£5,636.96</u>	
Revised 2022/23 Expenditure to 1st June 2022			£7,949.24
c) Funds:			
Surplus/(Deficit) for Period (Income less Exp)		-£4,006.15	
Funds B/Fwd From last meeting		<u>£65,473.92</u>	
Funds C/Fwd to next meeting		£61,467.77	
Represented by:			
		£200.00	
Balance of Barclays Community Account a/c		£61,254.57	
Balance of Barclays Business Premium a/c		<u>£13.20</u>	
Balance of Barclays Premium Savings a/c		£61,467.77	
Total Funds as at 1st June 2022			