

Monthly Update – November 2024

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS.

No apologies received to date.

Councillor Langthorne to declare an interest in Accounts regarding cheque payments.

Councillor Carter to declare an interest in planning application ZB24/01992/FUL as a neighbour.

2. MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 15th OCTOBER 2024.

RECOMMENDED – That the Minutes of the Meeting of the Council held on the 15th October, 2024 having been having been previously circulated be taken as read and signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

3. REPORT OF COUNCILLOR STEPHEN WATSON

To report to the meeting.

4. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION – The meeting will be opened for a maximum of 10 minutes for Members of the public who wish to speak regarding items within the remit of the Council.

5. LOCAL CRIME REPORT.

The local PCSO is intending to attend the November meeting of the Council.

Statistics taken from	01/10/2024 to 31/10/2024
Crime Type	
Anti-Social Behaviour	1 – neighbour complaint 1 Reports
Anti-Social Personal	1 – neighbour complaint counter accusation 2 Reports
Total	5 Reports
Arson	0 Reports
Burglary Dwelling	0 Reports
Burglary Commercial/Other	0 Reports
Criminal Damage	1 Reports
Theft (inc. Theft from Shop)	1 Reports
Violence against the person	2 Reports
Other crimes inc. Drugs	1 Reports
Hate Crime	0 Reports
Robbery	0 Reports
Fraud	0 Reports
Auto Crime / SMV	0 Reports
Total	5 Reports

Local News for Hambleton area.

Dark Nights Campaign.

As the clocks go back and dark nights are draw closer, don't let burglars take advantage of the darkness!

Burglars are often opportunistic thieves who prey on our homes, looking for darkness or insecure doors and windows. Anything valuable they may spot through the window will only spur them on. It really does not take much to deter these thieves.

Your local neighbourhood policing team are on hand to help keep you safe. They will be in your area to offer safety and security advice around keeping you and your home safe during the dark nights, answer any questions or concerns you may have and provide you with free plug socket timers and shed alarms.

Please see our Hambleton Facebook for further details and locations or you will receive a Community Message if you are signed up for the service.

Register your security cameras/Ring door Bells

Security cameras can deter criminals in the first place - and also help the police identify them and bring them to justice. We're asking you to register your CCTV cameras or video doorbells on our secure digital evidence management system, NICE Investigate.

It's a quick and easy process. By registering now, you will be set up to send us footage which we can use to catch criminals.

You'll be helping to keep your property and your community safe.

! The service is entirely free of charge.

! Your information is kept safe and secure, never made public.

! Only the police will be able to see your security camera locations.

! Your participation is always completely voluntary.

Register now

1. Send us an email to digitalevidence@northyorkshire.police.uk telling us that you would like to register your business or home security cameras.

2. Wait for an email reply – you will be contacted by a colleague from North Yorkshire Police with a link and an information pack.

3. Click the link in the email to securely register your cameras, and upload any footage if needed.

Community Messenger

A polite reminder to join our Community Messaging Service! Yorkshire Community Messaging is a free email messaging service from North Yorkshire Police and the Office of the Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner, providing news and updates on policing matters that are relevant to you and your local community.

Sign up and receive email alerts about policing activity and initiatives in your local area as well as crime prevention advice and information. You will also have the opportunity to reply directly to your neighbourhood team and provide feedback via surveys.

If you'd like any further information or if you'd like to join please email:-
SNAnorthallerton@northyorkshire.pnn.police.uk

If you fancy a career change or looking for employment, please follow the link to North Yorkshire's current vacancies:

www.northyorkshire.police.uk - select jobs and volunteering.

Independent Police Advisory Panel – Hambleton/Richmondshire – 7th November 2024

The biggest Police challenge is the size of the County - the Craven District is the same size as the whole West Yorkshire Force area.

Poaching has the highest crime rate after theft across the County, with all areas affected.

There is a concentration on developing intelligence and providing tactical advice.

Rural crime is logged daily so that hot spots can be identified so that specialist operations resources can be put into areas where it can have the most impact.

North Yorkshire is one of only two Forces in the UK that has a Rural Task Force and Wildlife Crime section.

In Hambleton rural crime occurs along the major arterial routes, especially cross border from Teesside.

Both the National Wildlife Crime Unit and the National Rural Crime Unit share information and intelligence with the Force.

Over the last 4 years there has been a 61% reduction in poaching brought about through targeting; August to October being the key times of year.

A lot of resources have had to be put into theft of agricultural GPS devices - there having been a 300% increase in the theft rate but many arrests have been made and organised crime groups identified - the biggest being from Northumberland.

Quad bike thefts are prevalent in the Hambleton area and farmers etc are being encouraged to install trackers.

However technology from Honda, Suzuki and the likes are years in the past and has been equated to stealing a 1980's moped.

8,000 property marking kits have been supplied to the 1,500 farms who have been victims of crime; this being a Government initiative.

Livestock worrying is an issue with there having been a large increase of dog attacks on farm animals since Covid due to more people becoming dog owners. Consequently there is a need for more education of dog owners and awareness.

New technology such as drones, night vision, detection dogs and DNA marking are being used and these are also useful in looking for missing persons where in rural areas much help is needed from farmers and landowners.

Hence the need for everyone to use What 3 Words on their Smartphone App to identify their location.

On local Policing two major issues have very recently been addressed and resolved - one involving a person from Brompton (details are confidential).

Other than an increase in shoplifting there are no major issues affecting the Northallerton area.

There were ASB issues at Halloween and Bonfire Night but no more than in other years and both PCSOs and Specials were deployed on those nights.

There have been no instances of knife crime or offences of carrying knives over the last three months.

Amnesty bins are in several locations, including one in the Applegarth.

Involvement with the Secondary Schools and North Yorkshire Youth continues as regards knife crime, with schools having a dedicated Police Officer.

The new Chief Constable is keen to see a more visible Police Force.

Staffing issues have arisen locally with younger Police Officers leaving the Force as they have found it very difficult to study for the required degree and also at the same time having a full time job on a shift basis. After three years this entry requirement is to be relaxed nationally with a new non-degree entry level coming an option shortly.

Hate Crime Stats for the last quarter were as follows -

North Yorkshire - 341
Richmondshire - 11 (7 racial)
Hambleton 17 (Disability 6, racial 5, sexual orientation 2)

There having been a decrease since the previous quarter - but for any quarter the local figures have been very low.

All are well spread out across Thirsk, Northallerton and the villages.

There is currently an issue at Colburn which is being addressed,

No issues arose during the National riots in August although a Northallerton person is awaiting sentence for spreading miss-information.

A significant resource was put into the protecting mosques in Craven, Harrogate and York.

Community Multi Agency Partnership Meeting - 12th November 2024

The first meeting has been held of the new Community Multi Agency Partnership which is to meet monthly from now on.

The good news is that Killed and Serious Injury accidents continue to go down year on year across the County. Each fatal accident costs the tax payer £1.5m.

As regards speed camera matters there are now 8 large vans, 4 small vans and 2 motorcycles (which cover the 30/40mph roads) carrying out these checks.

The highest number of collisions occur on the A59, A65, A170, A171, A61, A19 and the A184.

26 staff are engaged in this work and locally operate from Thirsk to cut down time in working from the base in York.

Collisions tends to be over the weekends and for some reason on Wednesday afternoons.

The new partnership includes Northallerton, Thirsk, Bedale, Easingwold, Stokesley and the former Richmondshire localities.

Brompton was mentioned - but not from what had been reported by BTC or NY Highways but by members of the public to the Police.

Two vehicles apparently all Saturdays and Sundays park outside Brompton Convenience Store blocking motorists view.

Also similar issues connected with parking at the Dance Studio.

Consequently the Enforcement Officers will be around the centre of the village issuing penalty tickets.

NYC Councillor Steve Watson commented that a commercial operator takes up so many parking spaces it makes the situation difficult for local residents and welcomed the plan to issue penalty tickets.

Northallerton High Street is on the Police Patrol Plan with there being a spate of graffiti, although not necessarily recently, at the Underpass, the Skate Park and beneath the new bridge.

NYC Councillors are funding the Underpass being treated with anti-graffiti paint. However there is still a need to catch those who are doing this.

NY Councillor Watson is meeting with Taylor Wimpey in the next two weeks about the graffiti under the bridge as this is their responsibility, and other matters.

Bankhead Road has a number of ASB issues which have resulted in house visits and is being monitored. Some have ASB orders and liaison is taking place with Broadacres Housing Association.

The Sheep Wash Action Group is being launched next Spring to reduce ASB at Osmotherley and Cod Beck.

A Dark Nights operation will take place in Northallerton and the surrounding villages this month and there will be an ASB Awareness Week at Northallerton market in w/c 18th November.

A billboard is to be used in Northallerton for SCAN - See Check And Notify

The knife bin in the Applegarth is to come into operation and although knives aren't an issue locally it takes offending weapons off the streets.

6. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES .

- (i) Parish Liaison Drop-in – 30th October 2024.

The Clerk attended the NYC Parish Liaison Drop-In session in the Town Hall on the 30th October.

Issues that it is hoped that the new Parish Liaison Officers will make progress on -

Giving advance notice to Parishes when there is a suggestion of cutting back existing services instead of what happens now with the services being cut without any notification.

Our own example of NYC cutting the street machine sweeping service from 10 per annum to 4 is an example, (This upset the Appleton Wiske rep somewhat as they only get one sweep a year!)

Reduced gritting - eg none being in the future being provided in parts of Swaledale is another.

If proper advance notice is given then Parish/Town Councils at least would have an opportunity to take up some of the slack when looking at the level to set for their annual Precepts.

Being up front when there are issues instead of letting Parish Councils find out for themselves about any change - eg the 20 years waiting list on public right of way repairs.

Many Councils must expect a quicker turn round than that.

If there are significant delays in whatever service for whatever reason then Parish Councils need to be told.

With regard to NYC Consultations NYC providing some feedback on the outcome of these consultations - if people take the time to respond to consultations why can't NYC take the time to publicise the results?

Pressure being put on Planning Officers to respond to Parish Councils as to why any suggestions that they have taken the time to make on planning applications have not been accepted. Currently there is no feedback from the NYC Planning Department.

Finally, whilst BTC gets quite quick responses to questions it would seem that the majority of Parishes are made to wait for the NYC 21 day rule to expire before they get any response and then actually have to wait much longer. It is hoped that the new Parish Liaison Team will go some way to resolving this.

(ii) Recreation Ground.

On the 7th November the Clerk removed a quantity of the broken glass from around the children's play area together with a quantity of spent fireworks around the field and a large quantity of rubbish, + a large broken model aeroplane.

(iii) Open Reach – Permission to carry out excavation.

The Clerk granted permission for Open Reach in the upgrading all the broadband lines to fibre optic and to carry out excavation works to repair damaged underground ducting at the side of 27 The Green. RECOMMENDED – That this action be endorsed.

(iii) Annual Newsletters.

All Annual Newsletters have been delivered, plus those posted to the rural properties.

Several positive comments have been received and to date no negative ones.

- (iv) War Grave in the Churchyard.

Hillside Tree Surgeons are to cut back a tree on the west side of the Churchyard that is mostly obscured by an overgrown tree.

- (v) Sweeping Around St Thomas's Church.

The following response has been received from the PCC –

Thank you for all the work that has been undertaken to keep the area around the Church, keeping it safe for residents of Brompton. The leaves are particularly bad at this time of year making it seem an endless task. We as I am sure, and the residents of Brompton, appreciate all the work you do.

Regarding your request that for the future the PCC could carry out the sweeping around the Church, the PCC discussed this at their meeting last night and were in total agreement that this would not be possible.

Thank you for your support for St Thomas' Church and the Brompton Churches Group.

- (vi) Street Cleaning.

Received from a resident –

I just thought I would update you on what I did about the street cleaning not happening. Having read your minutes about the streets not being cleaned for months I was worried about flooding at Water End so I wrote a letter to NYCC and went down to have a face to face with them. As a result they sent a sweeper to the opposite side of Water End and never came back. I then phoned up again and the lady said they went to the wrong side and put me through to the complaints department. I was given a reference number. Nothing happened and I got another reference number and they said they would respond in 15 days even after I sent photos. I was incensed and asked Rishi Sunak if he could do anything. Today an army of street workers arrived after already clearing up round the Green and have been working solidly for half an hour outside my house. I just thought you should let the rest of the council know that the way to get things done is to go through Rishi.

- (vii) Northallerton Sports Village.

Received from NYC -

We have been working towards the formal transfer of land to take place and are pleased to confirm that this has now been concluded. We are liaising with our Legal and Property team regarding the Head of Terms and lease agreement for the allotments and this is now in the hands of the relevant legal representatives.

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

To be reported to the meeting.

8. REPORTS – INCLUDING REPORTS OF WORKING GROUPS –

- (i) Finance Working Group.

The Finance Group met on the 13th November.

RECOMMENDED -

(1) That the three tenderers for children's play equipment be asked to supply the following tenders for consideration at the meeting of the Finance Group in January -

Junior Swings in the Recreation Ground

Slide/Tower in the Recreation Ground

Replacement of swings unit at Water End

(2) That the seat in memory of the late Councillor Mrs Margaret Chandler be a newly reinstated seat at Church Green with a plaque in her memory.

(3) A quotation be requested from Mr D Langthorne for the regular clearing and tidying up of the verge and overgrowth outside the wildlife area on the Northallerton Road junction with North Moor Road

(4) That the condition tree survey for tree T41 be accepted in the sum of £660.00

(5) That Wicksteed be asked to manufacture and supply the missing Skirt Guarding Kit for the rocking rocket in the sum of £406.98 + VAT

(6) That the quotation from Coxon Brothers for the repair of the leaky dam to the south east of Stobthorne Farm be accepted in the sum of £3,180.00 + VAT

(7) That no further time be spend on endeavouring to recover interest monies from the HSBC Bank in respect of the former Middleton Whittaker Charity.

(8) That for the financial year 2025/26 and onwards a new budget heading of Village Maintenance be added

(9) That the Welcome to Brompton sign be placed on the fence at the North Moor Road/ Northallerton Road wildlife area.

(10) That any instances of vandalism be reported to the monthly Council meetings.

(11) That the Clerk ask NY Highways for permission to remove the barrier at the end of the cycle path on Northallerton Road and inform them that BTC is prepared to undertake and pay for the costs of the removal and of the reinstatement works.

(12) That the Precept level for the financial year 2025/26 be set at £78,000 being an approximate increase of 2.5% but being a lower annual payment for Parish residents than in the current financial year.

(13) That the budget for the 2025/26 financial year be considered by the Finance Group in January.

Two timber seats have been purchased that will be put in temporary place whenever a seat is taken way for repair/maintenance.

Next meeting - Wednesday 11th December at 4.00pm

(ii) Road Safety and Highways Group.

No meeting held

(iii) Pedestrian/Cycling Strategy Joint Working Group.

The Deputy Mayor of Northalton Town Council is applying to the new North Yorkshire Mayors Office for funding so that a comprehensive Transport Plan for the area can be worked up.

(iv) Wildlife Area Working Group.

No meeting held.

(viii) New Estates Working Group.

No meeting held.

(v) YLCA Hambleton Branch Meeting – 16TH October 2024.

The Clerk attended this on line meeting.

Mark Codman the NYC Parish Liaison Officer outlined his role at the meeting,

The meeting was well represented by Parishes who were highly critical of the fact that the LGR case for setting up the new North Yorkshire Council had been sold to Parishes on the basis that liaison and assistance to Town and Parish Councils would be greatly improved upon when the new Council was set up.

This however had not been the case and virtually nothing had happened although the date for setting up the new Parish process was promised by April 2023.

It was the unanimous view that the good relations that had existed between the former District Councils and Town and Parish Councils had been destroyed.

The Parish team is very small - three officers (not all full time). It was hoped to increase staffing by one new member but recruitment is a current issue.

Remarkably it was said that the reason why no progress had been made was due to the fact that NYC had had no idea how many Parishes there would be in the new Council and NYC was surprised to find that there were 664 Parishes and not the 300 that they had estimated.

It was also said that such delays were the norm for NYC as every service was taking a long time to get established with all members of staff having to go through a restructuring change.

It was hoped that improvements would be made in the way that NYC carries out consultations with Parishes by timing them better and spreading them out more.

It was also hoped that a one-stop shop could be established especially as all Departments seemed to be using out of date email contact lists to contact Parishes and not the up to date one held centrally by the new team. Hence on many issues Parishes were not being contacted.

The key complaints raised by Parishes had been in regard to the NYC Planning process.

The Northallerton Town Council representative expressed concern that especially as the Council represents a very large population when comments were made about planning applications there was never any feedback indication as to whether they had been taken regard of or the reasons as to why they had been rejected. Feedback from NYC was generally regarded to be lacking.

9. PLANNING MATTERS.

(i) Decisions

ZB24/01136/OUT - Application for Outline Planning Permission with some reserved (except for access) for the erection of 4 self/custom build dwellings - OS Field 7722, Lead Lane - Refused

ZB24/01683/CAT - Application for works to trees in a Conservation Area - 5 Water End - Granted

ZB24/01653/TPO - Application for works to a tree within a Tree Preservation Order (1999/09T54) - The Coach House, 5 Yeoman Court - Granted

ZB24/01591/LBC - Retrospective Listed Building Consent for the renewal and replacement of external render - 24 The Green - Granted

ZB24/017773/FUL - Proposed alterations and extension to existing dwelling including replacement garage - Redhill Cottage, Brompton Lane - Granted

(ii) Applications.

Councillors views are requested on the following planning applications.

ZB24/01992/FUL - Application for alterations and extension to existing dwelling - 13 De Bruce Road

ZB24/01785/REM – Application for reserved matters approval (appearance, landscaping, layout and scale) for the erection of 90 dwellings, drainage infrastructure, landscaping and ancillary works (outline permission 20/0167/OUT granted 20.07.2023) – Land North Mowray Road East Side of Stokesley Road. Northallerton

ZB24/02054/OUT – Outline planning with some matters reserved (consideration of access) for the construction of 8 dwellings, including demolition of existing agricultural building and all ancillary and engineering works at Sheepcote Farm, Darlington Road.

10. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

Income

Nil

Payments –

National Timber Group (Arnold Laver – Timber-Fence rails)	93.31
---	-------

Printroom (Printing of Annual Newsletters)	800.00
CE + CM Walker (October grasscutting)	862.00
Hillside Tree Surgeons (Hedge cutting)	2,180.00
Northern Powergrid (Annual Garden Licence for substation site)	50.00
Sam Turners & Sons (Ear Defenders, Hammerite paint, drills etc)	56.22
P Atkin (Salary – Including pay award from 1 April)	548.98
HMRC (PAYE)	137.20
Mr D Langthorne (Caretaking + delivery of newsletters + works to seats)	720.00
YDS Limited (Trailer + Digger hire + purchase of two seats etc)	330.00
P Atkin (Expenses including postage of rural Newsletters)	84.49
NYCC Yorwaste (Advance Charges) Direct Debit	29.33

Bank Balances

Barclays Bank –

Business Premium Ac't (i) – £131,428.42

Business Premium Ac't (ii) – £629.52

Unity Trust Bank at 31st October 2024 –

Current Account - £33,139.99

Deposit Account - £60,235.25

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

11. HIGHWAY MATTERS - Including Notification of Road Closures

Road Closures

PLANNED ROAD RESTRICTION NOTIFICATION - Cockpit Hill, Brompton

Description of works: Repair works to a retaining wall

The Restriction will be in place for a period of 2 days on 25th and 26th November 2024 (09:30 and 15:30 each day).

The question was raised with NY Highway if it was to recover the costs from the person(s) who caused the damage and the following response was received –

Unfortunately, without on-scene evidence such as photographs of the incident including vehicle number plates, we are unable to proceed with recharging the individual. If any new information emerges, I will ensure the responsible party is recharged.

Parish Workshop – No 2 Area Highway Office – 4th November 2024

The Clerk attended the Parish Workshop at Area 2 Highways Office in Thirsk on the 4th November.

One significant piece of information is that NY Customer Services prioritise phone calls to NYC above emails. The public can only use the designated NYC telephone numbers and emails as on the NYC web site. Only Clerks to Councils can contact NY Highways via the office email.

The Parish Portal will close down on the 9th December and Councils will be able to register for the Customer Portal a few days later.

The Customer Portal will cover such as roads, pavements, drainage and lighting.

If any Councillors have any outstanding matters on the existing Parish Portal they will need to locate these and make a note of the reference number as that will disappear.

Street works are not part of NY Highways - they can be contacted on streetworks@northyorks.gov.uk

This includes such as concerns about Utility Companies carrying out site works under the Streetworks Act. All such works need a two year guarantee as regards reinstatements.

If there is an issue it is Street Works who need to be contacted not the Utilities Company.

For this area there is a budget of £1.571m this year for grass cutting, gully emptying, weed spraying, highways inspections and winter maintenance.

Gully emptying - £155k
Weed spraying - £8k
Grasscutting- £30k - rural

This budget has not changed for 5 years.

12,065 gullies are inspected each year in this Area with 11,020 inspected to date.

There are 23,000 gullies in the County and non-scheduled gully cleaning is budgeted at £38,000.

Last Thursday night 40 metal gully covers were stolen + others in York, Replacement is a significant cost. Immediate action was taken to install temporary covers due to the highway dangers that this gives rise to.

On the web site there is a Gritter Tracker.

Bus routes are not automatically gritted.

20 weather cameras indicate the live conditions at 20 significant spots such as Sutton Bank.

These get the most hits on the NYC website. New cameras are currently being added.

There is no requirement to grit Priority 2 routes and some Councils no longer do that.

Gritting takes place from October through to May.

No road lining takes places during this period as the same workforce carries out the gritting.

Every gully is cleaned once a year but orders cannot be raised for any additional gully cleaning unless there is an immediate risk of flooding.

If anyone is aware of flood signs being left out for any length of time this needs to be reported.

One at Croft has been left there for 5 years..

A new system is being introduced which indicates when road signs are put out so that they can be taken back in when they have done their job.

As regards gully cleaning in general it takes 12 to 24 hours for rainwater to clear.

Disquiet at the lack to progress re Morton on Swale bridge and the fact that the Environment Agency don't even bother to attend the meetings. This is the only route linking the two National Parks.

Hedges and trees are the responsibility of the landowners/occupiers. Highways officers will look at any overgrown ones when carrying out routine inspections.

A letter is sent which gives 30 days for action to be taken and is followed up by a second letter if no works have been carried out advising the NY Highways will carry out the work after a further 14 days and recover all the costs.

Obscured highway safety signs, ie Stop signs, Junction signs and Give Way signs are dealt with immediately but any overgrown hedging at the same location is not dealt with at the same time but as per the paragraph above.

Finally, street lighting doesn't come under NY Highways but is through -

roadlighting@northyorks.gov .uk

12. GREENS INSPECTION + WILD LIFE AREA.

Received from a residents –

*Hérons - I note the wildlife group are seeking reports of sightings.
I saw 6 herons all together north of the village, in a field next to the beck last Monday, 4th November. Just north of Spence's dairy farm. There's regularly 3 there.*

13. CORRESPONDENCE

(i) Cycle Brackets at St Thomas's Church.

Received from the PCC -

I understand from reviewing the minutes of the Council's September meeting, that Members were not in favour of the provision of cycle facilities in the village.

To ensure that the opportunity of cycling exists for users of the church we are proposing to install four cycling brackets on the west side of the base of the tower as a small addition to the flower bed project. The bicycles will sit on the newly bark surfaced area that the Council previously kindly confirmed their agreement to.

Before we installed the brackets we wanted to check that the Town Council would be happy with this minor addition to the flower bed project?

Councillors views are requested

(ii) Your Fire Service – Your Say – Consultation

Sent to all Councillors.

(iii) Thurston Park Issues

Received via Councillor Smith –

Can the Council write to the North Yorkshire Council asking for justification that our roads and sewers have not been adopted. Currently we pay an element of council tax and water charges towards infrastructure that is not under the jurisdiction of the bodies we fund. Also, if north moor road is not a council adopted road how can the police enforce speed limits.

Response sent -

“Will refer the drainage issue to Steve Watson.

As regards speed limits Local Authorities determine the speeds of any road the public has access to, including private and unadopted roads - ie where a 30 or a 20mph speed limit applies.

All roads are subject to traffic laws if they are accessible by the public”.

(iv) Tractor Movements.

Correspondence from a resident concerning tractor movement past their property. Resident advised to contact the Police direct.

(v) Richmond (Yorks.) Parish Liaison Meeting.

To be held at Stokesley Town Hall at 7pm on Wednesday 20th November. The NTC Clerk has indicated that she will be attending and will report back,

14. ANY OTHER BUSINESS – Including Date of the next Meeting – Tuesday 17th December 2024.

15. BURIAL MATTERS.

None to report.