

EASTOFT PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE ORDINARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL HELD ON MONDAY 13 JULY 2026 AT 7.30 PM IN THE VILLAGE HALL.

Public Forum 7.30-7. 45pm. Any members of the public attending the meeting may be given (at the chair's discretion) a combined 15-minute time slot to address Councillors on any items of concern or interest. After this period the public are welcome to stay for the full parish council meeting but CANNOT speak nor offer advice/opinion on any matter. This public participation is NOT part of the parish council meeting and as such there are no rights to record this part of the meeting in any way.

Public participation. 7.30-7. 45pm. All welcome.

No members of the public present.

Councillors present: Cllr E Yorke (Chair), Cllr M Everatt (Vice-Chair), Cllr T Moody, Cllr P Reay, Cllr D Everatt, Cllr Michael Everatt, Ward Cllr J Read

The minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 11 May 26 have been circulated to councillors. They were approved and duly signed by the Chair.

13/2627 APOLOGIES

Cllr J Bramhill, Ward Cllr I Bint

14/2627 DECLARATION OF INTEREST

The Parish Councils (Model Code of Conduct Order 2011). To record any declarations of interest by any member in respect of items on this agenda). Members declaring interests should identify the agenda item and type of interest being declared.

No declaration of interest stated,

15/2627 WARD COUNCILLOR UPDATE

Summer activities underway including Summer Daze (free swimming sessions), bear hunt around Scunthorpe to promote children's reading, with certain activities including a funded meal.

16/7 – free child car seats checks in Brigg

Connect2 – call centre bought in house with greater local knowledge & better grouping of users. Buses currently run Monday – Friday (7-7) and Saturday (7-6). Service is available to everyone with fare capped. Currently 6 buses in use. Connect2 trying to promote the service to all residents.

NLC received Best Local Authority award. OFSTED inspection awarded Outstanding, which has been held for 14 years across 4 inspections. 29 apprentices have been recruited. SCIP underway – a school centred teacher training programme open to anyone with a degree. SEND reform plan submitted – aim to have study zones and resource centres in all schools – target 200 places by end 2027. 17/7 – decision due on local Govt reform.

16/2627 BUDGET 26/27

Annual budget presented with actual payments, receipts and variances noted.

17/2627 BANK ACCOUNTS

Current Account	£2,835.64
Deposit Account	£7,007.10
Figures include SSE Microgrant fund	£2,800.00
Parish Council funds	£7,042.74

Payments made since last Meeting – per Agenda.

18/2627 PLANNING

Application received for cattle feed & agricultural machinery storage building off Crowle Road. No objections by councillors. Update on North Humber to High Marnham grid.

19/2627 ONGOING ISSUES

- i. Replacement Benches – benches replaced on the Green with bench to be replaced on pondsite. Benches at the play area are in good condition and concrete base does not cater for new benches with central legs. These benches to be refurbished. Cllrs to consider area to site 2 remaining new benches.
- ii. Land registry update – Update requested from solicitors – currently declaration with R Belton for signing and solicitors confirming exact boundary of the Green.
- iii. Assertion 10 – Digital & Date compliance – all Cllrs now have dedicated council email accounts which will be used for all business going forward.
- iv. Wroot Homes/ SID query – NLC have inspected and agreed SID on Crowle Rd can be moved adjacent to wooden fence line between plots 5 & 6. Residents of Numbers 1 & 2 Crowle Rd have agreed to the SID being moved. Order to be

returned to NLC – they will invoice Eastoft PC who will invoice Wroot Homes. NLC will install new post and move SID, Wroot homes to move old post.

- v. Bank Accounts – HSBC account closed and on line 32 day notice deposit account opened with Unity Trust.
- vi. Village Event – LIVES have agreed to attend first aid event for the village. Clerk to agree a date (early September). Light refreshments to be served.
- vii. Speeding in Eastoft – NLC have rejected request to consider a 40MPH buffer zone to end of properties on Crowle Road.

20/2627 NEW ISSUES

- i. Scattering Ashes – a stone plaque and ashes have been placed in flower border on the pond site. Permission of land owner required before this can be done. Plaque to remain and polite notice to be added to the notice board.
- ii. Replacement Flags – Cllr Reay to cost new flags for the flag pole.
- iii. Pavement condition – cracking of the pavement by River Don / bus stop and the overgrown pavement on Yorkshire Side reported to NLC. Ward Cllr Read requested photographs of the area.
- iv. Harrisons grass area – grass cutting & Xmas lights – Clerk to speak to owner to request permission for Xmas lights in exchange for grass continuing to be cut.

21/2627 CORRESPONDENCE

- i. Redaction of home addresses – all Cllrs want their addresses to be redacted from NLC public register. Eastoft PC website to detail Cllr name & email address only.
- ii. Wroot Homes / house names – agreed unanimously.
- iii. SID Warranty – Warranty on SID's expires in October 26. Further 3 year warranty to be put in place.
- iv. SSE Microgrant Application- £400 from Lee Fry-Pidd to support the Village Show. Agreed unanimously.

22/2627 AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING

No items raised.

23/2627 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

28 September 26 at 7.30

Emma Yorke

Chair