**WEDNESDAY 11th JANUARY 2023**

A meeting of the Haile and Wilton Parish Council was held on Wednesday 11th January 2023, in Haile Village Hall, Haile @ 7.30 pm.

**PRESENT** Gordon Smith

 Eva Watson-Graham

 Dave Riley

**APOLOGIES** Jane Ward – a valid reason was given

# MINUTES

Minutes of the previous meeting were agreed and signed.

# PRECEPT

It was agreed to increase the parish precept to £5000 as repairs are known that the village hall requires, and it is a parish asset.

**GYPSY SQUARE**

A caravan and occupier are now located at Gypsy Square (parish land). Gordon has visited the site on several occasions and has informed the occupant that it is parish land. Need to report to the housing department as need this caravan moved on and the individual needs better living accommodation.

**HIGHWAYS ISSUES**

Stockbridge repair Ref EI/78791 – complete

Bridge repairs Uldale – a works order has gone out to the contractor and work should begin before winter. No work has started to date so the clerk will request an updated.

New issues reported:-

Blocked drain outside the church gate – Ref EI/109402

Blocked drains/gulleys along Carleton Wood – Ref EI/109407

Blocked drains on corner towards Hardheads – Ref EI/109410

**CRIME REPORT**

This had been forward to the committee.

**LENGTHSMAN**

So we feel as if we are getting something for our money, Gordon will request that the Lengthsman does some litter picking in the parish.

**WEBSITE**

Nothing to report.

# BANK BALANCE

The bank balance at 31/12/22 was £6394.81

# FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Dates of forthcoming meetings have been circulated via e-mail.

# UPDATES/FEEDBACK

A cheque for BT Wayleave has been paid into the bank for £3.01

**NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday 17th May 2023.

There being no further business the meeting was closed.

**CHAIR:**

**DATE:**

TIME - 1.5 hrs