

HOLME LOW PARISH COUNCIL

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Councillors: You are summoned to attend a meeting of Holme Low Parish Council which is to be held on Tuesday 9th July 2024 in Silloth Community Hall, Petteril Street, Silloth commencing at 7.30pm. Please let me know if you are unable to attend.

Members of the Public: Members of the public are welcome to attend the meeting from 7.30pm. Informal public participation will be held at approx. 7:45 pm. Members of the public wishing to address the Council during the public participation section must send their request to the Parish Clerk prior to the meeting.

Yours sincerely


Town Clerk

Agenda

- 1. Apologies**
To receive and record with a reason, any apologies for absence.
- 2. Declarations of Interest**
To receive declarations of members' interests in respect of items on this agenda.
- 3. Exclusion of Press & Public**
To consider whether any items on the agenda should be considered without the presence of the press and public, on the grounds of confidentiality, pursuant to the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 Section 1(2).
- 4. Minutes**
To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 9 April 2024, as a true record.
- 5. Matters Arising**
To consider any matters arising from the minutes of the last meeting.
- 6. Public Participation**
Members of the public are invited to speak for a maximum of 3 minutes each. The maximum total time for public participation will be 15 minutes. At the close of this item, members of the public will no longer be permitted to address the Council Members unless invited to do so by the Chairman.
- 7. Financial Report**
To receive an up-to-date financial report
- 8. Requests for financial assistance**
To consider any requests for financial assistance.
 - Citizens Advice Allerdale

9. Payment of Accounts

To authorise the payment of Accounts.

10. Financial Regulations

To adopt the new Model Financial Regulations released by NALC.

11. Correspondence

To receive the schedule of correspondence, notices and publications received since the last meeting and to note items marked as 'For Action' requiring action to be taken.

Publications & magazines etc

- a) NHS Lancashire and South Cumbria Newsletter - Integrated Care Board News - specialised services delegated to ICB to join up care.
- b) Cumberland Council – Partnership Information, LGR & Coronavirus – 5 April 2024.
- c) Connecting Cumbria Newsletter April 2024.
- d) Clerks & Councils Direct – May 2024.
- e) Tidelines – Newsletter of the Solway Firth Partnership – Spring/Summer 2024.
- f) Cumbria Local Nature Partnership Update – May 2024.
- g) Cumbria Local Nature Recovery Strategy Newsletter – Spring/Summer.
- h) Cumberland Council - [Summer Environment and Climate Newsletter](#).
- i) Connecting Cumbria Newsletter May 2024.
- j) CALC News – March & April 2024.
- k) Cumbria Local Nature Partnership Update – June 2024.
- l) Connecting Cumbria Newsletter June 2024.

For information

- m) Cumberland Council – Copy of slides from Public Space Protection Order presentation.
- n) Cumbria Highways – Enq. Ref: EI/20169 – re: Request for footway lighting to be installed between Silloth & Barracks Bridge.
- o) Email from a local resident suggesting that in future any vacancies on Holme Low Parish Council could be better advertised.
- p) Cumbria Highways – Enq. Ref: EI/182823 – Re: Damaged sharp bend sign at Barracks Bridge. Temporary repair has been carried out and a permanent repair will be carried out in due course.
- q) NALC – April 2024 Legal Bulletin.
- r) CALC AGM 2024 – Save the date – 12 October 2024.
- s) Cumbria Highways – Enq. Ref: EI/20169 - There are no proposals to provide additional lighting in the reported location on the section of the B5302 between Silloth and Barracks Bridge corner. Irrespective of the speed limit there is no duty on the Council to provide lighting and the available road traffic accident data does not support the significant investment required to illuminate this stretch of road or outweigh the detrimental environmental impact this would have on a dark sky environment. The majority of roads in Cumberland remain unlit and the expectation is that users should take the appropriate precautions when using this section of road as they do for all other unlit sections of road.
- t) NALC – Good Councillor's Guide 2024.
- u) Cumberland Council – Urgent temporary road closure to allow urgent carriageway repairs from 23 May for 5 days at U2025 Brownrigg.
- v) CALC – Seeking nominations for the appointment of two Directors for the CALC Board Allerdale Area from October 2024.
- w) Cumberland Council – re: B5300 Maryport to Silloth. A temporary Speed limit has been put in place to allow Cumberland Council Highways Service to carry out utility works which are expected to commence 1st July 2024 and anticipated to take 3 weeks to complete.
- x) NALC – June 2024 Legal Bulletin.

For Action

- y) Cumberland Council – re: Holme Low Parish signs – Community panels would be unable to fund the refurbishment of the signs, but Highways have money set aside for the restoration of heritage fingerposts.

12. Planning Applications

Cumberland Council has approved the following:

Ref No: FUL/2024/0062 **Applicant:** Mr Storr **Proposal:** Erection of agricultural workers dwelling **Location:** Fir Tree Farm, Seaville, Silloth, CA7 4PT

13. Reports from Representatives on Outside Bodies

14. Cumberland Council Report

To receive a report from the Cumberland Councillor.

15. To receive and consider reports from Councillors

16. Chairman’s Announcements

17. Date of next meeting Parish Council meeting - Tuesday 8 October 2024 at 7.30pm