

# ALSTON MOOR PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES

The minutes of the proceedings of the **PRECEPT MEETING** of Alston Moor Parish Council (AMPC) held on **Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> of January 2023** at 19:00hrs in The Masonic Lodge, Alston.

**Present:** 

**Chairman:** Cllr. Raymond Miller (RM)

Councillors: Cllr. Best, Cllr. Bondi, Cllr. Davies, Cllr. Grew, Cllr. Hanley, Cllr.

Martin, Cllr. Ho, Cllr. Monk, Cllr. Ransom, Cllr. Robertson and

Cllr. Robinson.

Clerk/RFO: Lindsay Nicholson (LN)

Also in attendance: 0

Members of the Public: 0

#### 2024/023 Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were received from Cllr. Green and Cllr. Edgar Resolved: to approve the apologies and accept the reasons given.

#### 2024/024

#### **Declarations of Interest and Requests for Dispensation**

- Cllr Ho Alston Moor Bowling Club Precept Grant Request
- Cllr Miller Alston Gala Precept Grant Request
- Cllr Robertson Alston Moor Historical Society Precept Grant Request
- Cllr Martin Alston Moor Historical Society Precept Grant Request
- Cllr Davies Alston Moor Guides and Alston Community Workshop Precept Grant Requests
- Cllr Ransom Alston Community Workshop Precept Grant Request

#### 2024/025 Budget

The draft budget was prepared and outlined. Councillors discussed each budget heading in turn. Amendments were discussed. Requests for support from the Precept Grant were received from several groups within the community. Where Councillors had an interest in the external group discussed they declared an interest and left the discussion as listed in 2024/024 Declarations of Interest.

Motion: to approve the budget (outlined in appendix 1 of the minutes) for the financial year 2024/2025. Proposer: Cllr. Robinson, Seconder: Cllr. Davies, Vote:

Resolved: to approve the budget for 2024/2025 (copy in appendix 1).

### 2024/026 Precept

The clerk was authorised to request a precept of £58,540.00 for the financial year 2024/2025.

Motion: to approve the precept of £58,540.00 for the financial year 2024/2025.

Proposer: Cllr. Robinson, Seconder: Cllr. Davies, Vote: nem con.

Resolved: to approve the precept of £58,540.00

### 2024/027 Date and Time of Next Meeting

The next meeting is scheduled to be held on Monday the 5<sup>th</sup> of February 2024 at 7.00pm in Alston Town Hall.

Resolved: to receive the information	

Cllr. Miller closed the meeting at 20:10 hrs

Please note: all Parish Council meetings are open to members of the Public.

Chair Signature:	Date:
Clerk Signature:	Date:

## Appendix1

	2024/25
	Budget
Establishment	£19,000.00
Annual donations to Village Halls etc.	£3,570.00
Land/property management	£8,000.00
Community Grants/General Purposes + S 137	£1,500.00
Mill Race maintenance	£500.00
Christmas lights	£1,000.00
Fairhill Car Park	£320.00
Grants to Nenthead & Garrigill Public Toilets	£1,100.00
Nenthead Community Works (Snowplough)	£1,000.00
Alston Town Hall	£10,000.00
Alston Moor Historical Society Archives	£2,100.00
Chair's allowance	£100.00
Alston Gala	£1,000.00
PTA Alston fire-show	£750.00
Alston Music Festival	£500.00
Alston Moor Golf Club	£2,500.00
Community First Responders	£3,000.00
Community Workshop	£1,000.00
Nenthead Play-area	£600.00
Parish seats	£1,000.00
TOTAL	£58,540.00