

HAXEY PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes from the meeting held on Tuesday 28th April 2026 at 7pm at the Foreman Carter Centre, Westwoodside.

Present: Cllrs Carlile, Harris, Holgate, Knowles, Lindley, Steers, Skelton & Thorpe.

Also Present: Ward Cllr Rose & Parish Clerk – Deb Hotson

Chairman: Cllr Holgate presided.

2604/01 Apologies and reasons for absence received from Cllrs Booth, Farmer & Parkin.

2604/02 Public Participation – no residents present.

2604/03 To approve the following minutes:

Resolved – approval for the Parish Council Meeting held 31st March 2026.

Proposed: Cllr Skelton, seconded: Cllr Thorpe. All in favour.

2604/04 To record declarations of interest by any member of the Council in respect of the agenda items listed below. Members declaring interests should identify the agenda item and type of interest being declared.
No declarations.

2604/05 To note dispensations given to any member of the Council in respect of the agenda items listed.
Dispensation granted regarding item 2604/10 due to the Parish Council being Sole Trustee of WPFA.

2604/06 **Planning**

a. To note the minutes of the Planning Committee meeting held on 22nd April 2026.

Minutes noted.

b. To consider the following planning application received after the Planning Committee agenda was issued:

2026/171 – amended/additional information for planning permission to demolish existing rear single storey extension, create a first floor over existing building and form two rear extensions over two-storeys with orangery to the rear elevation demolish at 41 Haxey Lane, Haxey.

Resolved – no objection with the following comments:

The application description has been changed to exclude the workshop/store. Drawing Jon Hall-Extg & Propos Site plans 09 no longer shows the workshop/store. The planning committee's main objection was the inclusion of a workshop/store and this significantly changes are original decision. Based on this information the decision of the Parish Council is to no longer object, any grant of permission will include site plan "Jon Hall-Extg & Propos Site plans 09" as a condition.

Proposed: Cllr Carlile, seconded: Cllr Thorpe. All in favour.

2604/07 **Clerks Report**

a. The NLC In Bloom grant has been submitted for planters and compost.

b. Information on the Community Engagement Network meeting.

c. Thank you email from Haxey Tennis Club for the help and support with the amended planning application.

d. Step Fusion UK FE Strategy stakeholder briefing.

e. NATs minutes from 9th March and the next Isle South NAT will take place on 22nd June.

f. Community Payback Summer Newsletter.

g. Daffodil Club request for funding. Agenda item for the next meeting. Clerk to ask the following questions:

- Where are you based and at what locations will the sessions be held?
- What/Who identified the need and requirements?
- Qualifications.
- Is the authority aware and are they supportive?

Highways / Neighbourhood Services / North Lincolnshire Council items

2604/08 To receive an update on all outstanding highway issues.

- Cllr Lindley to check to see if the Craycroft salt bin has been replaced.
- A job ticket has been raised for the whole in the pavement on Haxey Lane.
- The hedge has been trimmed back on Upperthorpe Road.
- A meeting has been arranged on 11th May with representatives from East Lound, the Parish Council and the Police regarding their concerns on speeding.
- A further meeting has been arranged with the Parish Council, the Police and NLC regarding the parking issues in the parish. Clerk to circulate the information.
- Response from NLC on parking issues. This will be dealt with at the site meeting.

Reports / Updates/

2604/09 To receive a report from the Ward Councillors on activities within North Lincolnshire Council.

Cllr Rose provided the following report:

- The bus shelter on Doncaster Road has been made a priority and will be replaced by NLC.
- The red bins are still being collected.
- Cllr Knowles stated that there was a sign up stating Sandbeds Lane was closed on 5th May. No notification had been received for individuals living on the Lane. Clerk to ask NLC Highways.
- The Connect2 bus has been taken back in house by NLC and started on 28th April.
- Anyone with heating oil is entitled to £100 by completing an online form.
- NLC are trailing monitoring 8 schools with CCTV and Traffic Wardens and if successful will also be introduced in the Isle.

2604/10 To receive the minutes and accounting details from the Westwoodside Playing Field Management Committee determining any actions required. (Next meeting is scheduled for 22nd May).

Item noted.

2604/11 To receive an update report on Westwoodside Pond determining actions required.

In his absence Cllr Parkin has requested that if needed he can purchase the dye to help keep the algae at bay if the water heats up at the pond.

Resolved – a sum not to exceed £200 was approved.

Proposed: Cllr Thorpe, seconded: Cllr Skelton. All in favour.

2604/12 To receive an update report from the Planting Working Group determining any actions required.

Cllr Steers stated that the next meeting will be held on 11th May.

Some of the WI Ladies have joined the Group.

The handyman has cut back the meter sway on Church Lane, and a sign has been put up to inform residents that the area is being developed into a wildlife area.

The new water butts have been installed.

Cllr Thorpe reported that a plant had been uprooted in the bed on Vinehall Road and he will repair this.

2604/13 To receive an update report from Dr Dysons Garden Working Group determining actions required.

This item was deferred.

2604/14 To receive an update report on the Biodiversity Action for Hedgehog pack determining actions required.

This item is still ongoing, and a report will be provided from the group in due course.

2604/15 To receive an update report on the Isle Country Show presentation.

No report provided.

General Items

2604/16 To notify the Clerk of items to be placed on the agenda for the next meeting.

To be provided to the Clerk.

2604/17 To notify the Clerk of items to be submitted for inclusion into the next edition of the Arrow.

- Vermuyden article.

2604/18 The determine actions required regarding the situation with Westwoodside Post Office.

Cllr Rose stated that NLC have tried to make contact with the Regional Manager but have had no responses to all emails sent.

Clerk will write again to the Post Office and copy in MP Lee Pitcher.

The Council to also stated that they support the petition online.

Finance/ Grants

2604/19 To receive a copy of the Financial Statement up to 28th April 2026.

Item noted.

2604/20 To consider the repair to the Haxey Hood Stone determining actions required.

One quote has been received and a further in the next couple of days. A third quote has been requested.

Cllr Parkin was to ask the Hood Group if they would make a contribution.

The Clerk to also contact the insurance company.

2604/21 To consider renewal of the Clerk & Councils Direct.

Resolved – to renew the membership of £15.50.

Proposed: Cllr Thorpe, seconded: Cllr Lindley. All in favour.

2604/22 To consider a grant to East Lound Community Group for the Christmas light electricity.

Resolved – approval of a grant of £240.

Proposed: Cllr Lindley, seconded: Cllr Skelton. All in favour.

Clerk to suggest that solar is looked into.

2604/23 To consider renewal of the service level agreement for emptying the bins in Haxey.

Resolved – renewal of the SLA.

Proposed: Cllr Skelton, seconded: Cllr Thorpe. All in favour.

2604/24 To consider attendance to ERNLLCA planning training.

Item noted.

Expenditure

2604/25 To approve the following accounts.

05.04.26	Phone & Broadband	74.87
10.04.26	IT Support - 11141	47.50
10.04.26	Haxey verges - 786/26	2,172.00
10.04.26	Data Protection Fee	47.00
14.04.26	Membership renewal	1,180.20
21.04.26	Handyman	
21.04.26	Epworth verges - 620	1,020.00
28.04.26	Salary	
28.04.26	Tax & NI	508.37
28.04.26	Pension - April 26	155.20
Total Expenditure 28/04/26		6,767.33

Proposed: Cllr Lindley, seconded: Cllr Steers. All in favour.

2604/26 To agree the time and date of the next Parish Council meeting as Tuesday 26th May 2026, the Annual Meeting of the Parish Council will be held prior to the full Parish Council meeting at 7pm.

2604/27 To consider the exclusion of the public and press in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 s1(2) due to the confidential nature of the item to be discussed if required.

Parish Land

Resolved – Clerk to respond to HSR Law stating that on reflection and much discussion the Parish Council have agreed to remain as is, due to the process being too complicated.

Proposed: Cllr Knowles, seconded: Cllr Lindley. 7 for with 1 abstention.

The tenancy agreement is up to date.

Appendix A – Abbreviations

AA	Allotment Association
CCC	Caravan & Camping Club
CEP	Community Emergency Plan
Cllrs	Councillors
DPD	Development Plan Document
EA	Environmental Agency
ERNLLCA	East Riding & North Lincolnshire Local Council Advisors
FP	Footpath
HPFA	Haxey Playing Field Association
HMRC	His Majesty's Revenue & Customs
HWRCC	Humber Wolds Rural Community Council
ICCM	Institute of Cemetery & Cremations Management
LDF	Local Development Framework
LWP	Land Working Party
LWT	Lincolnshire Wildlife Trust
NATs	Neighbourhood Action Teams
NHW	Neighbourhood Watch NHP
NLC	North Lincolnshire Council
NLH	North Lincolnshire Homes
PCC	Parochial Church Council
P&CC	Police Crime Commissioner
PP	Planning permission
PPAG	Parish Plan Action Group
PROW	Public Right of Way
SSSI	Site of Special Scientific Interest
TEN	Temporary Event Notice
T & PC	Town & Parish Council
WLHH	We Live Here Haxey
WPFA	Westwoodside Playing Field Association
WPFMC	Westwoodside Playing Field Management Committee
WWS	Westwoodside