DEIGHTON PARISH COUNCIL

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL

OFFICIAL NOTICE OF A MEETING OF DEIGHTON PARISH COUNCIL TO BE HELD AT 7.15PM IN ESCRICK VILLAGE HALL ON MONDAY 19TH MAY 2025.

Chairman: Cllr E Lewis

Clerk/RFO: Mrs H Guest, deightonpc@gmail.com

Part 1

25029: Statutory annual meeting business:

- a) **Election of chairman** of the parish council.
 - i) Councillors to elect a chairman for the year.
 - ii) Chairman to sign acceptance of office; clerk to witness signature.
 - iii) Clerk to countersign chairman's acceptance of office.
- b) **Election of vice-chairman** of the parish council.
 - i) Councillors to elect a vice-chairman for the year.
 - ii) Vice-chairman to sign acceptance of office; clerk to witness signature.
 - iii) Clerk to countersign vice-chairman's acceptance of office.

25030: Welcome: Chair to **welcome** councillors, clerk and visitors to the meeting.

25031: Apologies/Attendance:

- a. Council to receive apologies and any reasons for absence from councillors; to consider and resolve whether to accept any reasons given.
- b. All present are requested to sign the Attendance book.

25032: Interests: Chair to remind members to make any declarations of interest in any agenda items.

25033: Minutes

- a. To resolve whether to accept Minutes of last meeting.
- b. If approved, Chairman to sign minutes as a true record.

25034: Council Policies: To consider policies/procedures which may need revision or to confirm that existing documents remain appropriate.

25035: Committees: To resolve composition of any committees deemed necessary for the smooth running of the council and to elect members.

25036: Representatives: To resolve whether to appoint any representatives to outside bodies.

25037: Council to receive comments on agenda items from electors. (For information only; Clerk to make notes of comments; no answers or discussion at this meeting)

25038: To receive reports, for information only, from:

- a) Ward Councillor.
- b) Police
- c) Clerk

25039: Planning:

Applications: TBA
Decisions: TBA
Other: TBA.

25040: Finances:

a) Account balance

Balance to be reported by Cllr Bartram.

- b) Payments made since last meeting under Clerk's delegated powers: To be reported ahead of meeting.
 - c) Payments to be made: To be reported ahead of meeting.
 - d) **Receipts:** To be reported ahead of meeting.
 - e) **GPC:** To resolve whether to approve use of the GPC (General Power of Competence) for the forthcoming year.
 - f) Other:
 - 1. Update on arrangements in memory of Maurice Vassey.
 - 2. Update on banking from Clerk.
 - 3. To discuss and resolve arrangements for Remembrance Day 2025.
 - 4. To discuss and resolve arrangements for Christmas tree 2025.

To note payment of Clerks salary.

To resolve whether to accept report and payments made/to be made.

25041: Defibrillators: No updates.

25042: Highways matters:

- 1. Serious concerns about the speed of egress from Swan Farm Close onto Main Street and the possibility of an accident. To receive any updates.
- 2. Cllr Bartram give any updates regarding the northbound VAS.

25043: Bridleway to west of Deighton Village – Cllr Lewis to update the Council regarding issues caused by irresponsible dog owners on the bridleway, which is used as a dog walking route and to resolve any actions to take.

25044: Correspondence: None.

25045: Items for the next agenda

25046: To note confirmed dates of next meetings: 7th July, 8th September and 10th November 2025, then 12th January, and 9th March 2026.

Closure of meeting.

Signed: H Guest

Clerk, Deighton Parish Council

Date: 14th May 2025