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Parishioners welcome to attend

MINUTES OF ORDINARY MEETING OF CLOUGHTON PARISH COUNCIL HELD IN ST. MARY'S CHURCH HALL ON MONDAY 1st JUNE 2026 AT 7.30PM

Present: Councillor P Couch (Chairman), Councillors D Baker, P Bleasdale, K Fanthorpe, D Ford, S Staveley, A Thompson.

Mrs J Marley (Clerk to Council).

Absent: North Yorkshire Unitary Cllr. D Bastiman.

28/26 **APOLOGIES GIVEN IN ADVANCE OF MEETING:-** North Yorkshire Unitary Cllr. D Bastiman.

29/26 **APPROVAL OF REASONS FOR ABSENCE:-** Prior commitment.

30/26 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST:** None.

31/26 **MINUTES**

Having been previously circulated, the minutes of the meeting of 11th May 2026 were **approved** as an accurate record & authorised for signature by the Chairman.

32/26 **PUBLIC OPEN FORUM** No public present.

33/26 **MATTERS RAISED IN PARISH ASSEMBLY AND PUBLIC OPEN FORUM** None.

34/26 **REPORTS**

a) **Unitary:** No report to receive.

b) **Parish:** Cllr. Thompson reported the Duchy would be sorting the sign they had erected at Saltpans car park & they had no objections to boulders being placed on their land to prevent parking (Cllr. Thompson to approach local landowner). On behalf of parishioners Cllr. Fanthorpe raised questions about the recent re-surfacing on Station Lane – **agreed** she would forward photo to Clerk who would make enquiries of Highways. Cllr. Staveley reports the village's Open Gardens event was to be held on 21st June. Cllr. Couch reported the Wilkinson in memoriam seat in the Quiet Area was rotten – **agreed** he would gather the pieces up including the plaque and Council would consider the action to be taken regarding seat replacement at a future meeting.

c) **Clerk:** No matters to report.

35/26 **PARISH ASSEMBLY MINUTES** Having been circulated with the agenda, the draft minutes of the 2026 Parish Assembly were confirmed as accurate.

36/26 **UPDATES ON MATTERS RAISED AT PREVIOUS MEETINGS:-**

a) Hood Lane steps to Cinder Track [*Minute 22/26b) refers*] – **noted** that following assistance from NY Cllr. Bastiman, the steps had now been repaired;

b) Council's public profile [*Minute 23/26c) refers*] – **noted** Cllr. Couch confirmed his social media contact would help with creation of the page; **noted** Clerk confirmed a dedicated email address on Council's domain specifically for contacts from facebook had been created.

37/26 **CORRESPONDENCE**

a) Letter of thanks from Frack Free Coastal Communities (*circulated with agenda*) – **received & noted**.

b) Correspondence received after 27/5/26 & requiring a response before next meeting – none.

38/26 **PLANNING MATTERS**

a) **Applications Received** – None.

b) **Decisions received:** –

1. NY/2025/0030/ENV Construct temporary wellsite for appraisal of gas, including drilling operation, proppant squeeze and flow testing operation and site restoration, land at east of the Mill Yard, Burniston Mill, Coastal Road, Burniston – **refused**.

2. NYM/NM/2026/00105 Amendment to NYM/2024/0875 to allow additional window to east elevation at ground floor at Hodgson's Moor Farm, Gowland Lane – **granted with conditions**.

c) Planning matters received after 27/5/26:-

1. NYM/FL/2026/00198 Construct new farm entrance and close existing entrance at Spring House Farm, Gowland Lane – **resolved** no objections.

39/25 ACCOUNTS TO CERTIFY – Resolved the following were approved for payment via online banking (Cllrs. Ford and Staveley to do the online authorisation within 24 hours):-

St. Mary's PCC	26/27 Churchyard maintenance contribution [Minute 26/26a) refers]	£278-10
NYC	Recovery of 25/26 Model Agreement underspend [Minute 26/26f) refers]	£68-31

40/26 EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC

Resolved at 7.49pm that the press and public be excluded from the room on the grounds the matter to be discussed relating to legal and contractual matters.

41/26 S. 106 MONIES [Minute 22/26a) refers]

A confidential report by Cllrs. Fanthorpe and Staveley had been circulated to all councillors prior to the meeting and was considered. **Resolved** the contents of that report be received and noted; Clerk to make enquiries as instructed by Council; matter to be deferred to a future meeting.

There being no further business, the Chairman declared the meeting closed at 8.22pm.