TEBAY PARISH COUNCIL

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**NOTICE OF A MEETING TO BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY 26th MARCH 2025 AT THE METHODIST HALL, TEBAY AT 7.30pm**

**A G E N D A**

**1. Apologies for Absence**

**2. Declarations of Interest**

Councillors must declare any pecuniary or non-pecuniary interest they may have in any item on the Agenda.

**3. Minutes of the Meeting of 26th February 2025**

3.1 To approve the Minutes of the above meeting

3.2 Matters arising from the Minutes of that meeting

**4. Planning**

Westmorland & Furness application 2024/1127/FPA – 1 Scaur Terrace, Orton Road, Tebay. The planning applicant wishes to address the meeting about the proposed change of use of the garage at the property from residential use to a vehicle repair garage.

**5. Outstanding Business**

5.1 To receive reports on the condition of the defibrillators.

5.2 The Chair will report on the situation with regard to the damaged “wavy bridge” structure at the North Terrace play area and the future of the play area. Grants totalling £1500 are to be received from Westmorland and Furness Council and a decision is needed on how this money is to be spent.

5.3 The clerk attended a course on emergency planning and has discussed the way forward with a representative of the Social Club. Grants are available via the Cumbria Community Foundation to cover the cost of equipment (eg. radios; torches; pumps; hi-viz) provided that an emergency plan is either in force or being drafted.

5.4 No response has been received from the Minister for Future Roads following the Parish Council’s request for a public meeting.

**6. Highways, Lighting and Grounds Maintenance**

6.1 The collapsed signs at the roundabout and Old Tebay have been reported to W & F Highways.

6.2 20mph speed limit. A consultation exercise is needed to see if residents of Tebay would support the introduction of a 20mph speed limit. The clerk will circulate a draft consultation document for consideration.

6.3 The clerk will report on the letter received from Westmorland and Furness Council about taking back responsibility for street lighting.

6.4 The chair will report on the hedge work to be carried out at Roundthwaite and the maintenance of the grass/shrubs on the roundabout.

**7. Correspondence**

7.1 The usual questionnaire has been received from the insurers and has been circulated to councillors for comments. The premium last year was £1672.00.

7.2 The formal consultation period for the Electoral Review is now open and, following our representations to W & F Council, Tebay and Orton have been placed together in the Sedbergh ward.

**8. Finance**

To approve the following accounts for payment:

M.Longworth – March salary £232.00

HMRC – PAYE for March 58.00

M. Longworth – stationery, stamps and printer ink 58.43

Cumbria Payroll Services 17.40

Lonsdale Settled Estates – recreation ground 16.24

**9. Public Participation**

**10. Reports from Westmorland and Furness Council**

**11. Date and Time of Next Meeting**

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday 30th April 2025 at 7.30pm at the Methodist Hall, Tebay

M. Longworth (clerk)