

Goldcliff Community Council

Minutes of the meeting held at the Schoolroom Goldcliff 16th October 2025 at 7:30pm

Present: - Chair, Councillor Wayne Fox (WF). Cllrs: - R Preece (RP), J Waters (JW) and Bob Dowsell (BD)

Also Present: - Mrs M Fox

Apologies for absence: - Councillors Elaine Ford (EF) and J Rowland (JR)

Minutes correct as of 10/7/2025: Proposed Councillor RP , seconded Councillor RD

1170 – Roads and Infrastructure – NRW to be contacted re Black Audi stuck in the ditch west of the Pumping Station on Broadstreet Common Road

1171 – Drainage and NRW - Nothing to report and no new meetings arranged. Although it was noted that Monks Ditch was not being cleared properly

1172 – Planning and Property maintenance –No Issues

1173 – Community Liaison – Although having been watered by Councillor JW on a regular basis it appears that two of the trees may be dying and a further tree leaning badly. Jamie Williams has been approached to scalp our triangular area to facilitate planting of our spring flower seeds, although this hasn't happened yet.

1174 - The British Heart foundation has supplied the Defibrillator, and it just requires installing

Bleed Kits – First aid Kits ongoing

Investment in the Community / Use of reserves. £13000, our reserves are probably higher than necessary. Suggestions sought on opportunities to invest in the community,. Defibrillator was one possibility but this has been funded by BHF. Noted also that closure of Goldcliff Church may lead to higher future outgoings. Schoolroom kitchen was also noted. Follow up at next meeting

1175 – Governance – Note in previous minutes to be clarified at next meeting. {Paperwork needed (2 Copies not requested in E Mail) to be returned. EF to facilitate}

1176 Village Hall field Trust - Ongoing

1177– One Voice Wales – Training – E mail forwarded. BD, WF and JW to arrange their requested training with OVW. Feedback on quality and relevance of sessions and share content. Others to consider the options available. Everyone needs to have attended code of conduct and new members to attend new councillor training. Review again when we have the above feedback.

1178 Financial –

Cheques :-	Grass Cutting July and September	£280	Proposed JW. Seconded RD
	Letterbox Julia	£20	Proposed WF. Seconded RD
	Flowers W Fox	£45	Proposed RP. Seconded RD

			<i>Current</i>	<i>Deposit</i>	<i>Total</i>
Balances - 8 July			3,583.75	11,328.06	14,911.81
Precept			3,148.20		3,148.20
Electricity	DD		(323.43)		(323.43)
Wales Audit	101187		(1,857.00)		(1,857.00)
One voice wales	101189		(57.00)		(57.00)
Gate & Grass	101188		(680.00)		(680.00)
Interest				74.53	74.53
					0.00
					0.00
Balance 8 October			3,814.52	11,402.59	15,217.11
Bank balances			3,814.52	11,402.59	15,217.11
Outstanding receipts					0.00
Outstanding cheques					0.00
			3,814.52	11,402.59	15,217.11

There being no further business the meeting closed 20:41 Hrs

Next Meeting 13/11/2025 at 7:30pm