Thornton in Lonsdale Parish Council Minutes of meeting held on 29th September 2024

(ref:TILPC29092024)

Present:- Councilor's, Kevin Savage (Chair) Councilor Dave Holman, Councilor Graham Crombie, Councilor Frank Hasleden, Parish Clerk Alan Barton

- 1/ Apologies for absence from Sheila Hunter (Vice Chair)
- 2/ Declarations of interest from any councillor in the agenda items. None
- **3/** Matters arising from the meeting held on Monday 5th August 2024. **None**
- **4/** To discuss any new Planning applications received since the last meeting held. **None received.**
- **5**/ 2025/26 Parish Precept Process. The councillors at the meeting all agreed not to apply for the annual parish precept payment again for the next financial year of 2025/2026. All councillors remained content to provider their services to the parish on a voluntary basis.
- **6/** The parish council had recently been approached to look at sites within the parish e.g. the War Memorial that require weed/grass control. The meeting requested the parish clerk to obtain a quote for a private contractor to undertake the work required.
- **7/** TCPA (Town and Country Planning Association) membership. The meeting agreed to continue with next year's membership and at the new renewal fee of £114.
- **8/** Police crime report. A recent crime report from the local constabulary was shared with the meeting. (a copy of this police report can be found on the parish web site).

9/ A.O.B.

- The YDNPA (Yorkshire District Nation Park Authority) has sent out to the councillors an invitation to join them on a forum (via Teams) to discuss a number of items including National Park Management Plan update. Councillors Dave Holden and Frank Hasleden offered to attend the meeting.
- Some residents of Mason Gill are concerned at some trees which overhang the access road to and around Mason Gill posing an issue to high sided vehicles or which may break off into the road especially during winter months with high winds. It was advised that the local highways authority be asked to undertake a site visit to assess the matter.

There being no further business the meeting was closed.

Next meeting scheduled for 25th November 2024.