

THE PARISH COUNCIL OF SEDBERGH

Agenda for the monthly Meeting of the Parish Council of Sedbergh to be held at 7.30pm on 13 February 2025. This meeting will take place in the Committee Room, Sedbergh People’s Hall, Howgill Lane, Sedbergh.

- 1. Apologies for Absence**
- 2. Any new requests for dispensations**
- 3. Declarations of interest**
- 4. Public Participation**
- 5. To adopt the Minutes of Sedbergh Parish Council, dated 9 January 2025**
- 6. Matters to note from the Minutes of 9 January 2025 not dealt with elsewhere on the agenda**
- 7. Report/Update from Westmorland and Furness Council i) any update/progress in respect of Bus Service Improvement Plan, referred to Local Government and Social Care Ombudsmen. Inc. UK Parliament Transport Committee inquiry ‘Buses Connecting Communities’ ii) Drains Sedbergh, inc. catchpit at Guldrey/Spar**
- 8. Co-Option Vacancies. Members to receive applications from qualifying candidates, for the current Casual Vacancy, to include a vote to select an eligible candidate (consider draft Co-Option Procedure)**
- 9. Planning**
No meeting held, discuss matters referred to Council (including any subsequent/recent application (view via Yorkshire Dales National Park (<https://www.yorkshiredales.org.uk/planning/view-planning-applications/>) i) Yorkshire Dales National Park Management Plan – consultation on draft objectives (attached)
- 10. Finance**
To receive the minutes from the Finance Committee meeting held 10 February and discuss any matters referred for Council
- 11. Amenities Committee**
To receive any minutes from the Amenities Committee meeting held 6 February 2025 and discuss any matters referred to Council i) tree works tender – New Bridge ii) consider draft Memorial Bench Policy
- 12. Update on Projects**
i) Playground Proposal – any update on pre-application advice with Yorkshire Dales National Park, to include proposed car parking area, Electric Vehicle point/s and disabled access pathway to gym
ii) New Bridge layby proposal – an update from Westmorland and Furness Council. Members to consider progress to pre-application advice from Yorkshire Dales National Park
iii) Main Street toilet door replacement – update from Amenities, following information from Westmorland and Furness Council

13. Queens Garden

To receive any updates from the Queen’s Garden Committee and discuss any matters referred to Council i) tree works tender – Queen’s Garden ii) request Members to consider provision of a general waste bin in the garden

14. Correspondence

Receive any items of correspondence (late items to be tabled at the meeting) and additionally consider items for Agenda in March 2025

- i) Westmorland and Furness Council – Cabinet meeting 3 June 2025 (People’s Hall), for information***
- ii) Sedbergh Post Office - Concerns raised over plans to relocate the Post Office to Spar (Station Road)***
- iii) Sedbergh Economic Partnership (SEP) – notes from recent meeting. Members to consider any review of attendance with SEP/Chairman’s position (see Minutes from July/August/October 2024)***
- iv) Resident – Concern raised for pedestrian safety on Dent Road (Akay Lodge to Millthrop Bridge)***
- v) Lincoln’s Inn Bridge Closure – essential works proposed w/c 7 April 2025***

15. Date of next meetings – normal monthly meeting, to be held at 7.30pm on Thursday 13 March 2025 in the Committee Room, Sedbergh People’s Hall, Howgill Lane, Sedbergh