

Thirsk Town Council

A Meeting of Thirsk Town Council will be held
on Monday, 15 January 2024 commencing at 7.15 p.m.
in Thirsk and Sowerby Town Hall Annexe

Agenda

1. **To receive apologies for absence**
2. **Declarations of Interest**
3. **Police Report**
4. **To Receive Reports on Matters Relating to Thirsk:**
North Yorkshire Council
5. **Open Forum**
Members of the public may raise matters with the Town Council
6. **Minutes**
 - a) To approve the Minutes of the Town Council Meeting held on 20 November 2023
 - b) Matters Arising
7. **Committee Minutes and Reports**
 - a) Planning Committee – Minutes dated 16 October 2023 and 20 November 2023
 - b) Open Areas & Greens Committee – Minutes dated 7 November 2023
8. **Burial Board Minutes/Report, Applications for Memorials**
9. **Correspondence/Items Raised**
 - a) **Public Footpath No. 10.150/35, Thirsk Hall Estate, Thirsk Diversion Order 2023**
To receive an email dated 14 December 2023 from Ms Suzanne Williamson, North Yorkshire Council. Attached page 3.
 - b) **Local Plan Launch Event – 5 December 2023**
To receive an email dated 21 December 2023 from Mr Matthew Lishman, North Yorkshire Council. Attached page 4.
 - c) **Ripon Cathedral – Rural Forum**
To receive an email dated 23 December 2023 from The Revd Canon Matthew Pollard, Ripon Cathedral. Attached page 5.
 - d) **Riponian Stages Rally – Sunday, 11 February 2024**
To receive a letter dated January 2024 from Mr Alan Hill, Ripon Motor Sport Club Ltd. Attached page 6.
 - e) **North Yorkshire Council – Parish Workshops**
To receive an email dated 4 January 2024 from Mrs Deborah Flowers, North Yorkshire Council. Attached page 7.

f) Home Upgrade Grant Phase 2 – Information for Parish Councils

To receive an email dated 5 January 2024 from Ms Julie Walden, North Yorkshire Council. Attached page 8.

g) Hate Crime Awareness and Hate Crime Community Champions Event

To receive an email from Ms Tracey Horseman, North Yorkshire Council. Attached page 9.

h) Funding for policing and fire and rescue services in North Yorkshire and York

To receive an email dated January 2024 from North Yorkshire Police, Fire & Crime Commissioner.

Attached pages 10 and 11

10. Budgets/Precept 2024/2025

To consider the following documents and set the precept for the financial year 2024/2025. Attached pages 12 to 20.

- (i) Summary budget
- (ii) Administration/miscellaneous/grants/donations
- (iii) Amenities Budget
- (ii) Burial Board budget
- (v) Public Conveniences budget
- (vi) Draft precept calculation
- (vii) Parish precept calculator
- (viii) External Auditor's Certificate and Opinion 2022/2023

11. Accounts for Payment

12. Reports from Members/Representatives

**H Kemp
Clerk to the Council**