

STANTON – IN – PEAK PARISH COUNCIL: Minutes

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 13th May 2025
At 7:30 pm in Stanton in Peak Village Hall Gym

PRESENT: Cllr A Mellor, Cllr S Fogg and Cllr I Mortimore (Chair)
In attendance: Parish Clerk and 1 members of the public

2028 Election of Chair

Councillor Ian Mortimore was elected chair and signed the declaration of office

2029 Election of Vice-Chair

Councillor Paul Morris was elected vice-chair and will sign the declaration of office at the next meeting

2030 Apologies

Apologies were accepted from Cllr P Morris

2030a Variation of order of business and Clerk's request for inclusion of Time Constrained items

No variations required. Additional planning items: none

2031 Declarations of Members Interests

No declarations were required in respect of this meeting.

2032 Public Speaking

a) Members of the public

Representatives of Safer noted that since the Survey last Autumn everything has come to a standstill. They have drafted an action plan as a blueprint for the main points of concern – noise, lighting, odour, traffic, Woodland Management and Better Communication which will be submitted shortly.

The future of the Forticrete site which has noted visits from Ecobat Management was agreed to be raised at the next Ecobat Liaison meeting.

The Emergency Plan – in relation to neighbours, has become a topic due to fires at a similar site elsewhere in the UK

b) PDNPA Parish Member Kath Potter, DCCllr Sue Hobson, DDDCllr Laura Mellstrom, Inspector Troup, Sergeant Grant and PCSO Boswell sent apologies.

2033 To confirm the Non-exempt minutes of the previous meeting

RESOLVED to confirm as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 11th March 2025 were signed by the Chair.

2034 To determine which if any from Part 1 of the Agenda should be taken with the public excluded: none

2035 Planning Applications – due to the 28-day return deadline, Council will discuss any applications received between publication of the agenda and the meeting date at this meeting.

i) **Decisions received** – NP/DDD/0225/0161 – Swallow Cottage Pilhough Road – Domestic Garage -refused
Discharge of conditions 61, 65 and 66 on NP/DDD/1022/1238New Pilhough Quarry – discharged

ii) **Applications returned due to time constraints:** none

iii) **for Decision** – none

iv) **Planning updates/issues:**

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DCC Planning, DDDC – no matters, PDNPA – Officer to be queried on effects of Curtilage changes on planning for scale of further development. Minerals Officer to be thanked for sharing conditions letter on NPQ

2036 Footpaths and Highways

Highways – the hole with cones and signs is to be reported to ask when works are to be completed as this has been left for months and is dangerous to highway users.

2037 Reports and Decisions

- i. The Green / Parish assets – remedial works are being priced. War Memorial bill for step renovations was authorised. Standing Orders, Financial Regulations and assets were reviewed.
- ii. Stanton Moor Solstice
Agreed to request feedback from DCC regarding Birchover and Stanton comments on the previous year to see what changes have been agreed.
- iii. PDNPA Minerals
Liaison committee – Cllr Fogg to contact to request information on this and the Solstice.
- iv. Ecobat Resources Liaison meeting
The next Ecobat meeting is scheduled in July.
Clerk to chase Forestry Commission to ensure our interest in being consulted has been logged.
- v. VAS updates
The system is mainly being ignored by locals as there are still too many faults and no definitive right of access and a report will be requested from our County Councillor.
- vi. Annual Governance Statement
Council approved the statement of Governance for signature by the Chair.
- vii. Approval of accounts for audit and signing Exemption certificate
Council approved the accounts and authorised signature of the Exemption Certificate.

2038 Items for information and DALC (already circulated by email)

DALC Circulars/briefings; PDNPA Bulletins; DCC Liaison supplied useful information on the steps to Unitary Authority but this is now an unknown with the change of Council.
Fire Service workshop on 21st or 23rd May will be attended by Cllr Mellor

2039 Finance

Resolved to authorise the following:

(a) Accounts for Payment

Cheque No	Net	Vat	
	UB EON	£26.38	£1.32
	UB D Bacon mowing April	£175.00	
	UB Play Inspection CO	£94.95	£18.99
	UB HM Lovell (May salary)	£316.96	
	Ddr NEST (May)	£23.46	
	Ub HM Lovell (expenses may)	£27.78	
	UB EON green electricity	£24.04	£1.20
	UB EMAS audit	£60.38	
	UB D Bacon mowing May	£155.00	
	Ub Insurance	£680.42	
	Ub Youlgrave PC Printer contrib	£35.00	
	UB WNC Gardens & Landscapes – War Mem stepr	£415.00	

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UB HM Lovell (Jun salary)	£316.96
Ddr NEST (Jun)	£23.46
Ddr Bank charges monthly	£6.00

(b) Income – Precept £8600.00 Interest £27.38 vat refund £865.83
DDDC 80thVEVJ £250.00

c) Budget Appraisal/Risk Assessment	
Current balance at 8 th May	£9662.51
Savings Account at 8 th May	£4376.87

2040 Date of next meeting –. Tuesday 15th July in Stanton Lees Chapel
9th September SiP, 18th November SLC,
2026: 20th January SiP, 10th March (+APM) SLC, 12th May SiP

PART II – CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

none

There being no further business the meeting closed at 9: 20 pm