

**Minutes of the Meeting of Hunshelf Parish Council  
held on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2025  
in the Green Moor Methodist Church at 7.00 pm.**

**Present:** Councillors P. Watts (Chair), Mrs K. Austin, P. Garrity and Mrs L. Godley, Mrs D Carrington (Clerk)

Four members of the public were present plus Tom Newman (Steel Valley Project) and Carmen Taylor (BMBC).

**2025/74     Apologies for non-attendance**

Apologies received from Cllr Miss K Battye

This was noted by the meeting.

**2025/75     Declarations of Interest**

There were no declarations of interest.

This was noted by the meeting.

**2025/76     Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 13<sup>th</sup> October 2025**

**RESOLVED:** The Minutes of the meeting of the Parish Council held on 13<sup>th</sup> October 2025 were confirmed as correct.

**2025/77     Matters arising from the Minutes**

Good Councillor guide has now been passed on to Cllr P Watts.

Forge Bridge – the Parish Council believe the retaining wall directly adjoining the bridge needs replacing and this is the responsibility of BMBC Highways

Green Moor history/archive material will transfer from Penistone to Stocksbridge.

Overhanging trees – the Clerk has requested that these be trimmed at Well Hill, Dean Head and Green Moor Road between the village and Hunshelf Hall.

**2025/78     Parish Projects**

Isle of Skye wall – outstanding action for Cllr P Watts to take a look.

Finance – the initial focus will be on ensuring that the Parish Council are compliant with the Transparency Code.

Website/ Heritage Boards – a meeting was held on 27<sup>th</sup> October and the current website content was reviewed. A further meeting will be arranged to move this forwards.

Wind Turbine – this was discussed.

**2025/79      Presentation from the Steel Valley Project**

Tom Newman was in attendance and presented a set of slides which highlighted the work of the Steel Valley Project. The Parish Council will consider whether they wish to partner with the Steel Valley Project.

The Parish Council thanked Tom for his attendance.

**2025/80      Slips, Trips and Falls – volunteers and provision for older people**

Carmen Taylor (BMBC) was in attendance and she explained to the Parish Council, the work that her team do and how this might benefit residents within the parish.

The Parish Council thanked Carmen for her attendance.

**2025/81      Changes to Barnsley's Local Election Cycle**

**RESOLVED: The Parish Council agreed the changes to Barnsley's Local Election Cycle. The Clerk to notify BMBC of the resolution.**

**2025/82      Annual Play Inspection Report**

The annual play inspection report was discussed and the risks noted.

Cllr Watts to assess the risk relating to the pedestrian gate.

**2025/83      Sub Groups**

Team Green Moor

The application for the projector and cabinet hasn't been successful however this has been re-submitted as a Ward Alliance Grant application. The meeting is on the 13<sup>th</sup> November.

**RESOLVED: The Parish Council will await the outcome of the meeting and will make a decision concerning the purchase of the projector outside of the meeting.**

An Environment Grant has been awarded for the dry stone wall project.

**RESOLVED: The Parish Council funding for the dry stone wall project to be returned.**

The Millennium Green has been mowed, daffodil bulbs have been planted and mowers have been serviced.

**RESOLVED: The Parish Council approved the invoice to be paid from Gunson for the servicing of the**

**mowers.**

## HEAT

Upcoming events include – local history with B Tylee on 13<sup>th</sup> November, owl talk with Cllr P Garrity on 27<sup>th</sup> November, wreath making 30<sup>th</sup> November.

### **2025/84      Communications from the Public**

The Parish Council considered the Supporting Green Moor Cricket Club questionnaire. There were no comments recorded.

A query had been received regarding back-dated Hunshelf Chat's and whether these are saved on the website. The Clerk responded that these were not saved due to data protection.

Cllr Miss K Battye wished to record her thanks to the Wortley and Thurgoland Lunch Club's 40<sup>th</sup> Celebration.

This was noted by the meeting.

### **2025/85      Reports from the Clerk**

The Clerk reported that the public engagement had commenced on bus franchising.

This was noted by the meeting.

### **2025/86      Planning Applications and Consultation**

2025/1910 – Removal of existing cricket square and replaced with a non turf strip of the same size in a natural green – Green Moor Sports Club, Hill Top Lane, Green Moor, Sheffield, S35 7DQ.

**RESOLVED: The Parish Council supported the application.**

2022/1039 – Erection of single storey dwelling and garage with associated works (amended plans) – Land east of Delph Mews, Green moor, Sheffield, S36 7DQ.

A member of the public has made the Parish Council aware of concerns that the the building work may not be in accordance with the plans submitted. This has been raised with Planning Enforcement Team.

This was noted by the meeting.

### **2025/87      New Street Lighting Attachment Guidance**

The Clerk made the Parish Council aware of new guidance and the need to submit an application to attach anything to a street light.

This was noted by the meeting.

## 2025/88      Payments &amp; Income

## Payments

Cllr Mrs L Godley – Reimburse HEAT Expenses – duplicate payment returned	(£11.95)
Green Moor Church hire – Green Moor Carol Singers Violin Talk	£50.00
Cllr Mrs K Austin – reimburse expenses padlock	£30.96
Cllr Miss K Battye – reimburse expenses – book token Remembrance Sunday	£20.00

## Income

Green Moor Carol Singers – violin talk donations	(£60.75)
Green Moor Carol Singers – carol book sale	(£20.00)

**Current account balance as at 30/10/25** **£13,881.08**

**Business account balance as at 30/10/25** **£ 166.52**

The above were noted by the meeting.

2025/89 Monthly Financial Report

Cllr P Garrity gave a verbal update with respect to the monthly financial report and the amount in reserves.

This was noted by the meeting.

**2025/90**      **Reports of crime in the parish**

There were no reports of crime in the Parish to note.

This was noted by the meeting.

**2025/91      Comments from Green Moor Cricket Club**

There were no comments from Green Moor Cricket Club.

**2025/92      Any minor items or items for the agenda of the next meeting**

There were no other minor items or items for the agenda of the next meeting.

**2025/93**      **Date and time of the next meeting**

The next meeting of the Parish Council is to be held on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2025 at 7.00pm in Green Moor Methodist Church.