

Kirkburn Parish Council
Smithy Cottage, Main Street, Kirkburn, YO25 9DU

Minutes of the Kirkburn Parish Council Precept Meeting held at
Kirkburn Village Hall, 7.30 pm Tuesday 10th January 2017

Councillors present

Vicky Bell
Beverley Didsbury
Liz Webster
Philip Ashcroft (Chair and Acting Clerk)
Carl Jones

1. Apologies for absence

Lesley Cairns

2. Declarations of interest

Philip Ashcroft declared an interest as a member of the Kirkburn Village Hall Committee.

3. Determination of precept for 2017/18 financial year

With the agreement of the parish council members the Clerk utilised the budget modelling spreadsheet prepared for the previous financial year's precept setting exercise as the starting point for the discussion of the new precept.

The spreadsheet was updated to reflect the expected out turn for the financial year 2016/17. This was based on the known outstanding budget commitments for the current financial year and the agreed anticipated financial commitments for 2017/18.

The precept figure was then adjusted to reflect a range of options and then modelled accordingly.

Based on the modelling undertaken and the discussions on each option it was unanimously agreed to submit a request to ERYC for a precept for 2017/18 of £3430.00

4. Any other business

Since the last parish council meeting Barry Brook has submitted his resignation, due to ill health, to the Chair.

The Chair and all the members present expressed their thanks to Barry for his service to the community.

The Clerk will contact ERYC to inform them that a vacancy has now arisen on the parish council.

5. Date and time of next meeting

The next meeting will be on Tuesday 7th March 2017 at 7.30 pm in Kirkburn Village Hall.

Meeting closed at 8.45 pm