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Local Government Act 1972 Whalley Parish Council

Members of the Council, you are summoned to a Meeting of the Parish Council to be held on Thursday 21st March 2024 in the Lower Garden Room, Whalley Old Grammar School at 7.30pm Signed: *EKHaworth*

Liz Haworth - Clerk & Responsible Finance Officer

Agenda

Agenda items should be submitted to the Clerk seven clear days before the meeting. The Clerk will forward Councillors, all relevant information and supporting documents, 3 clear days before the meeting.

1.	Attendance & Apologies	
	To record attendance and to receive apologies for absence.	
2.	Declaration of Interests	
	To receive declarations of disclosable pecuniary, other registrable and non registrable interests in items for discussion on the agenda.	
3.	To Approve the Minutes of the Previous Parish Council Meetings	
	To approve and confirm the accuracy of the Minutes of the meeting held Thursday 15 th February 2024.	Emailed to Cllrs.
4.	To Receive the Minutes of other Committees	
	To receive the minutes of the Planning Committee meeting held Thursday 15 th February 2024.	Emailed to Cllrs.
5.	To Adjourn the Meeting for Public Discussion	
	To adjourn for members of the public wishing to speak at the meeting in respect of items on the agenda or to update on relevant village matters. (5 mins per person)	
6.	Partnership Meetings	
	To receive reports from Borough/County Councillors and partnership meetings Councillors have attended which impact on the Parish e.g., LCC, RVBC, Parish Liaison, Police Partnership meeting updates.	
7.	Speeding/SpID Plates/Lighting Columns/Joint Working Group	
	To receive an update on the installation of backplates on the eight locations throughout the village.	JT
	To receive an update on the SpID installed on Mitton Road and review the statistical report and briefing note prepared by JT.	Emailed to
	To discuss and agree the next SpID location.	

8.	RVBC CIA Response to Licensing Correspondence	
	To further consider correspondence with RVBC re licensing in Whalley whilst the Cumulative Impact Assessment is in place and the WPC management of future alcohol license applications.	
9.	Planning Permission Whalley Sports Park	
	To receive an update on the preparation of the planning application for the Sports Park and funding.	
10.	WPC Policy Documents	
	10.1 To review and approve the Risk Management Policy. 10.2 To review and approve the Risk Management Register.	
11.	Assets Registers	
	11.1 To review and approve the WPC Assets Register. 11.2 To review and approve the Cemetery Assets Register.	
12.	Nat West On-Line Banking Arrangements	
	To add another member of the council to the internet banking mandate for contingency in the event of unavailable members for the dual authorising of transactions.	
13.	Churchyard Committee	
	To review, approve and adopt the Terms of Reference for the Churchyard Committee.	
14.	80TH ANNIVERSARY OF D-DAY	
	To discuss any suggestions for acknowledging the 80 th Anniversary of D-Day.	
15.	A Boards & Advertising	
	To assess the A Boards around the village for public safety and prevent highway obstructions.	RV/GM
16.	Annual Parish Meeting	
	To consider and agree to book a speaker for the Annual Parish Meeting.	
17.	Monthly Financial Report	
	To Authorise Accounts, Payments, Receipts & Balances for February 2024.	Emailed to Cllrs.
18.	Reports by Clirs & Clerk as INFORMATION only – Not for debate	
	Items arisen, correspondence received since the last meeting for information only, that may result in future agenda item. Rural Bulletins RAG Updates Trading Standards/Consumer Alerts RV Updates	Emailed to Cllrs.
	 Neighbourhood/Stay In The Know updates/Crime Figures Local Electric Vehicle Infrastructure (LEVI) Pilot Funding 	

	 Application for the grant of a Premises Licence/Club Premises Certificate The Nab Lab, 35b King Street, Whalley, Clitheroe BB7 9SP WEF Minutes - lawns Bus Changes
19.	Employment Matters
	To update members of the Council on employment related matters. As this is an employment related matter, members of the Council to resolve to exclude Press & Public for this item.
20.	Next Meeting Dates
	To approve the date of the next Parish Council meeting Thursday 18 th April 2024 at 7.30pm at Whalley Old Grammar School.



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Minutes

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Attendance & Apologies	
Present: Cllr Allen, Cllr Ball, Cllr Brown, Cllr Highton (Chairman), Cllr Mirfin, Cllr Threlfall, Cllr Vickers.	2404/24
Apologies: Cllr Carlton, Cllr Smith, Borough Cllr Atherton, Borough Councillor Hindle.	
In Attendance: Borough Councillor Aaron Wilkins-Odudu, 7 members of the public.	
Declaration of Interests	
There were no declarations of disclosable pecuniary, other registrable and non registrable interests in items for discussion on the agenda.	2405/24
To Approve the Minutes of the Previous Parish Council Meetings	
It was resolved to approve and confirm the accuracy of the Minutes of the meeting held Thursday 18 th January 2024.	2406/24
To Receive the Minutes of other Committees	
It was resolved to receive the minutes of the Planning Committee meeting held Thursday 18 th January 2024.	2407/24
To Adjourn the Meeting for Public Discussion	
The meeting was adjourned for members of the public wishing to speak at the meeting in respect of items on the agenda or to update on relevant village matters. (5 mins per person).	
A resident discussed concerns over the Cemetery at Calderstones. WPC are to make further enquiries.	2408/24
A visitor discussed concerns of obstructive constructions potentially causing flooding issues on the banks of the River Calder. WPC are to investigate. LCC Cllr Mirfin to discuss with Flood Leads and appropriate LCC representatives.	2409/24
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	It was reported that the Station is running normally. There are rail replacement weekend buses running from the Station to Bolton and Manchester until 25/2/2024.	2410/24
6.	Partnership Meetings	
	Reports were received from Borough/County Councillors and partnership meetings Councillors have attended which impact on the Parish e.g., LCC, RVBC, Parish Liaison, Police Partnership meeting updates.	
	Cllr Vickers attended the Parish Liaison Meeting. Items discussed included Affordable Housing, Housing Register, Homelessness, and a Settlement Study that is scheduled to determine strategy for the Local Plan. Councils are to define the settlements in their area and provide information as to how those settlements are served by shops / leisure / schools etc. Further information is awaited.	2411/24
	LC Cllr Mirfin reported that there is a focus on Measles awareness due to the growing number of infections and the seriousness of the highly contagious disease caused by a virus. LC Cllr Mirfin reported that he has received many complaints about the footpaths on Station Road and they are due to be resurfaced along with patching on Station & Mitton Road. Cllr Mirfin has requested that LCC employ more Highway Inspectors to inspect works and repairs that are sub-standard.	2412/24
7.	Speeding/SpID Plates/Lighting Columns/Joint Working Group	
	It was reported that the SpID on Mitton Road is now installed for a period of 2 weeks. Statistics for this period will be provided for review.	2413/24
	Enquiries are being made to source, order and install 8 back plates so that other locations in the village can be monitored by the SpID.	
8.	RVBC CIA Response to Licensing Correspondence	
	A discussion was had about the correspondence with RVBC re licensing in Whalley whilst the Cumulative Impact Assessment is in place. WPC are to continue in their correspondence with RVBC on this matter.	2414/24
9.	Planning Permission Whalley Sports Park	
	We are awaiting an update on the preparation of the planning application for the Sports Park and will advise in due course.	2415/24
	Strategic Leisure Limited has been commissioned by Ribble Valley Borough Council to undertake a feasibility study on the future of Ribblesdale pool and other sport and physical activity facilities.	2416/24
	As part of this project, they have been asked to undertake an audit of the community facilities (e.g. village/community/parish halls) in Whalley to determine the current provision, quality and its usage to help build an accurate picture of the facilities accessible to the community, suitable for physical activity. An initial site visit and consultation has been arranged for Thursday, February 22nd 2024. Cllr Highton will attend.	

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12.	Benches							
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	Cllr Ball noted that the proposed renovation of the churchyard path, which was under consideration for flagging, would necessitate a faculty decision. However, there was a consensus that further investigation was needed before proceeding with an application to the Diocese, especially considering that the church is a listed building. Cllr Ball is to call a meeting of the Churchyard Committee.	2423/24
	Cllr Vickers reported that the Barrett estate at Lamb Roe is nearing completion. The footpath down to the railway line is now complete. Outdoor gym equipment has been installed around the development.	2424/24
	Cllr Brown reported that she has been contacted by a resident (email previously circulated to Cllrs) on Back King Street with regards to the level of traffic on the section between the part that joins the main road and the corner where the matter of concern meets it. It was commented that it is an extremely busy corner and many times when residents try to enter from the main road, they can be forced to reverse back onto the main road of King Street. The Council have sought advice from RVBC and understand that as it is an unadopted road with unregistered sections, it is a civil matter and residents will have to seek their own legal advice.	2425/24
	Cllr Brown reported that she has received thanks from the recipients of the grant monies approved by the Council.	2426/24
	Cllr Allen reported that double parking and inconsiderate parking on Woodland Park is causing issues for pedestrians, pedestrians with prams and wheelchairs and other road users. The traffic wardens are to be informed and further monitoring of the situation before approaching the Police.	2427/24
	Cllr Threlfall reported that LCC had been jetting gullies on Mitton Road.	2428/24
	Cllr Highton has received complaints from residents around Calder Vale of waste bins being left on the street outside of the days of refuse collections. This has been raised with RVBC.	2429/24

17.	Employment Matters	
	It was resolved to exclude Press & Public for this item as the Council discussed ongoing employment matters. The notes for this item are private and confidential as may prejudice an ongoing employment tribunal. Appendix A-17-2430/24	2430/24
18.	Next Meeting Dates	
	It was resolved to approve the date of the next Parish Council meeting of Thursday 21st March 2024 at 7.30pm at Whalley Old Grammar School.	2431/24

Meeting Closed 9.40pm

Signed by Chairman:	Date:
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Councillor Martin Highton



Briefing Note.

Results of Speed Survey - Speed Indicator Device (SpID) at 106 Mitton Road – February 2024

A Speed Survey was undertaken on Mitton Road using a Speed Indicator Device (SpID) located at approximately 106 Mitton Road Whalley from 5th to 22nd February 2024 (15 days).

The SpID was loaned by Altham Parish Council with whom Whalley Parish Council has an agreement.

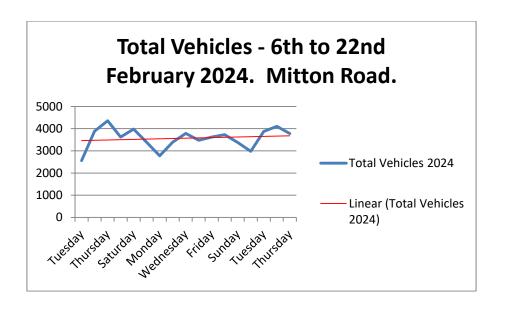
A full report of the data collected by the Device is available but following please find the high-level results, and for comparison, the results for the Survey conducted at the same location from 19th March to 29th March 2023 (11 days).

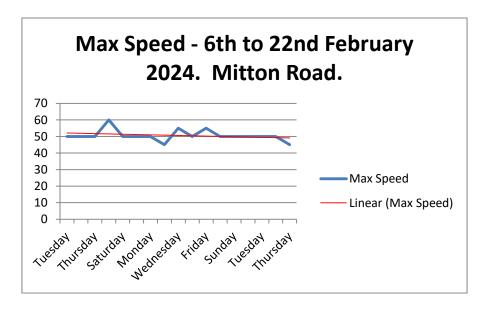
2024 Speed Survey

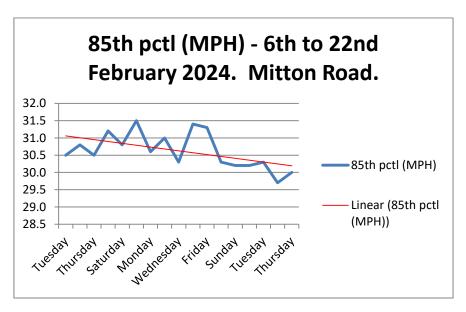
<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
5 February 2024	22 February 2024
No. of Vehicles	61,544
Ave Daily Vehicles	3620
Max Speed	60
85th Percentile speed	30.6
Average Speed	26.39
Vehicles over speed limit	10318

2023 Speed Survey

<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
19 March 2023	29 March 2023
No. of Vehicles	25,008
Ave Daily Vehicles	2273
Max Speed	50
85th Percentile speed	30.4
Average Speed	26.51
Vehicles over speed limit	not shown







Observations:

- The average number of vehicles per day appears to have increased by 60% when compared to the March 2023 survey: 2023 2,273; 2024 3,620.
- The highest vehicle speed recorded in 2024 was 60mph (50mph in 2023)
- The 85th percentile speed in 2024 was 30.6mph (the speed where 85% of vehicles travel at or below) against 30.4mph in 2023, so there has been a very slight increase.
- The average speed of all vehicles has fallen marginally from 26.51mph in 2023 to 26.39mph in 2024.
- 17% of vehicles exceeded the 30 mph speed limit as they passed the Device in 2024 (no figure for 2023).

John S Threlfall Vice Chairman Whalley Parish Coucil.

For Project:	106 Mitton Road, Whalley No2	lley No2					
Project Notes:	Mittin Road, Whalley						
Location/Name:	Incoming						
Report Generated:	23/02/2024	18:05:12					
Speed Intervals	5 MPH						
Time Intervals	Instant						
Traffic Report From	05/02/2024	10:00:00	through	22/02/2024	08:59:59		
85th Percentile Speed	30.6 MPH						
85th Percentile Vehicles	52312						
Max Speed	60 MPH	on	08/02/2024	06:10:00			
Total Vehicles	61544						
AADT:	3629						
Volumes -							
weekly counts							
	Time	5 Day	7 Day				
Average Daily		3525	3411				
AM Peak	08:00	369	296				
PM Peak	16:15	335	319				
Speed							
Speed Limit:	30						
85th Percentile Speed:	30.6						
50th Percentile Speed:	26.6						
10 MPH Pace Interval:	20.0 MPH	to	30.0 MPH				
Average Speed:	26.39						
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Count over limit	1640	1784	1971	1499	1287	1211	926
% over limit	16.7	15.2	17.0	18.5	16.7	17.9	16.1
Avg Speeder	33.2	33.2	33.1	33.5	33.3	33.3	33.3
Avg Speed	5.6	5.4	5.4	6.1	5.7	6.4	6.8

Dav/Time Ending	85th pctl (MPH)	85th pctl cnts	Total Cnts	Max Speed	Avg Speeder	% Speeders	Avg Speed
05/02/2024 11:00:00	29.6	. 84	66	35	32.5	10.1%	26.0
05/02/2024 12:00:00	30.0	173	203	40	32.8	14.8%	26.1
05/02/2024 13:00:00	29.7	224	263	40	32.8	12.2%	25.9
05/02/2024 14:00:00	29.9	187	220	40	33.0	14.1%	26.0
05/02/2024 15:00:00	29.6	231	272	40	32.7	11.4%	25.4
05/02/2024 16:00:00	29.4	292	343	40	33.1	89.6	25.1
05/02/2024 17:00:00	30.2	276	325	40	32.7	15.7%	26.4
05/02/2024 18:00:00	31.0	256	301	40	32.9	18.3%	26.4
05/02/2024 19:00:00	31.5	197	232	45	32.9	21.1%	26.8
05/02/2024 20:00:00	32.9	122	143	45	33.8	26.6%	27.3
05/02/2024 21:00:00	33.0	78	92	40	33.4	29.3%	7.72
05/02/2024 22:00:00	33.6	22	26	50	34.7	34.6%	28.8
05/02/2024 23:00:00	34.4	20	23	40	33.5	43.5%	29.2
06/02/2024 00:00:00	37.0	17	20	40	34.4	%0:29	31.4
06/02/2024 01:00:00	35.0	8	4	40	35.0	20.0%	28.3
06/02/2024 02:00:00	40.0	ĸ	m	40	37.5	33.3%	30.7
06/02/2024 03:00:00	35.0	2	2	35	32.5	20.0%	29.5
06/02/2024 04:00:00	25.0	Н	1	25	0.0	%0:0	22.0
06/02/2024 05:00:00	35.0	ю	4	40	34.2	75.0%	32.0
06/02/2024 06:00:00	36.2	25	29	50	34.8	51.7%	29.8
06/02/2024 07:00:00	32.4	83	86	50	34.2	23.5%	27.4
06/02/2024 08:00:00	30.2	226	266	40	32.7	15.8%	26.4
06/02/2024 09:00:00	29.8	330	388	40	32.8	13.1%	25.7
06/02/2024 10:00:00	30.3	181	213	45	33.4	16.0%	25.7
06/02/2024 11:00:00	29.7	180	212	40	32.9	11.3%	26.0
06/02/2024 12:00:00	29.7	203	239	40	33.3	12.6%	25.2
06/02/2024 13:00:00	29.6	189	222	40	33.3	11.3%	25.3
06/02/2024 14:00:00	31.4	182	214	40	33.1	20.1%	26.7
06/02/2024 15:00:00	29.9	232	273	40	33.2	13.9%	26.2
06/02/2024 16:00:00	29.6	316	372	40	32.9	11.0%	25.7
06/02/2024 17:00:00	29.7	303	356	45	33.2	11.5%	25.7
06/02/2024 18:00:00	31.2	291	342	40	32.9	19.0%	26.7
06/02/2024 19:00:00	32.0	194	228	40	32.8	24.1%	26.9
06/02/2024 20:00:00	32.5	150	177	45	33.1	27.7%	27.7
06/02/2024 21:00:00	33.9	103	121	45	33.9	38.8%	29.0
06/02/2024 22:00:00	34.2	63	74	45	33.9	43.2%	29.1
06/02/2024 23:00:00	35.0	23	27	40	34.2	44.4%	28.6
07/02/2024 00:00:00	33.3	18	21	45	33.9	33.3%	28.1
07/02/2024 01:00:00	40.0	2	2	40	35.0	100.0%	34.5
07/02/2024 02:00:00	35.0	2	2	35	32.5	20.0%	29.5
07/02/2024 03:00:00	35.0	2	2	35	32.5	20.0%	29.5
07/02/2024 04:00:00	35.0	1	1	35	32.5	100.0%	32.0
07/02/2024 05:00:00	35.0	3	4	40	35.0	20.0%	30.8
07/02/2024 06:00:00	34.4	22	26	50	34.8	42.3%	29.6
07/02/2024 07:00:00	33.9	85	100	45	33.9	36.0%	28.1
07/02/2024 08:00:00	29.6	255	300	40	32.6	11.3%	25.9

26.1	26.8	25.7	25.8	26.0	25.3	24.1	23.9	24.6	26.7	27.5	27.7	27.7	29.3	28.8	26.5	31.6	27.0	32.0	27.0	29.0	30.6	28.2	26.9	26.1	25.9	26.0	26.2	25.9	26.0	26.4	25.9	26.0	27.3	28.0	27.1	28.6	28.7	27.5	28.1	27.5	24.3	22.0	27.9	28.5	29.8	27.9
14.1%	19.4%	15.2%	13.4%	16.7%	13.8%	8.7%	2.8%	8.6	18.6%	29.1%	27.3%	27.9%	46.6%	38.6%	13.3%	25.6%	%0:0	100.0%	20.0%	33.3%	45.5%	35.0%	20.2%	12.0%	13.5%	15.9%	15.0%	13.4%	14.2%	20.2%	14.7%	16.9%	21.9%	31.8%	23.7%	36.3%	36.8%	24.3%	33.3%	30.8%	11.1%	0.0%	42.9%	62.5%	43.8%	28.0%
32.9	32.8	32.8	32.6	32.8	32.6	32.5	33.3	33.5	33.0	33.3	32.9	33.9	33.5	34.9	37.5	35.5	0.0	32.5	37.5	37.5	35.0	34.6	33.2	33.2	32.9	32.9	32.9	32.7	33.0	33.1	33.2	33.6	33.3	33.1	34.0	33.6	33.7	34.2	35.0	33.8	32.5	0.0	32.5	33.5	34.6	34.2
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29.9	31.2	30.1	29.8	30.6	29.9	29.2	28.8	29.3	31.1	32.7	32.4	33.1	34.2	35.6	30.0	40.0	30.0	35.0	30.0	35.0	37.0	33.8	31.5	29.7	29.8	30.3	30.0	29.8	29.9	31.4	30.0	30.7	31.9	32.9	32.4	33.5	33.9	32.1	35.0	33.3	30.0	25.0	33.3	35.0	36.7	33.2
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20.3%	15.6%	15.2%	11.8%	14.9%	16.5%	14.1%	14.5%	13.6%	19.3%	22.5%	26.9%	35.2%	38.3%	26.0%	33.3%	52.2%	20.0%	75.0%	100.0%	28.6%	30.8%	30.0%	36.0%	24.7%	30.9%	17.6%	19.3%	13.1%	13.2%	9.2%	18.1%	18.3%	12.9%	20.4%	17.5%	32.3%	34.2%	45.7%	39.7%	51.2%	50.0%	%0:0	57.1%	30.0%	55.6%
33.5 37.8	33.2	33.0	33.0	33.1	32.9	33.2	32.9	33.1	33.0	33.3	33.5	34.0	33.9	34.4	34.2	36.3	37.5	37.5	32.5	37.5	33.8	34.7	34.0	33.9	33.2	32.8	33.0	33.2	32.5	32.7	32.9	33.0	32.7	33.6	33.5	33.7	33.7	33.9	35.3	35.0	34.2	0.0	35.0	35.8	32.5
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231	276	257	272	268	284	313	318	294	285	213	145	105	47	20	36	23	5	4	1	7	13	30	75	170	243	278	316	267	296	336	265	241	201	162	143	93	92	70	89	43	18	5	7	10	6
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31.5	30.3	30.0	29.7	30.0	30.5	29.9	29.9	29.9	31.2	32.0	32.7	33.8	34.2	32.8	33.5	40.0	30.0	40.0	35.0	37.5	33.3	35.0	34.0	32.7	33.0	30.8	31.3	29.8	29.8	29.5	30.9	31.0	29.8	31.7	31.0	33.3	33.4	34.4	35.7	37.1	35.0	28.3	37.5	35.0	34.0
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27.1	27.7	27.5	25.5	26.6	26.4	26.0	25.7	25.1	25.8	25.2	26.9	27.3	27.4	28.0	29.0	28.5	31.2	25.5	22.5	27.0	27.0	27.5	27.4	27.5	26.2	26.9	27.1	26.9	26.7	26.4	26.7	26.2	26.2	26.1	26.3	27.8	28.2	28.7	28.1	28.9	29.2	27.3	27.0	22.0	27.0
27.3%	24.1%	25.2%	9.2%	17.3%	13.4%	13.7%	12.0%	2.9%	13.1%	12.2%	20.4%	26.3%	26.9%	35.7%	54.5%	35.7%	20.0%	16.7%	%0:0	%0:0	%0:0	30.4%	28.9%	24.9%	13.8%	18.4%	20.2%	17.5%	19.5%	15.3%	16.9%	12.2%	16.0%	13.6%	15.6%	25.9%	31.9%	28.6%	31.0%	25.0%	33.3%	0:0%	0.0%	20.0%	50.0%
32.5	34.5	32.9	33.5	33.2	32.9	33.1	32.8	33.4	32.9	33.2	33.4	34.0	33.2	33.8	33.3	34.5	37.5	32.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	32.5	33.1	33.1	33.2	33.0	33.0	32.9	33.2	33.0	33.3	33.5	33.2	32.6	33.4	32.7	33.6	35.5	34.2	35.8	39.2	0.0	0.0	32.5	32.5
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31.7	33.1	32.3	29.5	30.8	29.9	29.9	29.7	29.1	29.8	29.7	31.5	32.7	32.5	33.8	34.5	35.0	40.0	30.0	25.0	30.0	30.0	32.9	32.9	32.2	29.9	31.1	31.5	30.8	31.2	30.2	30.6	29.8	30.3	29.9	30.2	32.2	33.3	35.0	33.6	35.0	40.0	29.2	30.0	35.0	35.0
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179	211	40	33.6	18.0%	27.0
241	284	40	33.4	19.0%	27.0
214	252	35	32.5	11.5%	25.9
246	289	45	33.0	11.1%	25.7
237	279	35	32.5	7.9%	25.5
196	2,2	40	33.4	15.7%	25.9
275	324	40	32.7	86.6	25.0
275	323	40	33.0	9.3%	25.2
298	350	40	33.3	17.7%	26.1
243	286	40	32.8	18.5%	26.7
153	180	45	33.3	20.6%	27.2
116	136	45	33.9	15.4%	24.6
68	105	40	33.1	38.1%	28.2
54	63	40	33.8	30.2%	28.4
56	30	45	35.6	26.7%	27.9
14	17	40	33.5	29.4%	27.6
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	2	30	0.0	0.0%	24.5
	2	35	32.5	20.0%	29.5
14	17	40	34.2	17.6%	27.5
~	98	45	34.2	34.9%	28.4
162	190	45	33.5	21.1%	27.3
218	257	40	33.0	17.9%	26.6
196	231	40	32.8	17.3%	26.5
203	239	40	33.2	18.4%	26.6
207	243	40	32.9	14.8%	26.5
216	254	50	33.1	16.9%	26.5
204	240	40	32.6	17.9%	26.6
217	255	45	33.3	16.9%	26.2
256	301	40	32.8	16.3%	26.4
262	308	45	33.3	15.6%	26.0
220	259	45	33.2	24.7%	27.4
160	188	40	32.9	18.1%	27.1
114	134	45	33.2	20.1%	26.5
09	71	40	33.6	19.7%	27.2
99	78	40	32.7	35.9%	28.7
51	09	45	34.6	40.0%	29.5
31	37	45	35.1	51.4%	30.8
12	14	45	36.7	42.9%	31.1
10	12	50	39.5	41.7%	31.7
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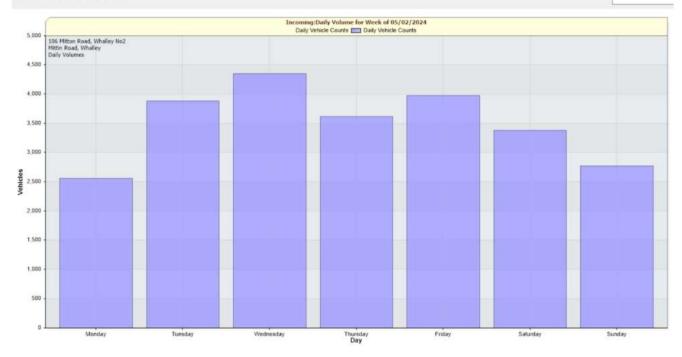
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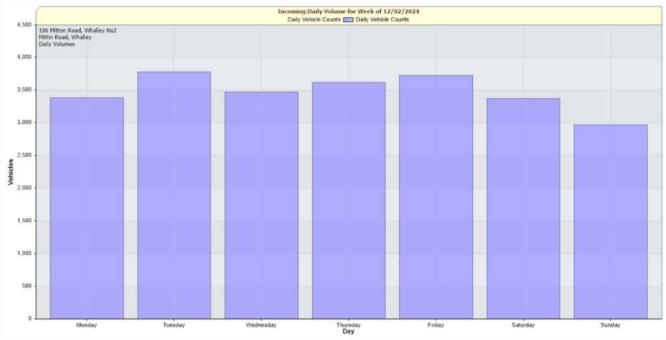
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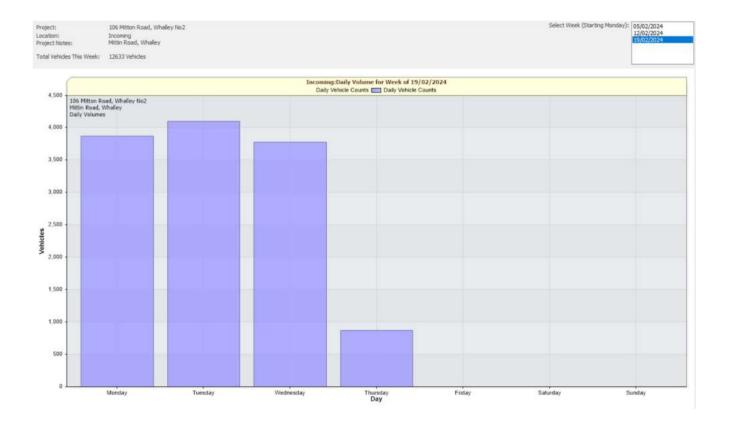
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Policy on Risk Management and Risk Register

This Policy sets out the Parish Council's position and procedure regarding Risk Management

Version Control

Version	Date	Description of Change
V.1	16.3.23	New Policy

Risk is a threat that an event or action will adversely affect the council's ability to achieve its objectives, implement its strategies and provide its services.

Risk management is the process by which risks are identified, evaluated, addressed and reviewed.

Whalley Parish Council recognises that it has a responsibility to take all reasonable and practical measures to safeguard its employees, the people it works with and provides services for; and to protect the natural and built environments for which it is responsible.

The council is aware that some risks cannot be eliminated fully and has in place a strategy that provides a structured, systematic and focused approach to managing risk and including where necessary, the introduction of internal controls and/or appropriate use of insurance cover.

The objectives of the risk management policy are to:

- Integrate risk management into the culture of the council
- · Manage risk in accordance with best practice and legislative requirements
- Minimise loss, disruption, injury and damages
- Inform policy and operational decisions by identifying risks and their likely impact
- Raise awareness of the need for risk management
- To promote good corporate governance

It is the responsibility of all Members and staff to have regard for risk management whilst carrying out their duties.

These objectives will be achieved by:

- Identification of risk
- Undertaking risk assessments assigning risk factor High, Medium or Low (H/M/L).
- Managing the risk and recording actions
- Incorporating risk management considerations into council processes
- Providing appropriate training
- Establishing clear roles, responsibilities and reporting lines
- Effective communication and active involvement of, employees and members of the Council.
- · Monitoring and Reporting

Following evaluation there are four main control options to manage the risk:

Terminate the risk – take a decision to discontinue the activity.

Transfer the risk – the risk is 'passed' on e.g. to an insurer.

Treat the risk – put in place additional controls to reduce the impact or likelihood.

Tolerate the risk – accept the risk but continue to monitor and evaluate.

The risk register enables Whalley Parish Council to assess the risks that it faces and confirm that it has taken appropriate steps to manage those risks.

An annual review of the risk management arrangements for the Parish Council will be conducted by the Full Council.



Risk Management Register 2024/2025

This document has been produced to enable the Parish Council to assess the risk of all of its functions, and to satisfy that it has taken adequate steps to minimise this risk. In conducting this exercise, the following process has been followed in accordance with Whalley Parish Council's Policy on Risk Management:

- 1. Identify the areas to be reviewed.
- 2. Identify what the risk might be, and whether this is High, Medium or Low (H/M/L).
- 3. Evaluate the management and control of the risk and record all findings.
- 4. Review, assess and revise the above steps on a regular basis.

Financial & Manag				
Subject	Risk(s)	H/M/L	Management/Control of Risk	Review/Assess/Revise
	Identified			
Precept.	Adequacy of	L	Sound budgeting process in place	Review Annually
	Precept.		to support the annual precept.	
	Request not	L	Full Parish Council minute showing	Review Annually
	Submitted		complete precept.	
	Not paid by	L	Checked and reported to full	Review Annually
	Borough Council		council. Paid by BACS. Reserves	
			held.	
Income	Cash handling	L	WPC have a policy not to handle	
			cash. All income is paid direct.	
			All bank receipts updated to cash	
			book and reconciled monthly.	
Financial Records.	Inadequate	L	The Council complies with its	Review Annually.
	records.		Financial Regulations which set out	
			the requirements based on the	
			National Association of Local	
			Councils model.	
			Councils model.	
	Financial	L	An Internal audit is undertaken	
	irregularities.	_	annually in February to comply	
	in egalariciesi		with Section 4 of the Annual return.	
			Auditor undertakes an assessment	
			of compliance with relevant	
			procedures and controls expected	
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			to be in operation during the	
			financial year.	
		L	WPC Accounting spreadsheet	Review Monthly.
		-	shows cash book transactions and	Review Wiolicilly.
			highlights differences as errors.	
Investments.	Loss of bank	L	Ensure the Council Investments are	Review Annually.
mvestments.	deposits due to	_	reviewed annually to keep risk to a	The view / tilliadily.
	failure of		minimum.	In times of economic
	financial		Spread investments between more	instability increase
	institution.		than one financial institution if	monitoring.
	mstitution.			monitoring.
			necessary. Funds kept within the	

Financial & Manage	Financial & Management				
Subject	Risk(s) Identified	H/M/L	Management/Control of Risk	Review/Assess/Revise	
			Financial Compensation Scheme limits. Aim to not have more than 25% of annual precept in reserves.		
Reserves. General/ Earmarked	Inadequate to cover possible expenditure	L	Reserve levels considered and reviewed at Budget setting.	Review Annually.	
Banking.	RFO/Councillors committing fraud.	L	All banking procedures or changes to accounts are agreed at Full Council Meetings. Payments authorised are set up by the clerk, approved at Full Council Meetings and paid either by cheque with two authorised signatures or online banking with two authorisations using the banks secure card authorisation codes. All banking transactions are dual controlled.	Review Annual Meeting or if changes to bank mandate are necessary, i.e change of approved signatory Councillors. Revise Add additional signatories to online banking for contingency.	
	Parish Precept/public funds Reputation of Parish Council	L	Fidelity Insurance cover of £250,000 Finance Regs and Internal Audits in operation.	Review at Insurance renewal.	
	Inadequate record keeping or reporting.	L	Account transactions and balances are to be reported in detail at every monthly meeting. Bank accounts are reconciled monthly and recorded on the minutes.		
Financial Reporting.	Inadequate Information Communication.	L	Latest financial situation (income, expenditure, and bank reconciliation) is reported at each Parish Council meeting.		
Direct Costs.	Goods supplied and not correctly invoiced.	L	The Council has Financial Regulations which set out requirements. At each Full Council meeting the list of proposed payments is supplied and authorised (with supporting invoices). Invoices are verified by Clerk/RFO, then checked and initialled by two authorised signatories before payment.	Review Bank Mandates	
	Incorrect cheques/online payments.	L	Each cheque requires two authorised signatures and/or online banking requires dual authorisation before payment is released.	at each Annual Meeting/Keep bank mandates up to date when changes within the Council occur.	

Financial & Management					
Subject	Risk(s)	H/M/L	Management/Control of Risk	Review/Assess/Revise	
	Identified				
Grants Payable.	Power to Pay.	L	All grants requested to comply with the Grants Policy, with supporting documentation supplied.		
	Authorisation of Council to pay.	L	Requests considered by Full Council dependent on the amount.		
			Grant/donation payments to be submitted, budgeted, and approved by full Council and minuted.		
			Payments made via S137 power of expenditure to be minuted and recorded accordingly.		
Grants Monies received.	Receipt of Grants.	L	Applications for such monies and successful bids to be reported to Full Council. Receipts are recorded in the cash book and monthly Financial Report.		
Best Value Accountability.	Contracts awarded incorrectly.	L	The Council has Financial Regulations which set out the requirements dependent on the value of the contract. Legislation under the Public Contracts Act 2015 to be complied with, with appropriate publication if necessary. When contracts are tendered, details of the process and successful applicant are awarded. This is recorded in the minutes.		
Project Management.	Overspend on contracts.	M	All contracts for goods and services to comply with the Financial Regulations and Public Contracts Act 2015. Ensure correct tendering for		
			services. Estimates obtained prior to precept if possible.		
			Expenditure on contracts (ie.Vale Gardens/Lengthsmen) is monitored and presented on the monthly financial report at the full Council meeting. Any decision to not tender services must be minuted where it would be applicable.		

Financial & Mana	Financial & Management				
Subject	Risk(s) Identified	H/M/L	Management/Control of Risk	Review/Assess/Revise	
	Identified		Any potential overspends to be reported in the quarterly financial reports proposed.		
Fraud.	Council Clerk/Staff.	L	Ensure references are taken for Clerk/RFO and any staff prior to commencement of employment.		
	Members Conflict of Interest.	L	Declarations of interest updated at each Council meeting and minuted. Code of Conduct adopted and in place.	Review Annually at renewal.	
		L	Ensure insurance Fidelity Guarantee fit for purpose and requirements followed.		
			Clerk/RFO/Staff/Cllrs to attend relevant training, to be provided with relevant reference books, access to assistance via LALC/NALC/RVBC.	Ensure training and development budget is in place to allow for this.	
VAT.	Reclaim.	L	The Council has Financial Regulations which set out the requirements – VAT to be reclaimed at least every 6 months. RFO to ensure that VAT is monitored in monthly financial update.		
	VAT element not recorded on cashbook	L	All items listed in cash book and VAT expenditure reported at every Council meeting.		
Annual Return.	Failure to comply with deadlines.	L	Clear instruction given by External Auditor. Comply with AGAR.		
			Internal Audit carried out with clear terms of reference and suitability for purpose.		
			Appointment of the internal auditor to take place in February each year.		
			Internal Audit report and Annual return accepted by resolution of Council, documentation signed and submitted to External Auditors to comply with deadline.		
			Notice of Public Rights published in accordance with guidance.		

Financial & Manage	Financial & Management					
Subject	Risk(s)	H/M/L	Management/Control of Risk	Review/Assess/Revise		
	Identified		_			
Insurance.	Fit for Purpose.	М	Asset register updated annually on	Review Annually.		
			disposal or purchase of assets, prior			
			to annual renewal.			
	Cost.	L	Sook and compare quotes			
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	Compliance.	L	Employers and Public Liability			
			Insurance are a statutory			
			requirement.			
	Fidelity	М	Ensure insurance Fidelity			
	Guarantee.		Guarantee fit for purpose.			
Assets.	Loss or damage.	М	Office equipment monitored on	Regular review.		
			ongoing basis.			
Street Furniture.	Maintenance,	М	Monitoring of Street Furniture –			
	fit for purpose.		bins/benches by Lengthsman on a			
			regular basis. Vandalism reported			
			to Police and Insurance Company.			
		L	Bench Policy in place and 3 Year Maintenance Schedule.	Review every 3 years		
			Maintenance Schedule.	(next review 2024)		
		L	Memorial Bench Policy in place.	Review every 3 years		
			, ,	(next review 2024)		
		l				
Land & Surroundings	Paths, trip	M	Church Grounds & Vale Gardens	Ongoing Review.		
	hazards, broken seating, unsafe		inspected regularly and maintained by contractors.			
	noticeboards,		by contractors.			
	danger to public					
	safety.			Annual Review.		
		M	Tree surveys commissioned and			
Tree Safety	Being struck by		works undertaken as advised.			
	fallen branches	М	Trees in Churchyard to be			
		IVI	inspected annually.			
			mopested annually.	Review every 2 years.		
			Trees in Vale Gardens to be	, ,		
			regularly inspected.			
		1		Ongoing review.		
	Diek of interests	M	Regular monitoring of			
	Risk of injury to life or serious		land/property WPC are responsible for by contractors, Cllrs, public and			
	damage to		lengthsman.			
	property or		- 0			
	surroundings.		Ongoing maintenance.			
			Close off boroardous are easif			
			Close off hazardous areas if			
	1		necessary.			

Financial & Manage	Financial & Management				
Subject	Risk(s)	H/M/L	Management/Control of Risk	Review/Assess/Revise	
	Identified				
Accessibility and GDPR.	Policy on Privacy Website.	L	Explicit statement included on Website.	Review annually.	
	Briefing Papers.	L	Data Officer – Clerk/RFO to circulate supporting documents with monthly agendas.		
	Accessibility.	L	Adopted 2019 Whalley Parish Council Publication Scheme in place.		
	Privacy breaches	M	ICO membership. Clerk to circulate to full council annually or at any time of change in legislation.	Annual Membership Renewal.	
	Lack of knowledge.	М	Council to provide access to sufficient training.		

Governance & Manag	gement			
Subject	Risk Identified	H/M/L	Management/Control of Risk	Review/Assess/Revise
Record Keeping.	Loss through fire, theft, damage.	М	Paper records minutes, contracts stored at Clerks	Review annually.
Paper Records.		M	home address.	
		IVI	Paper records older than 3 years to be archived with LCC.	
Electronic records.	Loss through fire,	М	Files held on Laptop	Review Annually.
	corruption or cyber		owned by Whalley Parish	
	crime.		Council accessed by the	
			Clerk, held on M365 One Drive. Remote access	
	Loss of	M	available.	
	information.	IVI	available.	
	iniormation.		Files are backed up to	
			Microsoft One Drive	
	Privacy/Security.	L	Business Account. Remote access available.	
			Laptop is fingerprint and	
			code password protected. Code to be shared with	
			Chair for access to Laptop	
			if necessary and kept in a	
		L	sealed envelope. Once	
			opened the password	

			should be changed for security reasons. Website & email server with external IT support contracted out to Easyweb. Username and password protected.	
Governance & Managem		T		
Subject	Risk Identified	H/M/L	Management/Control of Risk	Review/Assess/Revise
Lack of forward planning and budgetary controls.	Lack of direction and prioritisation; insufficient funds to cover spend	L	Budget in operation and regularly reviewed.	Reviewed Annually November Budget Meeting.
Poor reporting to council.	Poor quality decision making. Council becomes ill informed.	L	Timely and accurate financial reporting. Clear instructions to staff/Council. Matters raised at meetings.	Annual Performance Review.
Poor document control.	Information not passed on in a timely manner. Deadlines missed. Lack of achievement.	L	Clear role descriptions	Annual Performance Review.
Failure to keep proper financial records in accordance with statutory requirements	Inadequate financial control.	L	Proper arrangements for the notification of income and approval of Expenditure. Review of internal controls in place. Internal auditor.	Reviewed Annually.
Failure to respond to electors' wish to right of inspection	Loss of confidence. Loss of reputation.	L	Operating protocols set by Government & external auditor.	
Failing to ensure that all business activities are within legal power	Illegal expenditure	L	Recording in the minutes the precise power under which expenditure is being approved.	
Failure to ensure that the Council complies with the law/regulations.	Fines and Penalties from regulation bodies.	L	Clear policies and procedures in place in line with law and regulations.	Annual Review of Council Policies.
	Loss of reputation.		Regular review of law. Training.	

Failure to provide proper, timely and accurate reporting of Council business in the minutes.	Confusion and misunderstandings. Actions not reflecting the intentions of Council.	L	Draft Minutes published within 7 working days after the meeting. Accuracy of minutes confirmed by full Parish Council at next meeting. Minutes properly number referenced.	
Governance & Managem	ent			
Subject	Risk Identified	H/M/L	Management/Control of Risk	Review/Assess/Revise
Council becomes dominated by one or two individuals.	Conflicts of interest. Pursuit of personal agendas. Decisions made outside Council.	L	Clear Standing Orders regarding conduct of meeting and conflict of interests. Seek advice and Report to Monitoring Officer.	
Management of the Cemet	ery			
Subject	Risk Identified	H/M/L	Management/Control of Risk	Review/Assess/Revise
Personal injury or damage to member (s) of the public or their property arising from defect (s) in property.	Claims for compensation and costs to the Committee in defending claims where appropriate.	L	Covered under Public Liability Insurance Policy – £10 million Regular inspection and maintenance and prompt repair of any damage. Periodic review of insurance cover and timely renewal.	Annual review of insurance policy Regular inspections of grounds
Compensation claim by employee (or contracted person) in respect of injury sustained in the cause of his/her employment/engagement.	Claims for compensation and associated costs.	L	Potential liabilities, including costs, covered by insurance policy - £10 million in respect of employees. Lengthsman/Contractors is required to take out suitable insurance as required by service contract. Lengthsman/Contractors to complete Risk Management Assessment Forms as provided under LCC Risk Assessment and Safe Working Practices documentation.	Annual review of insurance policy Review of Contract at renewal. Quarterly site checks to ensure compliance with risk procedures.

Management of the Cemet	Management of the Cemetery Grounds				
Subject	Risk Identified	H/M/L	Management/Control of Risk	Review/Assess/Revise	
Clerk/Registrar/Staff unable to work due to sickness or holiday	Inability to inter deceased	М	Procedures in place on how to inter deceased – arrange appropriate cover		
Damage to memorial stones erected at the Cemetery	Injury to public, as a result of failure to maintain memorials	M	Memorial safety inspection carried out in accordance with current regulations. Strict adherence to Committee rules and notification to owners of required repairs. Where owners unable to be located, memorials repaired by Committee.	Annually	
Reserves too low.	Reduction in Committee's financial resources. Inability to deliver services.	L	Annual budget and monthly monitoring. Formal approval and costings for new services and /or projects whilst maintaining reserves in line with past practical experience. New expenditure only undertaken where reserves allow. Reserves maintained at level commensurate with expenditure commitments and historical experience.	Budget Annually Monthly financial management	
Loss of key personnel	Inability to operate and deliver services.	M	Ensure staff have adequate training, support and hours to undertake role to avoid stress, leading to sickness or early departure. Regular back-up of files, records, information, as appropriate. Microsoft One Drive backs up on the cloud and multiple access is available.	Annually One Drive Back ups.	
Failure to comply with procedures for awarding contracts of goods and services.	Reduction in Committee's financial resources.	L	Adherence to Financial Regulations for awarding of contracts.	Annually	
Sc. Vicesi	Inability to deliver services.		Ensure contractors can demonstrate appropriate risk assessment and insurances.	Contract Renewal	



ASSETS REGISTER 2024

No.	Fixed Asset	Date Acquired	Purchase Cost	Location
			* gifted	
4	Village Signs	1974	*£1	Village Boundaries
4	Twinning Signs	1988	£200	Village Boundaries
	Small Signs	2001/2/5/9	£80	Vale Gardens/Church Yard
	Bus Shelter	1988	*£1	Outside Newsagents
1	Inbuilt Seating	1988	£50	Bus Station
26	Park Benches	various	*£1	Around Parish (see Bench Audit 2020)
2	Park Benches	2019/20	£748	Jill Taylor & George Hardman Benches
1	Sundial	1988	*£1	Vale Gardens
3	Litter Bins	1990	*£1	Village
2	Information Board	2000	*£1	King St & Railway Station
1	Water Feature	2000	£3,839	Vale Gardens
2	Metal Filing Cabinets	2001/8	£150	Whalley Old Grammar School
1	Chain of Office	2000	£1,836	Chairman
	Public Toilets	2009	£62,794	Bus Station
1	3 Fishes Sculpture	2012	£5,000	Vale Gardens
	Vale Gardens	1985	£22,000	Vale Gardens
	QEII Sports Field	1977	£10,100	QEII Fields
	MUGA	2016	£61,760	QEII Fields
	Youth Shelter	2016	£11,465	QEII Fields
1	Parish Noticeboard	2017	£1,200	Vale Gardens
4	Planters	2019	*£1	King St (near post office)
1	QEII Noticeboard	2020	£1,300	QEII Fields
2	Planters	2020	£903	King St (near coop)
	Christmas Tree Lights	2020		Village Christmas Display
17	Christmas Street Column Display	2020	*£1	King St
1	Bench	2021	£498	Vale Gardens
1	Bench	2021	£498	Noticeboards by the Circular Flower Bed
	Christmas Lights	2021	£3,415	Village Christmas Display
1	Laptop	2022	£599	Clerks Home Office
1	Defibrillator	2020	*£1	Bus Station
4	Benches	2022		Procters Field
1	Defibrillator Cabinet	2023	£495	Mitton Road Business Park
1	Defibrillator	2022	£725	Mitton Road Business Park
1	Defibrillator	2022		The Sidings
2	Benches	2023	£1,198	Vale Gardens
1	Bench	2023	£599	Cemetery
22	Sleepers	2023	£770	QEII Access Road
	CCTV	2023	*£1	The Sands
TOTAL			£197,063	
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Whalley Wiswell & Barrow Cemetery

Assets Register March 2024

No.	Fixed Asset	Date Acquired	Purchase Cost	Location
			* gifted £1	
1	Double Gates	not known	£3,152	Cemetery
1	Side Gate	not known	£1,096	Cemetery
1	Noticeboard	08/07/2019	£2,000	Cemetery
1	Cemetery sign	21/02/2012	£267	Cemetery
1	Boundary Fencing	21/12/2011	£1,271	Cemetery
1	IT Processor	05/03/2020	£490	Clerk's residence
1	Monitor	05/03/2020	£82	Clerk's residence
10	Benches *	not known	£1	Cemetery
1	Land. (£210 x 66%)	1951	£138	Cemetery
1	Wooden Bin Bunker	27/09/2017	£1,700	Cemetery
1	Printer	27/01/2022	£149	Clerk's residence
1	Dog Sign	01/03/2024	£158	Cemetery
TOTAL			£10,504	
	Assets Removed as incorrectly liste	d as assets on previous	Registers	
1	Memorial Garden	25/06/2019	£1	Cemetery
1	Beams	19/01/2011	£1	Cemetery
1	Beams	30/06/2017	£1	Cemetery
1	Beams	11/12/2017	£1	Cemetery
1	Drains	14/03/2011	£1	Cemetery
1	Paths	16/12/2011	£1	Cemetery
1	Paths	30/04/2012	£1	Cemetery



Churchyard Committee

Terms of Reference

Version Control

Version	Date	Description of Change
V.1		Terms of Reference Adopted

CHURCHYARD COMMITTEE TERMS OF REFERENCE

BACKGROUND

The responsibility for the maintenance of a churchyard only changes when a Parochial Church Council (PCC) decides to give notice under Section 215 of the Local Government Act 1972 to their appropriate local authority seeking closure and transfer of this responsibility.

Under this Act, the PCC of St. Mary & All Saints, Whalley sought to close the Churchyard, requesting Whalley Parish Council to take over the responsibility of maintaining the churchyard.

Although maintenance responsibility was transferred in this way, the legal ownership of Whalley churchyard remains unaffected and all other rights, powers and functions remain under the control of the incumbent of the Parish. The churchyard also remains a consecrated area and subject to Faculty jurisdiction, so Whalley Parish Council must apply for a faculty or Archdeacon's authorisation for any works in the churchyard other than routine maintenance. Since the responsibility of upkeep of the Churchyard has transferred to Whalley Parish Council no further burials are permitted with certain exceptions:

- 1. Where a faculty has been granted to reserve a grave space, the person named in that faculty may be buried.
- 2. a body may be buried in the same grave as a relative.
- 3. burials may take place in existing walled graves or vaults which have room for further interments.

The Local Government Act 1972 also makes provision for the interment of cremated remains if either a Faculty is granted which authorises the interment, or the cremated remains are to be buried in an area set aside in a designated Garden of Remembrance (which has been authorised by faculty).

OBJECTIVE

The Churchyard Committee is constituted to oversee the maintenance, cleanliness, and safety of the closed churchyard within the Parish Church of Saint Mary and All Saints. The committee aims to ensure that the churchyard remains a dignified, peaceful, and well-kept space for remembrance and reflection.

MEMBERSHIP

Membership shall consist of seven members appointed by the Parish Council, including a Chairman.

The Churchyard Committee shall include four representatives from the Parish Council, the Vicar, and Church Warden(s), or PCC appointments of individuals who have an interest in the maintenance of the Churchyard.

The quorum of the Churchyard Committee shall be 3 members. A Chairman will be elected to serve for the annual term.

MEETINGS

The Committee will meet quarterly, or as required, and may conduct business about routine matters by email.

Meetings shall be conducted in accordance with the parish's standing orders and procedures, ensuring transparency and accountability.

The Chairman of the Churchyard Maintenance Committee shall preside over meetings, facilitate discussions, and ensure that all members have the opportunity to contribute.

An agenda will be prepared for Churchyard Committee meeting for maintenance items to be discussed, decided and recorded in the minutes taken by the Parish Clerk.

The minutes will be submitted to the Parish Council at their next meeting.

DELEGATED POWERS

The Committee has delegated powers to spend up to the pre-set annual budget as dictated by the Parish Council each year.

- Develop and implement a schedule for the routine maintenance of the closed churchyard, including grounds maintenance, regular tree inspections, and regular inspections of the churchyard to identify and address any health and safety hazards.
- Ensure that maintenance activities are carried out promptly and efficiently, maintaining the cleanliness and appearance of the churchyard.
- All correspondence should be conducted through the Parish Clerk.

All powers shall be exercised in accordance with Whalley Parish Council Standing Orders, or directions given, by the Parish Council.

POWERS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Conduct regular inspections of the closed churchyard to identify and address any health and safety hazards, such as uneven pathways, damaged structures, or fallen branches.
- Take appropriate measures to mitigate risks and ensure a safe environment for visitors and maintenance staff.
- Maintain the graves and grave markers within the closed churchyard in a respectful and dignified manner, ensuring they are kept clean and free from debris.
- Coordinate with families or descendants regarding any necessary repairs or maintenance of individual graves, respecting their wishes and privacy.
- Maintain regular communication with the Parish Council regarding maintenance activities, issues, and requirements within the closed churchyard.
- Prepare and submit regular reports to the Parish Council summarising maintenance activities, expenditures, and any notable developments or concerns.
- Engage with the local community to raise awareness of the importance of maintaining the closed churchyard as a place of remembrance and heritage.
- Provide opportunities for community members to participate in volunteer maintenance activities or contribute to the upkeep of the churchyard.

REVIEW

These terms of reference shall be reviewed periodically, at least annually, to ensure alignment with the objectives and needs of the Parish Council and the closed churchyard community.

The election of committees and their terms of reference are to be reviewed annually at the Annual Parish Council meeting.

ITEM 17

Whalley Parish Council Approved Minutes Ref No:		Cash Book	MARCH 2	2024				
Chq No. Date Inv no.	Payee / Payer	Description	NW Curr £	NW QE2	Skipton £	Total £	VAT £	Net £
DD 01/03/2024 Bankline 25/03/2024 Bankline 25/03/2024 Bankline 25/03/2024	Easyweb E Haworth E Haworth E Haworth	Website maintenance Salary Office Expenses Reimbursement-Stationery	(90.71) (886.74) (58.33) (8.40)			(90.71) (886.74) (58.33) (8.40)	(15.12)	(75.59) (886.74) (58.33) (7.00)
Bankline 25/03/2024 Bankline 25/03/2024 5186 Bankline 25/03/2024 1.6E+08	HMRC Fisher Forestry E-ON Next 9(N Power	IT£223.40 NI£6.90 ENI£49.5 Parish Church Treework Vale Gardens Electricity Christmas Lighting Unmete	(279.85) (300.00) (16.93) (410.95)			(279.85) (300.00) (16.93) (410.95)	(50.00)	(279.85) (250.00) (16.93) (410.95)
Bankline 25/03/2024 4902 Bankline 25/03/2024 400 Bankline 25/03/2024 24 Bankline 25/03/2024 JM2527	Source Abbey Gardening Service Altham Parish Council WEF	Design Logo es Church Grounds Maintenar SpID Installation & rental Room Hire	(78.00) (349.20) (157.00) (26.00)			(78.00) (349.20) (157.00) (26.00)	(13.00) (58.20)	(65.00) (291.00) (157.00) (26.00)
Bankline 25/03/2024 316328	Broxap Movement in Month	Bench Ends –	(1,183.20) (3,845.31)	0.00	0.00	(1,183.20)	(197.20)	(986.00) (3,510.39)
	Cash Book Balance at START of Month Cash Book Balance at END of Month =		5,075.16 1,229.85	1,095.00 1,095.00	54,819.15 54,819.15	60,989.31 57,144.00		
Bank Reconciliation			NW Curr	NW QE2	Skipton	Overall		
	Bank Statement Balance	at START of month	f 5,075.16	f 1,095.00	£ 54,819.15	f 60,989.31 0.00		
	Cash Book Balance at ST.	ART of month =	5,075.16	1,095.00	54,819.15	0.00		