

# ELVEDEN PARISH COUNCIL

## Minutes of the Meeting of the Parish Council held on Wednesday, 23rd July 2025 at 7.30pm in Elveden Estate Office Conference Room

Present: Cllrs Rob Minty, Rebecca Younge and Hugo Nugent. Also in attendance, Cllr Victor Lukaniuk, Cllr Gerald Kelly, and members of the public.

1. **APOLOGIES** Cllr Ross Winter gave his apologies due to work commitments.
2. **MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING.**  
The minutes of the previous meeting held on Wednesday, 28th May 2025 were agreed and signed as a true record. (R.Y., R.M.)
3. **MATTERS ARISING**  
There were none.
4. **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION, COUNTY COUNCIL AND DISTRICT COUNCIL REPORT**  
There was no public participation. It was reported that the Local Plan had been passed after long delays. A new settlement was proposed for the next plan which would begin shortly. It was anticipated that there could be difficulties in connecting new houses to water due to inadequate supplies.
5. **SUFFOLK SAFECAM AND SPEED CAMERA REPORT**  
Speed enforcement in Jun for 1 hour on the B1106 in the 30mph zone resulted in 13 drivers caught speeding. 1 hour in the 30mph zone on London Road resulted in 20 drivers caught speeding, with the highest speed recorded at 45mph.
6. **RURAL CRIME**  
Police crime figures for April and May showed a total of 7 crimes, with 4 occurring in Centre Parcs.
7. **VILLAGE SIGN**  
Plans for the design of the village sign were currently being drawn up. The council considered the addition of planters around the sign and at the entrances to the village. **Cllr Nugent** presented the council with a potential planting plan for the area around the village sign, Cllr Lukaniuk pledged £3,000 towards the project from his locality budget.
8. **PLANNING**  
No new planning applications had been received.

9. **FINANCIAL MATTERS**

- (a) Cheques to be signed  
Mrs C Youngs Clerk Apr-May-June
- (b) Review of clerk's remuneration.  
In light of recent increases to national salary guidelines for clerks, and using the SCP 5 hourly rate, the council agreed to increase the remuneration for the clerk to £84 a month.

10. **ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

The Clerk reported that the parish council Face Book page was now live and starting to generate interest.

Problems of domestic water supplies in the parish were commented on by a representative of the Estate. Residents had expressed concerns about speeds limits on the B1106 south of Elveden. This item would be place on the next agenda.

11. **DATE OF FUTURE MEETING**

The date of the next meeting was agreed as 8<sup>th</sup> October 2025 at 7.30pm.