

Hesket Parish Council

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You are hereby summoned to an Annual Parish Council Meeting of Hesket Parish Council which will be held at **Low Hesket Village Hall**, on Tuesday 13th May 2025, to follow the Annual Parish Meeting of Hesket Parish, no earlier than 7.30pm.



Mrs Lisa Beken
Parish Clerk

AGENDA

1. **To elect the Chair for Council year 2025-2026 and to receive the Chair's acceptance of office.**
2. **To elect the Vice-Chair for Council year 2025- 2026 and to receive the Vice-Chair's acceptance of office.**
3. **Apologies for absence** - To receive and record, with reason, any apologies for absence.
4. **Co-option of Councillors** – To consider co-option of candidates onto the Parish Council.
5. **Declarations of interest** - To receive declarations of interest by members in respect of items on this agenda.
6. **Minutes** - To authorize the Chair to sign minutes of the Ordinary Parish Council Meeting held on Tuesday 11th March 2025.
7. **Matters arising from the Minutes** – To discuss matters arising from the minutes of the previous meetings.
8. **Chair's announcements** - To receive announcements by the Chair.
9. **Public participation** - The Chair will adjourn the meeting to allow members of the public an opportunity to speak, for a maximum of five minutes each. All public participation will be by prior arrangement with the Clerk.
10. **Annual Accounts**
 - a) To consider and approve the financial summary for 2024-25.
 - b) To review the year end accounts and note the financial position following bank reconciliation.
 - c) To confirm the annual declaration.
11. **Policy Updates** – To consider and approve any relevant policy updates.
12. **Land at Aiketgate** – To consider the ongoing tenancy agreement.
13. **Westmorland and Furness Council Report** - To receive relevant updates from Councillor H Carrick.
14. **Cumbria Police Report** – To receive updates relevant to the Parish.
15. **SIDS Device** – To receive any updates on installation of poles for a Speed Indicator Device.

16. **Footway Lighting** – To consider the following matters;
 - a) The proposal from Westmorland and Furness Council to transfer ownership of, and responsibility for, footway lighting to them.
 - b) The preferred lighting type in the Parish going forward.
17. **Assets** – To consider any actions for maintenance of assets over the next financial year.
18. **Grants** – To consider the following grants requests;
 - a) Plumpton PCC
19. **Milestone marker** – To consider a request to cover the costs of repairs to milestone marker in Low Hesket.
20. **Right of way** – To consider a request from a resident to support an application for a Right of Way.
21. **Consultation on woodland management plan** – To consider any response to consultation on a woodland management land at Nelson Hill woodland, Armathwaite.
22. **Planning applications** – To consider the following;
 - a) Acknowledgment of comments submitted on the following planning application since the last meeting of the Parish Council:
 - i. **2025/0453/HOU** Garth Cottage, Calthwaite, Penrith, CA11 9PP. Proposed single storey rear extension, re-submission of 2024/1896/FPA.
No objections
 - b) Any current planning applications open for comment in the Parish:
 - i. **2025/0635/HOU** Old Smithy, Low Hesket CARLISLE, CA4 0HE. Retrospective application for new timber boundary fence adjacent to the highway.
 - ii. **2024/1884/RMA** Land adjacent to Brackenridge, High Hesket, Carlisle, CA4 0HU. Reserved Matters for access, appearance, landscaping, layout and scale, attached to appeal approval APP/H0928/W/21/3283769 LPA ref 21/0189 – reconsultation.
23. **Planning decisions** – To acknowledge any planning decision notices made since the last meeting of the Parish Council;
 - a) **2025/0031/FPA** Wragmire Head, Cotehill, Carlisle, CA4 0DB. Proposed demolition of 2no sheds, erection of a replacement livestock building and roofing over part yard.
GRANTED
 - b) **2024/1762/FPA** Jasmine Cottage, Southwaite, Carlisle, CA4 0EW. Replacement of existing septic tank with a waste water treatment plant.
GRANTED
 - c) **2024/1709/LBC** 2 Wayside Terrace, Calthwaite, Penrith, CA11 9QL. Listed Building Consent for the replacement of 2no soft wood single glazed windows with hard wood conservation glazed windows
GRANTED
 - d) **2025/0318/FPA** Monkcastle Farm, Monkcastle, Southwaite, Carlisle, CA4 0PZ. Erection of a like-for-like replacement livestock unit to replace fire damaged building.
GRANTED
 - e) **2025/0325/FPA** Ellerton Grange, Southwaite, Carlisle, CA4 0LF. Proposed Agricultural Building.
GRANTED
 - f) Any other notices published since publication of this agenda.
24. **Financial matters** - To authorize the payment of accounts as per the payment schedule.
25. **Correspondence** – To consider correspondence received, as per correspondence register.
26. **Parish maintenance** -To update the Council on maintenance matters.
27. **Council matters** - An opportunity for Councillors to raise matters, not on this agenda, on behalf of residents.
28. **Date of next Ordinary Meeting** – Tuesday 8th July 2025, at 7.30pm, at Armathwaite Old School Hall.