2NORTH EAST WARD ALLIANCE

MEETING NOTES

Meeting Title:	North East Ward Alliance
Date & Time:	Thursday 9 th June 2022
Location:	Bow Street Offices - Cudworth

Attendee's	Apologies
Cllr J Ennis, Cllr A Cherryholme, Cllr A Peace	Non
Messer's M Fensome, A Hampson, L Dodd	
Ms. A Skelton	

1.	Action/Decision	Action lead
1.Welcome and Introduction.		**
The Chair welcomed the newly elected member for the North East Clir Ashley Peace		
2. Notes of Previous Meeting		
Notes of the previous meeting were accepted as correct		
AS asked if FT WAF application had been received and was informed it had.		
CIIr JE informed members that ES had filled in the required forms.		
3. Pecuniary or non-pecuniary interests		
Non declared.		
4. CAB & Dial Commission Presentations		
Nigel Brown from Dial and Lauren Smith the Business Manager from CAB both did presentations on the suppor advisory services they offered to the community. These ranged from on-line digital support, face to face meetings and outreach sessions	Following discussion, it was unfortunately agreed by the Alliance members, that given the projected costs it was not possible to fund what was considered an acceptable level of service. However, it was agreed that a leaflet be produced for distribution to every household identifying the help available from every appropriate agency and how to contact them. Noted	
The information provided was to enable members to determine what funding could be made available from within the Ward Alliance budget in the short term, to either of the Agencies, in order to ensure that some support is available for the communities, given the current economic climate. AS identified the need for better signposting of the agencies / organisations offering support and the possible		
training of volunteers to assist those in need		

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5. Ward Alliance Budget Update

Copies of the Ward Alliance budget and Working Fund had been circulated with the agenda, identifying the remaining funds.

6. Action Planning / Priority Setting / Budget Setting LD and Ward members reported on the findings of the community survey, which showed that the publics main concerns were.

Anti-Social Benavior Lack of Youth Provision Social Isolation. Cost of living crisis Policing Following discussion, it was agreed that the Christmas Activity funds be capped at £750 per village.

It was agreed that these issues would form the basis on which any financial support is given and that the WAF application form clearly states this.

7 Project Updates.

It was reported that 14 events celebrating the Queens Platinum Jubilee were supported by the Alliance and that the support given was well received. . Noted

8. WAF Funding Applications

Two applications had been received for consideration as follows

- a) YPPA (Yorkshire Performance Preparation Academy) (provision of workshops and wellness session through Acting, singing, dancing and performing)

 £1,500
- £1,000 approved
- b) Club 50+ Grimethorpe (Exercise & Social Activities) -£1,199.60

£700 approved.

9. Correspondence

Cllr JE informed members he had received a letter of resignation from RA.

Noted A letter of thanks for his services to forwarded.

10. Compliments / Complaints

Non

11. Any Other Business

CIIr JE informed members that he was standing down as Chair and that CIIr AP would be taking over the role

. **CIIr AP** proposed rewarding individual volunteers, for their services, by offering them a £50 voucher to be spent locally in the village shops They would need to be nominated by others.

Clir AC suggested inviting volunteer(s) groups/ individual to a Thankyou Event/ buffet in the Town Hall

Noted

Agreed that a joint event be considered in the future.

AS suggested that a meeting of the four villages different community groups would be useful in the sharing of Knowledge and assets and would benefit many by working together,	Noted.	
AS asked for an update on the 106 sub group, but non was available at the present time.		
14. Date and Time of Future Meetings		
14. Date and Time of Future Meetings Thursday 21st July 2022 -2:0pm in Great Houghton Welfare Hall .		