

**Minutes of the meeting of Great Hockham Parish Council held on 9th December 2019
Edinburgh Hall.**

Present:

Councillors: B Campbell , C Woodsford, D Childerhouse, A Lambert, C Thomas and 7 members of the public.

1 Apologies Breckland Councillor P Cowen, Fabian Eagle

2 Declaration of interests None

3 Minutes of the last meeting The minutes of the meetings held on Monday 9th December 2019 were approved.

4 Matters arising from the minutes

20's plenty signs

The three signs have been delivered and awaiting installation, A Lambert will find an alternative installer.

Overgrown Hedges

Awaiting a response from Highways

5 Correspondence

From	Subject	Action
Breckland	Planning 47 Vicarage Road	Circulated
C Garrod	Funding 750 th Horn fair 2022	Circulated
Breckland	Community Car Scheme Funding 2020-21	

A Grant application has been made which will reduce the surplus built up over the last three years.

6 Finance

Payments made since last meeting

E-ON	Electricity	£91.11
SLCC	Sub	£44.00
Pearce & Kemp	Street Light Maint	£50.29

There has been no Income since last meeting:

Payments Due

Pearce & Kemp £50.29

Balance **Community Account** **£16,185.28**

The meeting was adjourned for public discussion.

7 Planning

Application for a bungalow off The Pightle, Vicarage Road

This application has been approved despite an objection from the Parish Council and a strong objection from Highways. D Childerhouse will investigate what powers the Parish Council has to question the decision.

Application for 18 dwellings off Wretham Road.

This has been approved.

Application for new porch and carport 5 Watton Road

This has been approved.

David Childerhouse made a statement that he, acting as a parishioner, had raised his concerns regarding the Car Port erected in the conservation area behind The Eagle with Breckland Planning.

8 Highways

Calvin Thomas reported on ongoing works by the highway rangers

The large pot hole in Little Hockham Lane has been reported to Highways.

The sunken road edge outside Rosedeen, Shropham Road has been reported.

The condition of Parliament Lane will be reported.

9 Any Other Business

Chris Garrod, representing Hockham Community and Sports Association, made a request to the Parish Council to ring-fence £3000 for funding the celebration of the 750th Horn Fair in 2022.

Aron Lambert proposed that the PC agree to the request and seconded by Christen Woodsford. This was carried.

David Childerhouse announced that he would need to stand down as Clerk eventually. He requested permission to advertise the post in “In Touch” in the hope that a Hockham resident could be found to take on the role. This was agreed.