MINUTES OF A PARISH COUNCIL MEETING OF HEALING PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON TUESDAY 9TH SEPTEMBER 2025 AT 7.30 PM AT THE HEALING VILLAGE HALL, POPLAR PARK, HEALING DN41 7SR

Present: Cllr. Fieldgate (Chairman)

Cllrs. Dickerson, Barker, Spreadbrough, Jones, Briggs and Temple

Apologies: Mrs K Peers (Clerk)

In attendance: Cllr. Hasthorpe, Ward Cllr., NELC

PCSO Joesph Kusnyer, LPT

There were 3 members of the public present re planning consultation.

25/93 To receive and accept apologies for absence

Received from Mrs. Peers, Clerk due to holidays and noted.

<u>25/94 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST (Code of Conduct 2012)</u> –

None made.

25/95 To approve minutes of the previous meeting held in August 2025

Parish Council minutes of meeting from August 2025.

Minutes approved as a true record and signed by the Chairman.

RESOLVED: That minutes be approved as a true record of the meeting held.

25/96 To consider cooption to fill casual vacancy

To receive and consider candidate for co-option – Ms O DeMonet

Candidate no longer able to stand for cooption and noted.

25/97 Police Report

To receive police report for month

PSCO present. Received and circulated and projected at meeting. PSCO stressed need for vigilance due to increase in burglaries. PCSO will send information regarding a drop in for residents if wish to arrange. Noted.

25/98 Highways/footpaths and Traffic Issues

a) To receive and consider any highways or traffic issues

Chair mentioned recent social media concerns raised over parking around the secondary school, both Chair and Clerk had been contacted re this issue. Concerns have been passed to NELC re parking on verges, double yellow lines and in front of the cenotaph. Chair advised will ask Clerk to contact NELC regarding warden visits and to chase Anthony Snell – Highways for update on planned visit. Noted.

25/99 Planning Matters

To consider the following planning applications:

To receive presentation on land opposite Healing Academy from development team regarding small commercial and housing development

Meeting was attended by Mr Strawson, Mr Braisfield and Mr Wilkinson in regard to the development of land opposite to Healing Academy. Presentation given on the proposed use of the land – Co-op and 3-4

units for other use and 7-8 private dwellings. Discussed concerns over parking, access, congestion and so far at planning stage and awaiting deep penetrating radar to be completed before can proceed to next stage. Details given on usage of site and times open – 7am- 10pm – 7 days a week. 15 new jobs to be created and aim to recruit locally. Next step is further consultation and stake holder engagement and to hopefully submit planning in late 2025. Liaising with Healing Manor and the Academy. State crossing will be provided to ensure safe crossing. Will not be placing a pharmacy or post office in units. Looking to hold a Q&A session with residents in the near future. Chairman thanked them for attendance and all noted pending further information.

To receive any planning decisions and any representations regarding development made at the meeting- nothing received.

25/100 Future Dates

Next Parish Council Meeting – Tuesday 14th October 2025 Seniors Lunch – Friday 19th September 2025

Office Closure – 8th to 12th September 2025

Quiz Night – Saturday 4th October 2025

ERNLLCA AGM - Wednesday 24th September 2025 - virtual meeting

Scouts AGM and Official opening – Saturday 20th September 2025

Any other future dates to receive and consider

25/101 Reports

Summer Clubs – July and August

Very well received and thanked everyone for their help. Members to consider new ideas for next year's sessions. Noted.

To receive any other reports

None.

25/102 Parks/Land Management

a) To receive update on all actions agreed at previous meeting for land management
Hedges trimmed at Poplar park, Chair reported tree concerns by resident backing onto the moated settlement – awaiting review by tree surgeon. No reports from Green Agenda Group. Noted.

<u>25/103</u> Parish Matters for consideration/update

a) To confirm arrangements for next edition of Healing News for October 2025

Clerk to collate and publish and Chairman to oversee distribution. Noted.

b) <u>To receive and consider nominations for Healing Citizenship Award for 2025 and agree necessary actions</u>

One nomination received for Healing Highlighters. All agreed to make award to Group. Agreed to present at Healing Primary School during an assembly and Chair and Clerk to liaise with Mrs Knight re this and invite parents to attend at school.

RESOLVED: That Healing Highlighters be awarded the Healing Citizenship Award for 25/26

c) <u>To consider whole Council response on NELC consultation on Greater Lincolnshire combined</u> <u>authority</u>

Chairman advised all members to respond to consultation. Noted.

d) To receive update on charity fund and expenditure

Swimming lessons now underway and Leisure Centre contacting Clerk direct to book each block of 4 sessions. Noted.

25/104 Healing Village Hall

a) Receive report on minor repairs

Downpipe to rear needed repair and Chair to organise. Noted.

25/105 Events

To receive update on events -

• Seniors Lunch

Cllr Spreadbrough, Cllr Dickinson, Cllr Barker and Cllr Fieldgate and Clerk to attend – Manor supplying Carrot cake and Infuso for cakes and sandwiches – Healing Academy pupils to attend. Noted.

Quiz Night

Tables already sold and ongoing. Noted.

25/106 Finance

a) To approve payments to be made as per list for this meeting

Payments all approved to be made as per list circulated.

RESOLVED: That all payments be approved to be made as per list circulated.

b) To receive response from external auditors on audit for fy 24-25 and note no actions required and note official closure of audit for fy 24-25

External auditors had responded with no actions or exceptions made so Audit now closed. Clerk had published audit closure notice and all paperwork placed on website as required.

RESOLVED: That the audit for fy 24-25 successfully completed with no actions required and Audit officially closed.

c) To receive and agree renewal of insurance from AJG for 25/26

Insurance to be renewed with provider as last year.

RESOLVED: That insurance cover be renewed with AJG for 25/26.

25/107 Exclusion of Press and Public

RESOLVED: exemption of press and public for remainder of meeting under Public Bodies Admissions To Meetings Act 1960, Section 1 (2) on the grounds that discussion of the following business is likely to disclose confidential information¹

<u>25/108 Personnel Matters</u>

a) To agree salary payments as per list

Salaries approved to be made as per list circulated.

RESOLVED: That salaries be approved to be made.

Chairman closed the meeting at 8.50 pm.

Signed:	Date: