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<u>Present</u>	Mr. M. Spencer Mr. B. Wilson Mrs E. Hodgson Ms. C. Barrowman Mr G Fairclough																		
<u>Apologies for Absence</u>	Apologies were received from Cllr. Ms Marshall, and from Cllr. Mr. Fairclough who would arrive late																		
<u>Minutes of the Previous Meeting</u>	These were signed as a true record.																		
<u>Flooding</u>	<p>In the absence of Cllr. Ms Marshall no definitive decisions were taken in this regard. It was, however, the opinion of the Chairman that priority should be given to opening the dyke outside The Cottage in Main Street, followed by the work needed beneath the driveway to Manor Farm, and then the manhole in Church Court. He cautioned that in the course of this work there would almost certainly be extra, hidden, costs incurred in moving services, and that whilst there still remained £22173 in the flood defence fund, care was needed over how this was to be spent. There was also still an issue over Quarry Bridge, which a member of the Flood Committee had noticed was causing flood water to back up, change course, and flow back towards Saxton at the time of the recent high flows. Cllr. Ms Marshall had drafted a letter, which the Chairman would delivery personally to the Pick family in an attempt to get them to agree to either excavate beneath the bridge, or to remove it altogether if it were no longer needed for access. A further suggestion, coming from the Land Drainage Consultancy, is that the ditches actually around the golf course could be increased.</p> <p>Also, the Chairman would approach Richard Bayston over the question of soakaways, and their ongong maintenance. Cllr. Mr. Fairclough, who arrived at the meeting while this discussion was taking place, pointed out that digging out the dyke in front of The Cottage would reveal the stone culvert beneath Manor Drive, and in addition enable what services are present to be identified.</p>																		
<u>Matters Arising from the Minutes</u>	<p>Traffic calming – Cllr. Ms Barrowman had been researching the most recent findings over traffic calming. She reported that a small amount of funding could be available, though no more than £10,000, for which Saxton seems to meet most of the criteria; she will circulate further information. Also, she would investigate further the recently mooted 20mph speed limits for villages, which are evidently required to be known as "speed zones" in an initiative piloted by Highways.</p> <p>Village Web Site – Cllr. Mr. Wilson reported that there were one or two modifications still to be made, and that the only addition was the history contribution awaited from Cllr. Ms Marshall. It was still to be decided how the content would be updated on a regular basis, and a brief synopsis of Council decisions was envisioned for inclusion. The Clerk was instructed to put a notice on the noticeboard advising of the website's address.</p>																		
<u>Finance</u>	<p>The Treasurer presented the financial report as follows:-</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="padding-left: 40px;">High Interest Account</td> <td style="text-align: right;">73589.71</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding-left: 40px;">Current Account</td> <td style="text-align: right;">1094.75</td> </tr> </table> <p>Payments had been made as follows:-</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="padding-left: 40px;">Saxton Cricket Club</td> <td style="text-align: right;">3000.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding-left: 40px;">Warden Moore</td> <td style="text-align: right;">138.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding-left: 40px;">Clerk's Salary</td> <td style="text-align: right;">1550.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding-left: 40px;">Yorkshire Wildlife Trust</td> <td style="text-align: right;">50.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding-left: 40px;">Selby District Council</td> <td style="text-align: right;">411.19</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding-left: 40px;">ARP Building Consultancy</td> <td style="text-align: right;">1252.78</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding-left: 40px;">North Yorkshire County Council</td> <td style="text-align: right;">31017.58</td> </tr> </table>	High Interest Account	73589.71	Current Account	1094.75	Saxton Cricket Club	3000.00	Warden Moore	138.00	Clerk's Salary	1550.00	Yorkshire Wildlife Trust	50.00	Selby District Council	411.19	ARP Building Consultancy	1252.78	North Yorkshire County Council	31017.58
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