**Broughton Parish Council:**

**Clerk’s Report to the meeting held on Tuesday 23rd February 2021**

**Correspondence received since last meeting for information.**

1. Local Government Reform Update-*Circulated to all via email*
2. Covid 19 Correspondence (Various)
3. Allerdale Three Tier Meeting Presentation (Coastal Flooding)
4. Allotment & Leisure Gardner

**Actions from previous meeting:**

9/21 Clerk to upload draft minutes to the website- *Done*

9/21 Clerk to alter and re-circulate the minutes from 12th January 2021 meeting to all councillors and agenda for Feb 2021 meeting-*Done*

16/21 Clerk to continue to work with Cllr M Bradley & A/BC Cllr Cockburn on the Ponderosa licensing appeal-*Ongoing*

17/21 Clerk to obtain a quotation for the replacement playarea surface for the Feb 2021 meeting-*Ongoing*

19/21 Clerk to speak to Jackson about the benches once the material has been confirmed by Steve-*Ongoing*

19/21 Clerk to agenda Street Naming for closer to the Queens Jubillee-*Ongoing*

20/21 Clerk to keep councillors notified of the date for the Penny Bridge footpath diversion meeting-*Done- Bill & Steve attending a meeting on the 23rd February 2021.*

20/21 Clerk to contact Cumbria County Council to request an additional grit bin be sited and filled on Kirklea-*Done*

21/21 Submit comments on WTPO/2020/0001- *Done*

21/21 Submit comments on HOU/2020/0521-*Done*

21/21 Submit comments on VAR/2020/0510-*Done*

23/21 Pay Accounts-*Done*

23/21 File precept demand with ABC-*Done*

23/21 Book Cllr B Smith on to Effective Councillor Course-*Done*

**On-going Matters- *Matters which the Council & Clerk is continuing to work on but which have no updates so don’t require formal agenda space***

1. Walls & the lack of protection for them under Planning law -*Awaiting an update from A/BC Cllr N Cockburn. Matter to be agenda’d in future when decision are required*
2. Bulling Meadow Registration of Fishing Rights- *Awaiting confirmation from the Councils solicitor on how to proceed with a profit a prednre registration.*
3. Brigham/Broughton Junction Roundabout- *Ongoing- Most recent update (2nd October 2020) Highways England are continuing to make steady progress with the proposed scheme which at this stage is focused on searching the required land. There are three landowners involved and Highways England have reached agreement with each of them to acquire the land. The ongoing legal processes are likely to take several months to complete from this point. However a time scale for deliver of this proposed scheme has yet to be fixed. This is because it is subject to a national prioritisation process to ensure the available funding is used as effectively as possible.*

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