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Minutes of the Nettleham Parish Council - Extraordinary held at 7.00 pm at the Mulsanne Pavillion on 8 October 2026

Present: Cllr A. White (Chair), Cllr P. McNeill, Cllr C. Payne, Cllr A. Simpson, Cllr T. Crook, Cllr C. Johnson, Cllr P. Lidbury,
In Attendance: C. Thomas (Clerk),
Members of public present: 9

1 **Public session (15 minutes) - Ref: 419**

Cllr A. White opened the meeting and gave an explanation as to why the meeting had been called and a brief chronology of events to date.
Cllr J. Barrett (ELDC) spoke on the scheme both of the benefits for residents as a whole and the quality of work to date and had received overwhelmingly positive comments.
One resident spoke whilst fully supporting the footpaths expressing serious concerns around flooding and that the work was against the Nettleham Neighbourhood Plan.
One resident spoke expressing concerns around the involvement of the Conservation Officer.
Cllr A. Simpson spoke as a resident expressing concerns around the overall design, that a significant amount of grass had been lost and he felt a more permeable solution instead of tarmac should have been used.

2 **To receive apologies and reasons for absence - Ref: 420**

Cllr D. Newsam - Whilst not present Cllr Newsam did prior to the meeting email comments in respect of the business to be discussed which was noted.

3 **To receive declarations of interest under the Localism Act 2011 - being any pecuniary or non pecuniary interest in agenda items not previously recorded on Members Register of Interests. - Ref: 421**

Cllr A. Simspon declared an interest and in accordance with the Code of Conduct left the meeting.

All matters relating to ongoing works on The Green, Nettleham - Ref: 422

4 **Survey of land affected and verification of LCC footprint methodology - Ref: 423**

This motion failed with no proposer

5 **Surface-water drainage, surfacing and flood-risk mitigation - Ref: 424**

This motion failed with no proposer

6 **Conservation area consultation and materials - Ref: 425**

The substantive motion failed with no proposer

An amended motion was proposed and seconded that the Clerk to communicate to Lincolnshire County Council that a more permeable solution could have been used instead of tarmac which would have assisted with flood mitigation.

7 **Finished levels and trip hazards - Ref: 426**

The motion failed with no proposer

It was noted that the path levels including trip hazards are regularly checked by Facilities Staff in accordance with existing policies.

8 **Authority for any encroachment onto Parish Council land - Ref: 427**

The motion failed with no proposer

The Chair on behalf of the Council wished to thank Lincolnshire County Council for undertaking the work on The Green together with other highway work in the Village which is bringing great improvement to the Village. Councillors generally felt that The Green scheme needed 2-3 months for settlement and growth.

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Meeting closed at 7.50 pm

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