

# BRADLEY PARISH COUNCIL



**Minutes of the  
Bi-monthly Meeting of  
BRADLEY PARISH COUNCIL  
on**

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2026**

**at: St Michaels Church, Great  
Coates Road, Grimsby DN34 4ND**

## MINUTES

### **AGENDA**

#### **26-01 Present**

Cllr D Bryden  
Cllr A Poppleton  
Cllr A Swallow  
Cllr M Dollard

**Time Started: 19:00**

#### **In Attendance**

Ward Cllr D Hasthorpe  
NELC Public transport  
representatives

#### **26-02 Apologies**

Cllr J Acklam Gray  
Ward Cllr H Hudson  
Clerk for Bradley Parish

#### **26-03 Declaration of Interest (Local Government Act 2012)**

There were no Declarations of Interest as Item No 26-10 is deferred to the next meeting.

#### **26-04 Minutes of the previous Meeting**

The minutes of the Bi-monthly meetings held on 6<sup>th</sup> November 2025 were agreed as correct, by Councillors present at that meeting and signed by the Chair of that meeting.

#### **Suspension of Meeting by Chair for Public Forum**

There were no members of the public present, so the meeting was not suspended.

#### **26-05 Discussion of bus route through Bradley**

The current usage and viability of the bus service was discussed. There were approximately 2800 journeys per month recorded which was not cost effective. Timing and frequency of the service was discussed and it was agreed that NELC would report feedback to the portfolio holder and discuss further before reporting back to us.

**26-06 Police Matters**

There were 5 incidents within the village of Bradley for the months of November and December 1 theft, 2 harassments and 2 assaults. The report did not give details. Bradley Parish Council have contacted our residents through various social media avenues regarding the Police Surgeries and there were a total of six replies, all of them positive. It was agreed to try quarterly surgeries for a year and monitor.

**26-07 Planning Matters**

There were no planning matters to discuss.

**26-08 Finance**

The RFO reported that the hire of the Church and the Clerks wages have been paid as usual.

The RFO continued to report that changing the Banking signatures etc, still requires some work and he will update the Council accordingly.

**26-09 Precept**

The RFO presented the Precept workings which had been distributed earlier by email and it was agreed that the Precept would remain at last years figure. New rates for the Clerk’s salary had been agreed and paid from November.

**26-10 Finalise Clerks Contract**

As the Clerk was unable to attend the meeting due to a family medical emergency, it was agreed to defer the decision regarding the Contract of Employment to the next meeting.

**26-11 To Discuss update on Domain Regulations for Parish Councils**

After some discussion it was agreed that this decision would be deferred till the next meeting due to the absence of the Clerk.

**26-12 Update on Ongoing Issues**

A discussion was held regarding the replacement of the Parish Council notice board and it was agreed that quotes would be obtained for a suitable replacement.

**26-13 Information Exchange**

There were no issues to discuss.

**26-14 Date of Next Meeting**

The date for the next Bradley Parish Council Meeting will be Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2026. The venue and time will be same.

**Time Closed: 19:35**

Signed .....  
*Chair of Bradley Parish Council*

Date .....

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