

**MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL ASSEMBLY OF ELECTORS  
EASINGTON VILLAGE  
HELD AT 1800 Hrs ON MONDAY 11<sup>th</sup> May 2026**

Present: Cllr W Day  
Cllr J Lee  
Cllr J Ramshaw  
Cllr A Lumsden  
Cllr S Gibbins  
Cllr C Dale

Apologies: Cllr N Fenwick  
Cllr A Dent  
Cllr R Godfrey

Staff: Mr P Moore (Clerk to Council)  
Mrs H Hall (Deputy Clerk)

In Attendance: Cllr L Penders DCC  
Cllr H Brown DCC

EVPC/AAE/26/001 **Minutes of the Meeting of the Annual Assembly of Electors held on Monday 12 May 2025**

**RESOLVED:** That the minutes of the Annual Assembly of Electors meeting held on Monday 12 May 2025 be received and accepted.

EVPC/AAE/26/002 **Report of the Chair of Easington Village Parish Council for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2026**

Yet another year has passed by very quickly! The year has seen a number of changes, with members leaving and new ones co-opted, and at last we have a full council.

There have been changes too at county level with a wholesale shift from a coalition to a majority party. This has resulted in new faces at local ward level, with a good working relationship being formed.

Whilst for many years the council has opposed new housing developments without success, a new threat to the west side of the village in the form of planning applications for solar farm and battery storage installations. The council has joined with opposition groups to further raise awareness to the environmental effects and safety aspects of such developments.

The council has again this year staged its now well-established events programme, and in particular the Armistice and Christmas events which were extremely well attended.

The council is facing increasing financial pressures, just like everyone, and continually looks for savings and efficiencies. However, there will be further pressures because of the current global situation. On the positive side all available rooms to let are occupied, maintaining a good revenue stream.

*WMA*

On the staffing side, we lost Margaret one of our caretakers, and appointed Dawn in her place. I would like to place on record my thanks to Paul and Hayley for their sterling work in dealing with the many problems which come their way. I would also like to thank all members for their support this year.

**RESOLVED:** That the report of the Chair be received and accepted.

EVPC/AAE/26/003 **Report of the Accounts for the Parish Council for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2026**

**RESOLVED:** That the accounts be received and accepted.

EVPC/AAE/26/004 **Resolutions of which written notice had been given to the Chair or Clerk**

None received

EVPC/AAE/26/005 **Any other urgent business or matter raised by the electorate.**

None received

EVPC/AAE/26/006 **Date and Time of Next Meeting**

The next Annual Assembly of Electors will take place on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> May 2027 at 1800 hrs in Seaton Holme.

**CERTIFIED TRUE RECORD**

Chairman ..... *WSJ* .....

Date ..... *8<sup>th</sup> June 2026* .....

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