

Minutes of **Messingham Parish Council Extraordinary** meeting held on **Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2020** in Messingham Village Hall commencing at 7pm.

**Present:** Cllrs. N Poole (Chair), Mrs J Briggs, A Clark, A Coggon, T Foster, J McKellarMain, Mrs P Skelton, P Wright.

**In Attendance:** Tracey Black, Parish Clerk  
No members of the public were present

**The Chairman opened the meeting at 7pm**

**209. Apologies for Absence**

Apologies were received from Cllrs W Elsome, J England, Mrs J Fenwick, A Holmes, Mrs P Hunt, Mrs G Sherwood, Mrs B Todd.

**210. Declarations of Interest** – none declared

**211. Public Forum** – there were no members of the public present.

**212. Devolution of Powers**

To consider devolution of power under Local Government Act 1972, Section 101 in order that the Parish Council can function and make decisions under the evolving conditions declared by Government in response to the Covid-19 virus.

**It was resolved;**

- a) To give the Clerk delegated powers to transact payments following referral to the Chairman.**
- b) To give the Chairman, Vice Chairman and Clerk delegated power to make decisions following consultation by email to all Councillors.**

**213. To consider action to inform and support the community within the scope of government advice**

The Chairman reported that key information with reference to points of contact had been placed on the Parish Council website and the notice boards.

The Chairman reported that North Lincolnshire Council is currently working to set up community hubs for residents in need of support during the Coronavirus. The Parish Council to obtain details to be able to offer this support to residents.

This concluded the business of the meeting and the meeting closed at 7:08pm

Signature

Date