

Mappleton Parish Council Minutes of the Meeting held on the 14th July 2026, in the The Old Post Office, Tearooms, Cliff Lane, Mappleton, HU18 1XX, by kind permission of Katie Stones.

Present: Cllr S. Mars, J.Froud(Clerk), Cllr G. Burton, Cllr J. Burton, Cllr S. Earle, Ward Cllr B. Jefferson, Ward Cllr J. Whittle.

1 member of the public.

Apologies: Cllr K. Baish, Cllr C.Taylor, Cllr J. Warrington.

Minutes May 2026 minutes were agreed as a true and correct record of what took place.

Matters Arising: Cllr Shawn Mars reported that the Telephone Box shelving has been completed, and that there is now a good range of books for people to borrow.

The Silhouette Servicemen and the Coronation Bench have not been sited yet, as the workmen have not arrived.

Police Report: No one present. Still ongoing problems with youths on E-bikes and Scooters causing trouble in and around Hornsea. The meeting heard reports of 4X4 vehicles being stolen in the area.

It is very important that people report all suspicious activity, and acts of Anti Social Behaviour by calling 101. If the time and location are logged, the Police then have the powers to check surveillance cameras for evidence.

Telephone Box, Silhouette Servicemen, Coronation Bench: Cllr Sue Earle asked if the Silhouette Servicemen at Cowden could be re-sited onto the grass verge, making them more visible. The other councillors present thought that they are alright where they are, and that problems with grass cutting will occur if they are moved.

Banking: The Mandate Form has been returned, Jim Froud to sort.

Accounts for Payment:

Clerk's Fees £350.00, Room Hire £60.00, Fuel £61.13 this was agreed.

Village Hall: Nothing.

Witherwick Community Wind Farm: Jim Froud reported, no minutes have been received.

Planning: Nothing

Willow Garth: Nothing.

Parishioner's Questions: Nothing.

AOB: Cllr Janet Burton asked ward Cllr Barbara Jefferson about the scheme for a retreat from coastal erosion. Barbara commented that the officers from ERYC should have been at the meeting this night, and it was for them to inform the Parish Council of any developments.

Janet asked where the funding for the surveys is coming from, the reply was that this is coming from the amount allocated by the Environment Agency.

There is no question of Groynes being installed along the Coastline, as the experts say that they don't work.

The state of Hatfield Lane was reported again, this is inline for major funding outside of ERYC control, Jim Froud to chase again.

If photographs and precise locations of damage or potholes in the roads are given to Jim Froud, he will make sure that they go onto the ERYC Portal.

Meeting closed at 8.10pm.

Next meeting Tuesday 8th September 2026

Signed as a true and correct record of what took place.