

Unapproved Minutes

Minutes of Thorpe Parish Council Meeting held on Tuesday 9th June 2026 at 7.00pm in the Village Hall, Thorpe

Present: Councillors, C Garrett (Chair), Louise Frith, John Best, Simon Rowney and Andrew Bock (clerk) 5 Parishioners

1343. Apologies – Cllr R Frith and J Bailey

1344. Declaration of Members Interests

None

1345. Appointment of Responsible Financial Officer – Andrew Bock agreed to undertake this role until the new Clerk is appointed early in 2027

1346. Minutes

The minutes of the meeting held on 24th March 2026 were approved.

1347. Ongoing Matters

- Congestion / Antisocial behaviour from visitors – The double yellow lines between the Old Dog and Thorpe Mill have deteriorated. This is to be raised again with the Highways Authority.
- Closure of public toilets – We are informed that a planning application for conversion into a home plus an extension has been submitted. This has yet to be circulated by Peak Park.
- Telephone Box – remains empty and available for alternative uses. It is beginning to look shabby.
- Village website – updated with new Councillors and accounts. Andrew Wager has updated this for many years and we are very grateful. The task is being passed on to Simon Rowney.
- Grounds Maintenance – Cyril Challinor undertaking the works at a cost of £2000 per annum for 2026.
- Thorpe Village Hall – nothing to report.

