

To be confirmed at the next meeting

ECCLESHILL PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 1 July 2026
at Carus Centre, Hoddlesden

Present: Councillor John Slater (In the Chair)
Councillors L Taylor, N Slater and Julie Slater

Also present: J Smith (Clerk)

Apologies: Councillor M Desai

1227 Public Participation

There were no members of the public present.

1228 Apologies for absence

Noted: Cllr M Desai

1229 Matters arising from previous meeting

Lower Waterside Farm – results are still outstanding.

Noticeboards/benches/bin – the name on the noticeboard in Waterside still needs amending. Cllr Taylor is still chasing up BwDBC to replace the bin in Waterside.

Annual Governance Statement and Accounting Statements 2025-26 – sent to the external auditor

Eccleshill Park – the grass has recently been cut

1230 Minutes of the last meeting

Resolved: The minutes of the meeting held on 13 May 2026 were approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair

1231 Minutes of the last meeting

Resolved: The minutes of the AGM held on 13 May 2026 were approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

1232 Declaration of Interest

Noted: None

1233 Planning Applications

Resolved: The Parish Council submit comments (as below) on planning applications 10/26/0371 and 10/26/0451

1234 Accounts for payment

Resolved: The following proposed accounts were approved:

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| 9 | Clerk salary | Admin – June | £170.00 |
| 10 | Clerk salary | Admin – July | £170.00 |
| 11 | Dave Rowley | Lengthsman – July | £95.00 |
| 12 | Dave Rowley | Lengthsman – August | £95.00 |
| 13 | HMRC | Tax/NI for April, May & June | £127.00 |

1235 Risk Assessment

Reviewed: The Risk Assessment was discussed and Clerk to make some amendments and bring back to the next meeting for approval.

1236 List of Policies

Agreed: Approved for another 12 months

1237 Any other business

E-mail addresses – Clerk requested approval to set up Parish Council e-mail accounts for Cllrs Taylor and Julie Slater – **approved**

Community Clean-up 2027 – the community clean-up in 2026 was a success and the dates for 2027 were discussed and provisionally agreed:

12-13 June 2027 Waterside
19-20 June 2027 Davyfield Gardens
26-27 June 2027 Eccleshill Gardens

Planning applications received by 18 June 2026

10/26/0371 Full Planning Application: Erection of a storage building (B8) at GFW Limited (The Furniture Warehouse) Waterside Business Park Johnson Road

The Parish Council had no objections

10/26/0451 Prior Approval - Solar Panels Non-domestic Buildings Proposal: Installation of PV solar panels at Waterside Business Park, GBW Products and Services, Johnson Road, Eccleshill

The Parish Council had no objections

Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be held on Wednesday 2 September 2026 starting at 7.00pm at the Carus Centre, Hoddlesden. The public and press are invited to attend and to listen and give their views.

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Signed - Chair

The meeting closed at 8.05pm

Dates of next meetings:

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| 4 November | Carus Centre |
| 6 January 2027 | Carus Centre |
| 3 March | Carus Centre |
| 12 May | Carus Centre |