## <u>Annual Parish Meeting Draft</u> <u>Minutes</u>

Date: Wednesday, 14th May 2025

**Time:** 7:00 PM

Location: St Edmunds Church, Marske

Attendance: All Councillors, Charlotte Smith, 13 Members of the Public

## 1. Notice Convening the Meeting

The meeting was formally convened. It was noted that only **registered Local Government Electors** for the Parish were entitled to vote.

- **2.** Apologies for Absences- None received.
- **3. Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes-** The Minutes from the meeting held on 22nd May 2024 were read and **approved as an accurate record.**
- **4. Chairman's Report**-the Chairman's Report was circulated as an appendix.
  - The Chairman provided an overview of the Parish Council's role, emphasizing its importance in representing local concerns and influencing decision-making at county and regional levels.
  - Achievements of the past year included:
    - Restoration of the old cast iron signpost, now funded and scheduled for completion.
    - Pedestrian safety signage installed on Clapgate Bank, alongside Toad Warning Signs.
    - Coast-to-Coast route upgrades, including wooden waymarker signs to improve safety.
    - Marske Conservation Area review, currently awaiting final outcomes.
    - Best Kept Village competition participation, fostering community engagement and plans for continued involvement.
    - Litter-picking events, with encouragement for parishioners to get involved.
    - Acknowledgment of departing Councillor Lynne Wallis for her contributions to the Parish Council.

- Thanks extended to the Clerk Charlotte, County Councillor
  Yvonne Peacock, and auditor Pam Braithwaite for their support and dedication.
- **5. Public Discussion-** No matters were raised by parishioners regarding Parish Council responsibilities.
- **6. Consideration of Written Resolutions-** No written resolutions were received by the Clerk.

## **Closing Remarks**

The Chairman invited any further questions or concerns from attendees.