- 4.0. Matters Arising for this Meeting.
- 41. Christmas Tree and Lights. Carols round the Tree.

The parish council has authorised the chair of the council to buy extra lights for the tree. The amount to be spent is no more than £50.00. Lady Bell has stated that the parish council may have a tree as long as we have someone who has a chainsaw licence, and there must be two people on site when the tree is cut. The parish council will look at trees to see which one is suitable. It has been decided that Carols round the Tree will take place on the 18<sup>th</sup> December at 7.00pm. There will be Mulled Wine and Mince-pies in the Village Hall. With the parish council meeting straight afterwards at 8.00pm.

4.2. Village Name Signs.

The parish council are looking into grants and funding to improve the appearance of the villages, these will include new name signs for the villages and tubs filled with flowers around the villages.

4.3. Parish Emergency Plan.

The parish council are looking into producing an emergency plan for any eventuality. It was suggested a list of volunteers be put in place so that everyone knows who to contact.

4.4. Community Plan.

Some actions have already been taken. It was also discussed could we have a Neighbourhood Plan, but the parish council felt that the community plan was sufficient.

4.5. Poop Scoop Bin.

The parish council are in talks with HDC (Street Scene Supervisor) who is willing to give us poop scoop bin for nothing. The chair to meet with Mr D Granger to see where it could go. If possible next to the grit bin outside the school.

4.6. Cold Calling Zone.

The parish council would like to seek views on whether there is enough interest in having such a zone in the villages.

5. Finance.

5.1. Bank Statements.

The bank balances are as follows; Current Account held for the IVRA £433.34. Community Instant Reserve account £3,684.26.

Bills to Pay.

We have two bills this evening.

MBP Groundcare.

This bill is for£166.66 this is the 8<sup>th</sup> of 12 invoices. The parish council voted and agreed to pay this bill, a cheque was signed at this meeting.

Oueen's Jubilee.

This bill is for an OakTree, £266.40 (including Vat of £44.40). The parish council agreed and voted to pay this bill. A cheque was signed at this meeting.

6. Correspondence.

This has been circulated.

7. Planning.

Mrs V Murray. Lakeside. Ingleby Amcliffe.

This is for a convert ion of the garage and outer building to form a holiday cottage. The parish council wish to see this approved.

8. Any Other Business.

None.

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