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2024/07	Annual Parish Meeting The meeting held on 15 th May will be the Annual Parish Council meeting and Annual Parish meeting.	
2024/08	Clerk's report a) Levelling Up and Regeneration Act 2023 – the Act, passed in November 2023 gives Parish Councils the legal power to make grants to churches. b) Portrait of the King – a framed portrait of the King is available, free of charge, to Parish Councils and other public bodies. The clerk will order a portrait to be hung in the village hall.	
2024/09	Correspondence Hazardous road, Ridlington to Ayston – letter received from David Harvey expressing concern that the road is unsafe. The problem was acknowledged; however, the Parish Council has no authority over highways, this rests with Rutland County Council. Cllr. Morrell has contacted Ayston Parish meeting and will arrange a meeting with Uppingham Town Council and Ayston Parish Council to discuss potential solutions – including a reduction in speed limit and pursuing the reinstatement of the footpath between Ayston and Ridlington. Recommendations will be made to Rutland County Council. Cllr Allan volunteered to begin the process for obtaining safety improvements on the Uppingham to Ayston road.	JM RA
2024/10	County Councillor's report Cllr Johnson reported on the proposed Rutland County Council budget for 204/25, which is due to be approved. Limited financial support, in the form of a council tax reduction for up to 3 months is available to some households which experienced flooding. Cllr Clifton reported on the Rutland County Council special meeting held on 18 th January in response to Storm Henk. Section 18 consultation on the Local Plan is now complete.	
2024/11	Climate Change and Environmental matters A Village Litter Pick will take place on Saturday 9 th March 2024 10.30am, volunteers are welcomed. Snowdrop and bulb planting in church yard will take place in the coming weeks.	
2024/12	Reducing Social Isolation Cllr. Petit will attempt to co-ordinate this initiative with Rutland Citizens Advice and the Ridlington Emergency Plan and report back at a future meeting.	
2024/13	Planning a. To consider planning application 2024/0140/CAT The Old Noel Arms, Noel Lane. (T1) 1 no. Silver Birch – fell. T2 1 no. Fir – fell – application details awaited from RCC for consideration. b. To receive planning application since the last meeting: 2023/1317/FUL 8 East Lane. Replacement uPVC windows to front and rear elevations. No objections. Granted 19.02.24. c. To receive decisions from RCC since last meeting: 2023/1327/CAT Croft House, 1B Top Road. T1 – Sycamore tree – reduce smaller branches away from BT lines, crown raise remaining crown to 4m. T2 – raise crown of Horse Chestnut tree to 4m and reduce branch to south by 3m.	

	Granted 18.01.24.	
2024/14	<p>Finance</p> <p>a. To approve current financial summary to 31st January 2024 (2024/17 below)</p> <p>This was received and approved.</p> <p>b. To approve payments since the last meeting:</p> <p>IONOS £19.32 – email renewal</p> <p>K Reid £595 – bench installation</p> <p>D Mitcheson £165.00 – website maintenance</p> <p>Rutland County Council £320.24 – street lighting recharge</p> <p>c. CIL monies:</p> <p>The Parish Council holds £746.75 of CIL funds (expiring April 2028).</p>	
2024/15	<p>AOB</p> <p>Date of next meeting – 15th May 2024 6pm</p>	
2024/16	The meeting closed at 7.28pm	

