

APPENDIX B – YES TO HEYSHAM PARISH COUNCIL

COUNCIL BUSINESS COMMITTEE – 19 JULY 2018

1	I have received a flyer this morning and I vote in favour of a parish council in Heysham.
2	YES to the Heysham parish council
3	Agree that Heysham should have its own parish council.
4	We live at XXXXX and we think it would be a good idea for Heysham to have its own Parish Council.
5	<p>My wife and I both think that creating a parish council for Heysham is a brilliant idea, and are 100% in favour of it.</p> <p>We have just returned from a two week touring holiday in central France, and their system of local parishes works brilliantly (they call them Communes) and helps the local representative make decisions on behalf of the local populace, using a small contribution on top of standard council tax.</p>
6	With reference to the visit today from a city council representative I would like to register that I am in favour of a Parish Council being set up for my area in Heysham. I understand that there will be an additional precept on my council tax bill.
7	In regard to the flyer put through my letterbox recently, I would be willing to pay a bit extra on my Council Tax for a Parish Council in Heysham, my vote is a big yes !..
8	<p>I have just received your leaflet about the creation of a Parish Council for Heysham.</p> <p>I would like to say that I am fully supportive of this proposal.</p>
9	We are in favour of the proposed parish council in Heysham.
10	I vote "Yes" for a parish council for Heysham.
11	Our address is XXXXX and we agree to have a parish council in Heysham
12	<p>I have not yet been canvassed on the creation of a Heysham Parish Council. However, I have the advantage of having the Community Governance Review document in which it states that the consultation closes on 31st May. Therefore I am writing on behalf of myself and XXXXX to formally state that we are both content with the arrangements proposed for the creation of a Heysham Parish Council including the ward suggestions and draft precept. I would be grateful if this could be recorded in your log of comments.</p>
13	I am in favour of creating a Parish Council in the Heysham area.
14	This is a vote IN FAVOUR of the proposed Heysham Parish Council
15	<p>My home is in the new proposed parish council area...</p> <p>Your canvasser called but it wasn't a good time to talk.</p>

	Please could you put our vote of 'YES' for Heysham to become a Parish Council.
16	My wife and I can see the benefits of a Heysham Parish Council, have benefitted from a PC in Northamptonshire where we previously lived. Look forward to it going ahead.
17	I have no problems at all with Heysham having a Parish Council and look forward to it, all things being equal. Being able to decide your own spending on things relevant to your area and not being a second / third thought or if anything is leftover in budget Lancaster City Council has to be a plus.
18	<p>I write to register my support for a Parish Council in Heysham. I feel strongly that this, for the small proposed charge, would be well in Heysham's interests; absolutely locally tackling the 'problem' areas that are so important to Heysham residents. Nominated Councillors as volunteers would truly have Heysham's best interest at heart and residents would feel that the village was being looked after by people who really care about the village; also, that they would have more of a direct say. This would be greatly beneficial to both residents and visitors alike.</p> <p>The proposed (initial) £15/year onto our Council Tax bill would, I feel, be a small price to pay for such a service.</p>
19	I am writing to support the creation of a Parish Council in Heysham. I strongly feel that this historic area would benefit from the generation of money to benefit the area - (which sadly over the years has been greatly neglected) - this would give residents a sense of pride and 'ownership' which would hopefully also then encourage more tourism to the village.
20	<p>I am e-mailing to confirm that we do agree for a Parish Council in Heysham as per your recent Leaflet received on the 11th May 2018.</p> <p>The main reason is that its a good proposal that if we have one Locally...and that they will have our Local Views (if we ask),taken in the future as and when if required and that's very good.</p> <p>I googled the population recently of Heysham as being 6,764,,,Morecambe as 34,770 and ,,,,Lancaster as 59,218 for further confirmation that it is a good suggestion to have our own Parish Council.....</p> <p>Our Current House Council Tax is D-£1760.19,,, so this will increase by £15-Annually,,, which is not a problem,as long as it stays at this for the future -obviously plus inflation.</p> <p>All the best to the Local Politicians.</p>
21	Unfortunately I missed the representatives from Lancaster City Council. I will support a Parish Council for Heysham.
22	I would like to say that a parish council for Heysham is an excellent idea.
23	We confirm that we would like to see a parish council created for our area, it can only be a good thing to have some control over local development. We look forward to hearing the decision.

24	I agree to the creation of a Parish Council for Heysham.
25	I would like to add my support for the creation of a Parish Council for Heysham.
26	With regard to the proposed Heysham Parish Council, we would both be in favour of such a council being set up.
27	No one has been to my door asking for my opinion about a Parish Council for Heysham but I think - yes.
28	This is to confirm I would like a parish council in Heysham.
29	Thank you for the letter. Yes I would like us to have a parish councillor. But hope the ones putting up for the election are people who have been born and bred here and not an outsider just getting into politics which in my opinion is completely unacceptable.
30	<p>I am responding to a flyer through my door, regarding the formation of a Parish Council.</p> <p>What concerns me is the lack of information as to what this council would do and who would be on the council and are there certain criteria as to how any money would be spent.</p> <p>What also concerns me is the fact it would be allowed to set the precept, would this go to the Parish as a whole to decide or be solely decided by those sitting on the council and would there be a cap on what this amount would be.</p> <p>Would the representatives be elected and how?</p> <p>Is there really a need for this Parish Council, how would we be benefit.</p>
31	<p>Further to the leaflet regarding the possibility of Heysham forming a Parish Council could you please give me and others more information.</p> <p>What are the funds raised to be used for and what things can the monies not be used for?</p> <p>Could the monies be ring fenced for specific projects and what sort of projects do you envisage the funds would be used for?</p> <p>What proportion of the monies raised would be used for expenses and costs administering the Parish Council and would there be set limits?</p> <p>Whilst I agree in principle will there be more information presented to the public before any decision on the way we vote</p>