Sutton-in-Craven Parish Council Footway Street Lighting Policy

Adopted by Full Council at its Meeting held on the ...

1. Introduction

The following information relates to the Street Lighting Policy in Sutton-in-Craven and aims to set out a code of practice for compliance, in recognising our responsibilities.

Facts and figures shown were current at the time of writing.

The Parish Council owns and maintains 57 street lights within Sutton in Craven. These are located within the residential roads of the village. The policy relates to the maintenance and operation of these units (please see Appendix A).

The public are welcome to report any issues with these lights to the Clerk of the Parish Council.

2. Aims and Objectives

- Maintain the street lights, in a safe condition, within the agreed budget
- Anticipate budget changes in line with maintenance costs and replacement rates
- Avoid the need to take out loans to complete the works, where possible
- Keep in line with current legislation, legal requirements and best practice
- Continue to aim to reduce costs and power consumption, year on year, without a detrimental effect to illumination or safety.
- Replace lamp posts at the end of their life or when beneficial to overall aims

3. Background – Legal Obligations and Limitations Defining Responsibilities Responsible Authority Area of Responsibility

3.1 North Yorkshire County Council

North Yorkshire County Council are the Highway Authority and maintain lights on the Main A and B roads in Sutton-in-Craven.

The Highway Act 1980 empowers a Highway Authority (in our case North Yorkshire County Council) to provide lighting for any highway or proposed highway for which they are, or will be, the Highway Authority.

The Highway Authority has a duty of care to the road users. However, this duty does not require the Highway Authority to keep the public lighting lit. It does require the authority to be able to demonstrate that they have systems in place to maintain the public lighting equipment in a safe condition, including the detection of dangerous equipment.

3.2 Craven District Council

District Councils have the power to provide lighting as local authorities, acting with the consent of the Highways Authority; these powers were conferred by the Public Health Act 1985.

3.3 Building Developers

Some Building Developers retain responsibility until the road is adopted at the end of a building project.

4. Parish Councils Unmetered Electricity Supplies

In order to obtain unmetered electricity supplies the Parish Council must enter into an Unmetered Connection Agreement with an energy supplier. This is currently under North Yorkshire County Councils supplier.

North Yorkshire County Council will respond to any faults reported by the Parish Council within 21 working days. In some cases, spare parts will need to be ordered, or additional work commissioned. such matters will be rectified as soon as possible.

4.2 Reporting a Fault

If a Member of the Public observes a failed light PLEASE REPORT it to the Parish Council so that repairs can be arranged.

For general reporting, please contact the Clerk or a Parish Councillor and provide details of :

- The lamp number if available (usually displayed on a sticker on the lamp post);
- The location (e.g. outside number 4 Hall Way);
- Brief description of the fault (e.g. lamp not on at night/lamp on during the day/etc);
- and your contact details (name, address and telephone number/email).

If the Clerk is unavailable, an answer phone service will be in operation. Alternatively, you can report the vault via email or on the Parish website under contact.

Phone 01535 633972

Email: Clerk.suttonincraven@gmail.com

4.3 In the Event of an Emergency

In the event of an emergency, such as column being knocked down due to a road traffic accident, Please contact North Yorkshire Police, who may need to isolate the are on 999 or 101 and then notify The Clerk to the Parish Council so that the incident can be properly tracked and recorded.

In the event of a road traffic accident, please provide details of the vehicles(s) involved, to the Clerk, as this will be required to institute procedures for recovery of costs.

5. Requests for Changes to Street Lighting

The Parish Council receive, from parishioners, requests for additional street light columns, for their removal or for changes in the light intensity of individual columns. The Parish Council will consider

All such requests, conduct further inquiries with all affected neighbouring properties and investigate alternative solutions where appropriate. The cost will be borne by the requester.

6. Repair or Replace

Faulty lights are repaired unless we are advised by our contractor that repair is uneconomic. Sutton-in-Craven Parish Council support the need to reduce light pollution and where opportunity rises, may elect not to replace a lamp post. New columns erected should be of a high standard and a popular choice appropriate to the area. We will consult with residents and act on the balance of opinion where this is reasonable and within our budget.

7. Maximum Response Times

These are received from our contractor (recommended industry standards) 21 Working Days.

8. Environment Impact

Attempts will be made to limit the impact of our street lighting on the environment where possible and economically viable. This may include:

- Moving to more energy efficient lighting;
- Bulbs that offer more direction and less dissipation;
- The use of part-night photo cells (where the lamp is switched off between midnight and 5am).

9. Signage on lighting columns

Permission for any signage needs to be obtained from the Parish Council prior to notices being placed on columns the Parish Council are responsible for. The Parish Council accepts no liability for loss damage to the signage and for no loss or damage if signs cause any injury, separate insurance is needed by the owner.

Appendix A

	Lamp				Lamp		
Road Name	ID	Location	Туре	Wattage	Туре	Notes	
Holmefield Road	LP 1	rear 7	Concrete	80	MBFU		Replaced for new LED
Holmefield Road	LP 2	rear 2 Jackson Street	6m TS	35	SOX	PT	
Holmefield Road	LP 3	rear 2 Walton Street	Concrete	35	SOX	PT	Replaced for new LED
Walton Street	LP 4	rear 18	Concrete	42	Fluor	NVA, scaffold required	Replaced for new LED
Wighill Street	LP 5	0/s 17	6m TS	10	LED	Orangetek	New LED
Jackson Street	0	o/s 10	Concrete	80	MBFU	PT	Replaced for new LED
Church Road	LP 7	opp Craglea	Concrete	80	MBFU	PT	Replaced for new LED
King Edward Street	LP 8	o/s 13/ 15	Concrete	80	MBFU	PT	
King Edward Street	LP 9	opp 31	Concrete	80	MBFU	PT	
Gordon Street	LP 10	rear 10	Concrete	80	MBFU	sleeved	
Gordon Street	LP 11	rear 28	5m TS	50	SON	P567	
Gordon Street	LP 12	rear 46	Concrete	50	SON	P567	
Gordon Street	LP 13	rear 19	5m TS	10	LED		Replaced for New
Gordon Street	LP 14	rear 37	Concrete	80	MBFU	PT	
Wright Street	LP 15	on 7	WB	35	SOX	M. Box, UG supply	
Eastfield Place	LP 16	o/s 9	5m TS	70	SON	PT	
						NVA, behind private	Decision made not to replace/ remove /give
Main Street	LP 17	rear 52	Concrete	80	MBFU	fence. TBR	over to residents
Main Street	LP 18	rear 36	Concrete	80	MBFU	PT	
Main Street	LP 19	rear 16	WB	80	MBFU	S. Box, UG supply	
Bridge Road	LP 20	NYCC				NYCC	
Bridge Road	LP 21	NYCC				NYCC	
Harker Street	LP 22	on 13	WB	35	SOX	L. Box, UG supply	
Well Street	LP 23	rear 9 Harker Street	Concrete	80	MBFU	NVA, behind private gate.	Decision made not to mend/ remove/give over to residents
Dixon Street	LP 24	rear 7	6m TS	50	SON	Iridium	
Dixon Street	LP 25	rear 13	5m TS	35	SOX		
Ravenstone Gardens	LP 26	o/s 1	5m TS	50	SON	P567	

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Gardens	LP 27	o/s 14	Concrete	80	MBFU	PT	
Victoria Street	LP 28	rear 7	Concrete	50	SON	P567	
Victoria Street	LP 29	rear 16	5m R+L	50	SON	P567	
Park Drive CDS	LP 30	o/s 19/ 25	5m TS	35	SOX		
Main Street	LP 31	on rear 60	WB	50	SON	L. Box, UG supply, P567	
Gatering Lane	LP 32	o/s Inglewood	5m HS	42	Fluor		
		corner with Wet Ings					
Gatering Lane	LP 33	Lane	5m R+L	35	SOX		
Wet Ings Lane	LP 34	3rd from Ellers Road	5m R+L	35	SOX		
Wet Ings Lane	LP 35	2nd from Ellers Road	5m R+L	35	SOX		
Wet Ings Lane	LP 36	1st from Ellers Road	5m R+L	35	SOX		
Hall Drive	LP 37	opp 18	6m TS	50	SON	Iridium	
Hall Drive	LP 38	o/s 26/ 28	5m TS	42	Fluor		
Hall Drive	LP 39	near foot bridge	PB	42	Fluor	L. Box, OH "C613-02-05"	
Daisey Place	LP 40	on rear 15 High Street	WB	35	SOX	M. Box, UG supply	
Kings Court	LP 41	on rear 8 West Lane	WB	35	SOX	M. Box, UG supply	
Westfield Place	LP 42	on 1	WB	35	SOX	S. Box, UG supply	
Lister Hill	LP 43	on 5	WB	35	SOX	S. Box, UG supply	
Gibraltar Terrace	LP 44	rear 8 North Road	5m HS	42	Fluor	NVA, scaffold required	
The Acres	LP 45	o/s Hazeldene	Concrete	80	MBFU	PT	
The Acres	LP 46	o/s Moorview	Concrete	80	MBFU		
The Acres	LP 47	o/s An Der Hahler	Concrete	50	SON	P567	
Croft Hill	LP 48	rear 27	5m R+L	35	SOX		
Croft Hill	LP 49	rear 15	5m R+L	35	SOX		
Crag View	LP 50	rear 8	Concrete	35	SOX	PT	
Holly Bank	LP 51	rear 1	5m HS	42	Fluor		
Bent Lane	LP 52	o/s Bent Croft	5m TS	35	SOX	PT	
Bent Lane	LP 53	corner RH bend	5m TS	35	SOX	PT	
Bent Lane	LP 54	corner LH bend	Concrete	80	MBFU		
Bent Lane	LP 55	open field	6m TS	50	SON		
Bent Lane	LP 56	near Bent Farm	6m TS	20	LED	Orangetek	Replaced for New LED
Sutton Fields ftph	LP 57	rear 57 The Hawthorns	Concrete	80	MBFU	NVA, scaffold required	
Sutton Fields ftph	LP 58	o/s 15 The Coppice	Concrete	80	MBFU	PT	
Harper Grove	LP 59	rear 11	6m TS	20	LED	Orangetek	Replaced New LED

Boundary Avenue	LP 60	NYCC	NYCC	
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High Malsis Lane	LP 62	Glusburn PC light	Glusburn PC light	
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TOTAL

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Charcoal Grey