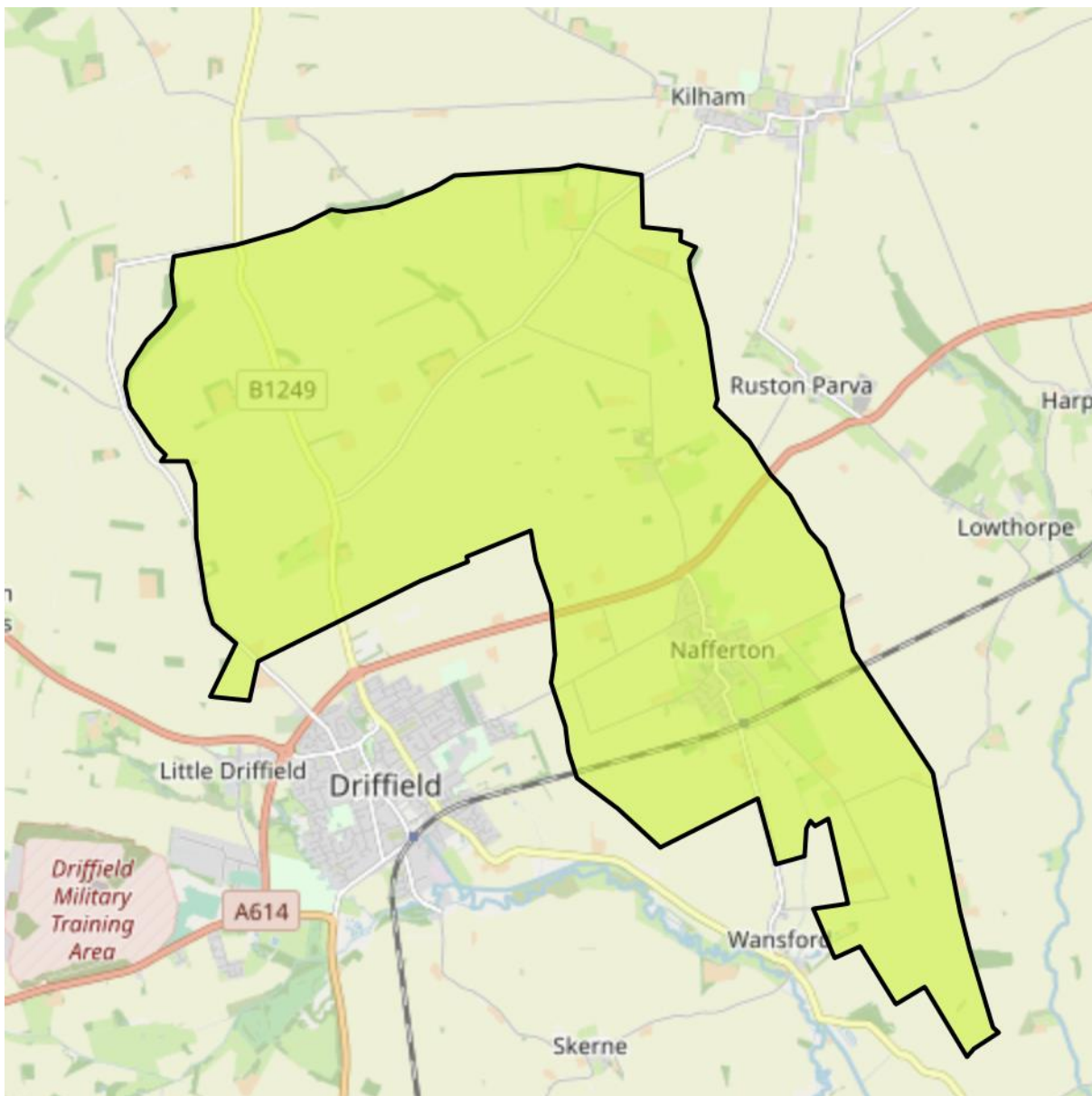


Nafferton Parish Council
AGM 2023

Chairs report of the year 2022 to 2023

General update of the Parish Council

The parish of Nafferton covers an area of circa 32 square miles or 3,074.75 Hectares with a population density of 0.8 persons per Hectare, and serves circa 2500 residents with a mean age of 44 years (ONS 2011 survey).



In this reporting year, several large and long term projects have been completed or enacted, which will follow in the general updates from each element below.

Nafferton Parish Council (NPC) comprises of 13 councillors with no current vacant positions. Attendance at monthly meetings, held at Nafferton Recreation Club is generally healthy with no meetings not meeting quorate requirements. Since the last AGM the structure of the PC meetings has changed to remove the Nafferton Recreation Club from being incorporated within the PC meeting, this is now held individually immediately after the regular PC meeting to increase the focus upon the tasks of the Rec Club and their impact on the users.

All meetings continue to follow the East Riding of Yorkshire Councils guidance with East Riding Northern Lincolnshire Local Councils Association (ERNLLCA) issuing instructions to NPC which full compliance is ensured.

Area updates

The Mere

No significant reports or maintenance of the mere have been reported within the last year to the 2022 AGM. Current issues facing the mere include planning applications to crown or removal of two tree's on the island and a crown lift of the tree upon the viewing platform on Priestgate.

Playground

The playground has in the year since the last AGM completed a £55,000 renovation, with thanks to councillors Millan (P & C) and councillor P, Sharpe. Current priorities for the playground now include the repair of the fencing within the playground which is currently being removed and re-constructed. It is recommended that an annual maintenance plan and funding set aside in the precept to ensure longevity and planned renewal of the equipment to avoid future issues arising from wear and tear.

Bus shelter & Public Access Building

The structure of the Bus shelter, while low maintenance, requires periodic painting and general cleaning. No major issues have been noted in the last year yet planning should be started for the maintenance of the roof. The public access building remains largely unchanged since the last report.

The Recreation Club, old and new

The “Clubhouse” having been fully renovated is now regularly used by various community and sporting clubs complimenting the facilities provided by the REC Club and the PC.

The Rec Club is currently undertaking a financial action plan to ensure that profit and loss are equal with a sustainable facility for now and the future, this area of focus is the current main priority for the Rec.

Allotments

A representative from the allotment holders, who is not a PC member should be established to gather feedback to the PC and ensure continual improvements moving forward.