

THURLBY PARISH COUNCIL
PUBLIC STATEMENT

20th March 2020

Dear Residents,

Following an agreement of the Parish Council the following statement is issued:

*“Thurlby Parish Council recognises and agrees that no business, meeting, service provision or service delivery of the Authority is of any importance **above that** of public and personal safety. As such, all scheduled public meetings will be cancelled for an **initial 4-month period** (or as circumstances dictate and subject to a monthly review to ascertain if the Council business can resume as normal)”.*

Whilst public meetings are cancelled, please be assured the Parish Council has put measures in place to ensure minimal disruption or interruption as necessary or until any national legislation or instruction dictates otherwise.

Thurlby Parish Council can still be contacted on the number shown below but are unable to answer specific questions in relation to or on behalf of other local Authorities, health care providers or individual businesses within the parish.

Over the coming weeks, local self-help will be of paramount importance.

Above all Thurlby Parish Council advises people to follow the latest national or regional health advice and encourages you not put yourself or other at risk from infection.

Government Social distancing advice is available at:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-guidance-on-social-distancing-and-for-vulnerable-people>

Government Stay at home guidance is available at:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stay-at-home-guidance-for-households-with-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection>

Parish Council contact details:

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