

ST CLEER PARISH COUNCIL

Meeting of the Full Parish Council

Minutes of the meeting of the Full Parish Council held on January 26th 2022

Minute no		Action
	<p>Persons Present: Cllr. Harbord (Chair), Cllr. Horsfield, Cllr. Smith, Cllr. Seage, Cllr. Sargeant, Cllr. Morris, Cllr. Andrews, Cllr. Colenzo, Cllr. Emms, Cllr. Johnson Cornwall Councillor P. Seeva, Members of the Public: 3 In Attendance: E. Luther, Clerk/RFO</p>	
1/1	<p>Apologies: Cllr. Nash, Cllr. Prinn</p>	
2/1	<p>To Receive any Declarations of Interest from Members/Dispensations Cllr. Seage and Cllr. Colenzo declared an interest in planning applications under discussion at this meeting.</p>	
3/1	<p>Public Participation: Time was allowed for members of the public to comment on agenda items and offer their contributions. Standing Orders now applied.</p>	
4/1	<p>Chairman's Announcements: Cllr. Harbord introduced St Cleer Parish Council's new councillor, Cllr. Kevin Johnson. She then handed over to Cornwall Councillor P. Seeva for his regular report.</p> <p>Cllr. P. Seeva explained Cornwall Council had received a petition to ban Trail Hunting on Cornwall Council land, and consideration of the petition was ongoing. There had also been a call to make airports carbon neutral. This was passed to a scrutiny committee. Cllr. Seeva mentioned the upcoming budget meeting on Feb 22nd which would impact on residents Council Tax bills. He also talked about a tour of the parish he had undertaken with Cllr. Sargeant. On this tour, the flooding at Redgate was examined and also the cattle grid at Commonmoor. Cllr. Seeva reported the drains had been jetted at Redgate. He also said that he had asked that the Commonmoor cattle grid be given top priority. Cllr. Horsfield drew his attention to large amounts of rubbish in the hedgerows between Liskeard and St Cleer, and Cllr. Seeva noted this issue.</p>	
5/1	<p>Minutes of the Meeting held on December 15th 2021 To RESOLVE that the Minutes of the above meeting, having been previously circulated and taken as read, were approved and signed. Proposed: Cllr. Smith, Seconded: Cllr. Seage <u>Carried</u></p>	

6/1	<p>Planning: Decisions Received: The Council noted that: PA21/12037 28 Fernside had been <i>approved</i>. PA21/04627 Steeping Stones, Crows Nest, Darite had been <i>approved</i>. PA21/01925 Land Pt Os 4700 Hockings House, St Cleer had been <i>withdrawn</i>. PA21/11284 Pegasus Cottage, Higher Tremar had been <i>approved</i>.</p>	
7/1	<p>Planning: Applications for Consultation:</p> <p><i>Cllr. Colenzo left the room prior to any discussion due to an interest in this application and did not vote:</i></p> <p>i) PA21/12706 – Land Pt Os 4700 Hockings House, St Cleer Proposed variation in respect to plots 7 & 8 of planning approval PA19/08136 To RESOLVE to recommend this application for approval. Proposed: Cllr. Emms, Seconded: Cllr. Smith <u>Carried</u></p> <p><i>Cllr. Seage left the room prior to any discussion due to an interest in this application and did not vote:</i></p> <p>ii) PA22/00374 – Trekinham, Little Fursnewth, St Cleer PL14 6RS External alterations to property façade and installation of 15 Solar PV panels to existing roof slope To RESOLVE to recommend this application for approval. Proposed: Cllr. Sargeant, Seconded: Cllr. Morris <u>Carried</u></p>	
8/1	<p>To Appoint a Delegate for the St. Cleer & District Commoners Association Cllr. Johnson and Cllr. Seage both expressed interest in holding this position. Cllr. Seage recounted his experience in the farming community in many areas of the UK. Cllr. Johnson spoke of his hopes for a large-scale community woodland project in our parish, and the creation of a public open space. Cllr. Seage said this was an interesting idea and for that reason he was happy to withdraw. It was agreed that Cllr. Johnson be appointed to the above position.</p>	
9/1	<p>To Appoint a Delegate as Devon & Cornwall Police & Crime Commissioner Liaison After a short discussion about the lack of contact over the past few years, the Clerk was asked to make contact with the Police & Crime Commissioner in order to gain further information about what liaison opportunities there would be. It was RESOLVED to defer this item to the next Full Council meeting. Proposed: Cllr. Harbord, Seconded: Cllr. Morris <u>Carried</u></p>	Clerk
10/1	<p>Covid Safety Measures With the ending of compulsory mask wearing imminent, Cllr. Harbord asked that councillors consider continuing to wear masks at meetings (unless exempt) out of consideration for those who are clinically vulnerable or may be in close contact with the clinically vulnerable.</p>	
11/1	<p>Recycling Bins There has been a problem with the over-filling of the bins at the Pavilion with household recycling rather than the Pavilion recycling they were purchased to contain. Cllr. Morris pointed out that the bins' position in the car park may have understandably led members of the public to assume they were for public use. It was RESOLVED to move the bins to the store at the back of the Pavilion. Proposed: Cllr. Morris, Seconded: Cllr. Horsfield <u>Carried</u></p>	

12/1	<p>Parish Noticeboard Renewal</p> <p>Cllr. Seage presented the quote he had obtained from a local tradesman for a hardwood notice board. This was compared with the previous quotes obtained for non-wood lockable boards. Cllr. Johnson agreed that a locally-made board was a good idea but questioned whether spending that amount of money was appropriate at this time. Other councillors were also concerned about the possible cost. Cornwall Councillor P. Seeva said that there might be money available from his Community Chest at the beginning of April. Cllr. Harbord passed this item to the Estates Committee in order that they could identify one or two cheaper products and present them to Full Council, and so that they could also look into possible sponsorship from local companies to help towards the cost of replacing other boards in the parish.</p>	Estates Comm.
13/1	<p>Speed Camera</p> <p>Cllr. Harbord reported that we are still awaiting the provision of suitable poles to hold the camera and solar panel. The Clerk confirmed that Will Glassup (Highways and Environment Manager at Cormac) had been contacted and that our work was on the list but other work correcting defects must come above it. No precise date could be given. Cllr. Morris said that the instructions for the camera installation required a scissor lift for safety. Cllr. Harbord asked that this item be passed to Estates to draw up a plan of action for the installation of the camera. Cllr. Smith commented that we could sell the camera and not proceed with it. Cllr. Harbord said that if this was to be considered a motion would need to be put forward for the next meeting.</p>	Estates Comm.
14/1	<p>Redgate Bus Shelter</p> <p>The side panel is still awaiting replacement.</p>	
15/1	<p>Finance Report to January 26th 2022</p> <p>A discussion took place with regard to the mowing contract after Cllr. Johnson raised a number of concerns about the subcontracting of the cutting of the pitches. He offered an amendment to the above motion, but this was not progressed by the Chair. The Clerk was asked to contact Husband Landscaping to indicate our concerns and to ask for details of the subcontracting.</p> <p>To RESOLVE to authorise all payments outstanding and agree the bank reconciliation so presented was put to a named vote:</p> <p>Proposed: Cllr. Seage, Seconded: Cllr. Morris</p> <p>For: Cllr. Harbord, Cllr. Sargeant, Cllr. Seage, Cllr. Morris</p> <p>Against: Cllr. Emms, Cllr. Johnson</p> <p>Abstained: Cllr. Smith, Cllr. Horsfield, Cllr. Andrews, Cllr. Colenzo</p> <p><u>Carried</u></p>	Clerk
137/12	<p>Matters of Public Interest/ Date of Next Meeting</p> <p>The Clerk reported that the trees overhanging roads in the parish, mentioned by Cllr. Emms at the Estates meeting, had been reported to Cornwall Council. They had sent out a contractor to inspect these areas. They reported that no action was necessary at this moment but that the areas would be monitored.</p> <p>Meeting Closed at 8.35pm</p> <p>Date of Next Meeting: February 23rd 2022</p>	