



Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Wednesday, 17th February, 2016 at 8.00 p.m. in Bridgerule Village Hall

Present: Chairman: Cllr. J Medland
Councillors: Cllrs. Elliott, J McDougall, D Hale, B Beadle, S Cholwill, P Haydon, C Seymour-Smith.

In Attendance: Parish Clerk.

1552. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Cllrs Giles and James. County Cllr Parsons

1553. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

The Chairman requested that interests be declared as matters arose.

1554. PUBLIC OPEN QUESTION TIME

No members of public were present.

1555. POLICE REPORT

There was a 'walk in burglary' in Bridgerule. Nothing was taken, but the offender entered a property without permission whilst the owner was on site.

1556. COUNTY COUNCILLORS REPORT

The County Councillor had sent a report, which was emailed to councillors after the meeting.

1557. DISTRICT COUNCILLORS REPORT

No report

1558. COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

Cllr. McDougall proposed the Minutes of the Full Council Meeting held on 20th January, 2016 be approved. Cllr. Hale seconded the proposal which was carried. (Vote 8 For. 0 Against. 0 Abstentions).

1559. MATTERS ARISING

No matters arising that are not covered elsewhere on the agenda.

1560. ACCOUNTS DUE FOR PAYMENT**BRIDGERULE PARISH COUNCIL - INVOICES JANUARY 2016**

COUNCIL EXPENDITURE						
Date	Pay To	Voucher	Gross	Net	VAT	Reason
17.02.16	R Perry	624	£169.42	£169.42	£0.00	Wages
17.02.16	R Perry	624	£11.19	£11.19	£0.00	Clerks Expenses
						Both added together and on the one cheque
	TOTAL		£180.61	£180.61	£0.00	
Bank Accounts						
<u>Current Account</u>				<u>Reserve Account</u>		
	Balance at 31st December	£3,143.11		£22,318.76		Balance at 18th December
	Transfer from Reserve Acc.	£11,000.00				
				£0.76		Interest 31.12.15
			£14,143.11			
	617		£169.42			-£11,000.00 Transferred to current acc. 12 th Jan 2016
	Balance at 1st February 2016		£13,973.69		£11,319.52	Balance at 19th January 2016
Playing Field Project Bonus Saver Account						
	Balance at 30th October 2015		£5,062.80			
	Interest Nov/Dec		£0.34			
	Interest Jan		£0.16			
	Balance at 29th January 2016		£5,063.30			

Cllr. Haydon proposed the accounts be approved for payment. Cllr. Elliott seconded the proposal. (Vote 8 For. 0 Against. 0 Abstentions).

1561. PLAYING FIELD PROJECT UPDATE

Cllr James is signing the contract for the field later this week. The fence that has been put in as boundary is to be maintained by the Parish Council. The landowner has agreed a right of way along the lane for access for infill, until this is completed.

1562. PLANNING

1/0053/2016/FUL

Extension to existing Agricultural Engineering Business

The Council Support this application

Proposed Cllr Haydon, Seconded Cllr Seymour-Smith

(Vote 8 For. 0 Against. 0 Abstentions).

1/0671/2016/FUL
Discharge of Section 106 to Application 1/0021/2009/FUL
The Council Support this application
Proposed Cllr Seymour-Smith, Seconded Cllr Haydon
(Vote 8 For. 0 Against. 0 Abstentions).

1563. HIGHWAYS

Pothole at Borough Cross
Council have patched the drain in the repairs at Norton Lane
Drain is running clean water outside Kildare - SWW

1564. PARISH HALL

The Store Room extension is ready to use. £2000 grant received from Balsdon Trust to buy chairs. The Buzz are presenting a £1000 towards chairs too.

1565. TO RECEIVE CORRESPONDENCE

**The clerk highlighted the letter to planning appeals and the local plan update.
Correspondence 20/01/16 – 16/02/16**

Received

1. John Allen – MCTI Meeting (2)
2. Public Sector Executive – Update (12)
3. Cllr Seymour Smith – Minutes (2)
4. Julie Bending – Growing a Rural Community
5. Adam Caedmon – Weekly List
6. Heather Fuller – Electoral Review
7. Laura Forsey – Torridge Adverts
8. Communication – Healthy People
9. Thomas Carrick – NHW Update (2)
10. Broxap Street Furniture – Admail (2)
11. Komplan – Admail
12. Planning Support – Consultation Request
13. Will Austin – North Devon Records Office
14. Emma Tomlinson – weekly List (2)
15. Lorraine Inch – Digital Workshop
16. Healthwatch Devon – Newsletter
17. Laura Forsey – TDC Newsletter
18. Cllr Whittle – River Fly Project
19. Cllr Parsons – Holsworthy Rural Update
20. Susan Squire – Local Plan Briefing Note
21. Cllr Medland – Appeal Letter (2)
22. Local Plan – Consultation
23. Team P11 – Receipt of Letter
24. Cllr Parsons – Highways Issues
25. Cllr McDougall – Minutes
26. Minerals Planning – Update
27. Cllr McDougall – 101 Policing
28. Jamie Hollis – Legal Briefing

Sent

1. Short & Abbott (2) – Cheque
2. PCSO James & Cllr Parsons - Agendas
3. Cllr Medland – Various Correspondence
4. Cllr Seymour Smith – Minutes
5. Paula Hunter – Elections Query
6. Environment Agency – Posters and meeting request
7. All Cllrs – Emails as outlined above.

1566. CHAIRMAN’S REPORT

Nothing to report

1567. CLERK’S REPORT

Nothing to report

1568. EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION

Cllr Cholwill has been in contact with the Dog Warden about regular patrols after a concerned resident contacted her about a dog mess issue.

Big bags of dogs mess are being fly tipped, again mentioned to the dog warden.

Highlights of Council meetings to be printed in the Buzz.

Parking is an issue outside the old post office, mainly of an evening. Clerk to inform PCSO

1569. CLOSE

There being no further items of business the Chairman thanked all present for their attendance and declared the Meeting closed at 8.35 p.m.

Signature..... Date.....