St Stephens by Launceston Rural Parish Council

Minutes of Council meeting held on 2nd November 2021 at Langore Village Hall.

21/117 Present: Cllrs. E Haydon, J Heaton, J Caudle, C Frost, S Goodenough, C Gunning. Clerk in attendance

21/118 **Apologies**: Cllr Ranson, Cllr Paynter (Cornwall Council)

21/119 **Declarations of interest:** Cllr Caudle; aspects of Truscott Green

21/120 **Minutes:** Minutes of meeting 11th October were agreed, 9th September, Add under questions from Councillors "2 Councillors commented on the election called by 10 parishioners"

21/121 **Public representation**; Thanks were expressed by a parishioner to a recently arrived family for the help given to Langore by them.

A query was raised regarding the ongoing Part 2 meetings. Cllr Hayden advised that the meetings were necessarily held in private due to the nature of the matter regarding the Village Green, but an update would be provided to the public shortly.

21/122 Grass cutting, Junctions etc. All ok

21/123 Village Greens; Truscott, Landmark tree to be planted 11/12/21

Langore. Peppercorn transfer of equipment completed, Clerk has issued appropriate receipt.

21/124 **Finance**; Cheques for payment agreed

J Conway clerk salary. Chq 342. £321.86 HMRC. PAYE. Chq 343 £59.60 Precept. Estimates required for next meeting

Clerk to issue cash book.

Clerk advised that HSBC were bringing in monthly account charges, alternative banks are to be reviewed.

21/125 **Planning** No applications

21/126 **Climate Change**; Launceston CNP is organizing a climate change working group. Theresa NALC publication re hedge cutting which will be referred to in the next Newsletter.

21/127; **Medical Services**; The vaccination program is well under way. A defibrillator for Dutson was considered, Homeleigh are happy to host it, Cllr Frost to liaise.

21/128; Highway Improvements; A steering group is yet to meet. Standing orders were suspended to enable a public comment, standing orders resumed, agreed to allocate £100 for footpath signs

21/129 Reports

taking it on.

Cornwall Council: Leisure Centre. Lease expires January 2023, there are 5 interested in

Village Hall – continuing as normal.

Rec Ground – nothing to add.

Website should be ready for update shortly

Town Council:late night shopping commences on Friday 3rd December. Speedwatch: to rename Highway Safety

21/130 Date of next meeting 2/12/21

21/131 Resolved that under s1(2) of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 that the public and press be excluded from the meeting for the following items as they involve the likely disclosure of confidential information

21/132 proposed that advice is obtained from the Charity Commission per corres presented

21/133 Meeting closed 2200

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