

St Stephens by Launceston Rural Parish Council

Minutes of Council meeting held on 7th March 2022 at Langore Village Hall.

21/194 **Present:** Cllrs. J Ranson, J Heaton, J Caudle, C Frost, S Goodenough, C Gunning. E Hayden Clerk in attendance

21/195 **Apologies:** Cllr A Paynter

21/196 **Declarations of interest:** Cllr Caudle; aspects of Truscott Green, Cllr Ranson Langore Green.

21/197 **Minutes:** Minutes of meeting 22/2/22 were agreed

21/198 **Public representation;** None

21/199 **Highways** . The Community Network footpath submission has been made. Vision Zero S W funding Cllr Caudle has a meeting booked with Cormac. A pothole in Langore was reported and repaired within 48 hours. The new junction at St Stephens with the Egloskerry Road was universally condemned.

21/200 **Village Greens;** Truscott, trees have been planted with help from local residents. Frog spawn has been noted in the larger pond.

Langore. Responsibility for the ROSPA inspection now rests with the trustees as equipment has been transferred to them.

21/201 **Finance;** Cheques for payment agreed

Turtle Engineering ltd	Chq 352 £390.00
London Hearts.	Chq 353 £968.40
J Conway Clerk.	Chq 354 £321.86
HMRC.	Chq355 £59.60
Langore V Hall.	Chq 356 £160.00

21/202 **Planning:** PA22 /01087 Truscott Reservoir a revised application has been made, this one is in accordance with the Neighbourhood Plan and was unanimously recommended for support.

21/203 **Climate Change;** Next Community Network Panel is 17 March. Pledge for nature to be completed to include tree planting and management of village pond and green spaces. To go on website. Land opposite 2 Acres was mentioned. Cllr Ranson declared an interest and left the room. Works are ongoing and planning queried. Cllr Ranson returned.

21/204: **Medical Services;** The various computer systems do not talk to each other. Vaccines are to be offered to all children. Launceston Librarian is referring people for social prescribing where appropriate. Move it is now in the Gateway Centre.

21/205 Correspondence: none.

21/206 Reports

Town Council: St Piran's parade was a great success. Supporting Ukraine and fundraising, flag to fly on flag pole. Property Manager erecting poly tunnel so can grow own flowers. Gateway Centre to be registered as a Community Asset.

Village Hall – organising a beacon on jubilee Thursday and street party on the Sunday.

Rec Ground – A joint meeting to discuss lease variation has taken place.

Cllr Ranson declared an interest and left the room. Access across the Green was raised. Inspector Harvey is looking into legal position re driving on a footpath. Dossier returned to Mrs. Coppen. It was confirmed that the dossier was not copied or given to the police.

Cllr Ranson returned

21/207 Questions: Cllr Frost queried why he was not receiving paper copies of correspondence as agreed.

Assurances were given that he would.

Cllr Heaton asked why no reimbursement had been made following the Code of Conduct finding. The Clerk explained that Cllr Ranson had fully complied with the Monitoring Officer's recommendation and that the matter should be regarded as closed.

Cllr Ranson confirmed that he had sought guidance from the Monitoring Officer who confirmed the matter is now closed.

21/208 Date of next meeting 7/4/22

21/209 Meeting closed 2205

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