

St Stephens by Launceston Rural Parish Council

Minutes of Council meeting held on 6th November 2025 at Langore Village Hall at 1930.

25/91: **Present:** Cllrs. J Heaton, C Gunning, C Frost, S Goodenough, B Soanes D Green and J Ranson, Clerk in attendance

25/92: **Apologies :** Cllr Paynter.

25/93: **Declarations of interest:** Cllr Goodenough, trustee Recreation Ground and a planning application, Cllr Ranson aspects of Village Green. Cllr Heaton, Truscott Cemetery.

25/94: **Minutes:** Minutes of meeting 2/10/25 were agreed.

25/95: **Public Representation:** Peter Wonnacott spoke in favour of the Skye View planning application as the planning consultant.

A request was made that the Rec Ground insurance be paid.

The Clerk invited all to Remembrance activities in Launceston.

25/96: **Correspondence:** none

25/97: **Planning:** PA25/07333. Cllr Goodenough declared an interest and left the room. As the application related to a Councillor, it was agreed to make no comment on the application. Cllr Goodenough returned.

25/98: **Highways and Village Green:** Langore Green insurance: It was proposed by Cllr Ranson and seconded by Cllr Soanes “ That this council agrees to pay the Recreation Ground insurance and ROSPA report costs provided evidence is supplied confirming the safeguarding policy and that regular safety inspections are completed” unimously supported. Thanks were expressed to Mr Blake and Cllr Goodenough for their continued work to keep the parish salted through the winter.

Cllr Heaton left the room declaring an interest.

It was agreed to make a donation of £250 for cemetery maintenance.

Cllr Heaton returned.

It was agreed to provide a plaque for the Landmark Tree in Truscott.

A statement of facts will be submitted for consideration at the next meeting.

The council agreed to support a proposal to extend the 20mph limit as far as North Street on the B3254 and also put a stop sign at the top of St Stephens Hill to give priority to traffic on B3254.

25/99: **Finance.**

a) Cheques for payment approved:

Chq 085. J Conway (defibrillator pads Langore) £77.65

Chq 086 Langore Village Hall rent £132.00

Chq 087 J Conway (October) £324.43

Chq 088. HMRC £66.85.

Chq 089. T Sanders £200

Chq 090. S Sanders £200

Chq 091 LAMC graveyard fund £250

It was agreed that the Clerk would purchase the new defibrillator pads and claim reimbursement for Truscott

b) The Clerk reminded councillors that the precept for next year would be considered at the next meeting.

25/100: **Reports:** Covid and flu jabs can be booked at the Medical Centre on the next 4 Saturdays. A ticketing system is being considered for use in the medical centre pharmacy. Hospital League of Friends Festive Market will take place on 15th November in the Town Hall. There will also be a drop on consultation at the Gateway Centre to consider Cornwall Plan on 18th November.

25/101: Date of next meeting 11/12/25

25/102: Meeting closed at 2129