St Stephens by Launceston Rural Parish Council

Minutes of Council meeting held on 14th May 2015 in Langore Village Hall at 1930

15/14 Present: Cllrs. Geoff Cowling, Gill Cowling, S Lindley, V Lindley, M Rimmer, Clerk in attendance

15/15 **Apologies:** Cllrs Caudle and Paynter (Cornwall Council)

15/16 Election of Chairman: Cllr Geoff Cowling proposed Cllr V Lindley, this was seconded by Cllr Rimmer and unanimously agreed. Cllr Lindley thanked Cllr Geoff Cowling on behalf of the Council for the hard work done by him during his tenure as chairman.

15/17 Election of Vice Chair; Cllr Geoff Cowling was unanimously elected

15/18 **Declarations of interest:** None.

15/19 **Minutes:** Minutes of the meeting held on 9th April 2015 were agreed.

15/20 **Co-option of a Councillor**; Mrs Joan Heaton was unanimously co-opted to the Council.

15/21 **Grass Cutting and Flower Beds**; Plants had been purchased and it was hoped to commence planting next week.

15/21 Finance:

A)Cheques for payment approved; Martin Ashley£398.40 chq 070 SSE Contracting £41.62 chq 071 SLCC £65 chq 072 Playsafety Ltd £78 chq 073 AON £541.47 chq 074 AON £176.80 chq 075

- B) Cashbook to 31/3/15 was approved and a copy signed by the Chairman
- C) Receipts and Payments year ending 31/3/15 was approved subject to Parish Plan Reserve being amended to £2000
- D) Annual Accounting and Governance statements were fully considered and approved. 15/22 **Planning:**
- **A) Applications;** PA15/03142, PA15/03161 and PA15/02463 were all considered as duplicates of earlier considerations and recommended for approval
 - B) Cornwall Council Decisions received: none

15/23 Correspondence; none.

15/24 Representation on outside bodies:

The following appointments were made

Recreation Ground rep; Cllr Geoff Cowling Village Hall Rep; Cllr Rimmer

Pond Warden; Cllr Caudle

15/25 **Reports**; Chairman; None

County Council: none

Neighbourhood Plan: A presentation will be made at Parish Day to gauge support

or otherwise

Medical Centre; Funding is one step closer with an approval in principle, details

are awaited

Village Hall; Further estimates are being obtained regarding rewiring

Recreation Ground none.

Parish Pond. As per email

Dog fouling; none

15/26 Questions from Councillors; none

15/27 Public comments; A noise nuisance was mentioned, the source will be monitored

1/28 **Date of next meeting:** Thursday 11th June in Langore Village Hall immediately following the Annual Parish Meeting.

Meeting closed at 2037