St Stephens by Launceston Rural Parish Council

Minutes of Council meeting held on 5th November 2020 at 1930 via Zoom.

20/47 Present: Cllrs J Heaton, J Caudle, G Curzon, and C Frost. A Paynter (Cornwall) Clerk in attendance

20/48 **Apologies**: none

20/49 **Declarations of interest:** Cllr Caudle; aspects of Truscott Village Green.

20/50 **Minutes:** Minutes of the meetings held on 1st and 29th October 2020 were agreed.

20/51 Cooption of a Councillor: Carry forward.

20/52 **Report A Paynter**; Cllr Paynter confirmed that the Boundary review will result in no change for our parish. Lockdown was causing problems, Cornwall are liasing with Central Government. Possibly more lockdown after Christmas. Hospital space in Cornwall is restricted.

20/53 **Medical Services**; Lockdown has necessitated rewriting of the Bulletin. The GPs are available, just phone in

20/54 Village Greens; The pond needs conservation work doing. The grass cutting map is good.

20/55 Grass cutting, junctions etc; The map for grass cutting next year is being pursued

20/56 Finance:

A) Cheques for payment approved;

Chq 310 J Conway £321.86

Chq 311 HMRC £59.60

Chq 312 Martin Ashley £597.60

B) Precept needs to be considered at the next meeting, Cllrs to advise Clerk of any new projects.

20/57 **Planning Applications;** Hillside; discussions with planners and applicants agents have reached an amicable compromise. Agreed we would agree to disagree if the hedge not reinstated. The Old Sawpits application has been withdrawn. Site has been added to the Historic Environment Register.

20/58 **Reports;** Serviceability of saltbins is to be checked Speedwatch has been subject to lockdown restrictions, Police will enforce speedlimits.

20/59 Correspondence; None

20/60 Public comments; none

20/61 **Date of next meeting:** 3rd December via Zoom,

20/62 To resolve 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.

20/63 A minor amendment to the letter was agreed, solitors to issue.

meeting closed at 20.26

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