



BROMSBERROW PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE FULL COUNCIL HELD AT BROMSBERROW VILLAGE HALL ON TUESDAY, 30th NOVEMBER 2021 AT 7.30 PM

PRESENT: Cllr Brian Lewis (Chairman), Cllr John Stephens, Cllr Philip Burford, Cllr David Hunter, Cllr Graham Warren

Also Present: Miss Charlotte Roberts (Clerk), Cllr Gill Moseley, 1 Parishioner

AGENDA

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies accepted from Cllr Carol Adams.

2. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

No Declarations of Interest

3. REPORT OF DISTRICT COUNCILLOR

None provided.

4. REPORT OF COUNTY COUNCILLOR

Cllr Gill Moseley provided a report covering the progress with the 20mph speed limit initiative, Road Safety Workshop on the 15th December, Children's and Young Person's budget, Call for land to plant trees and maintenance program for planted trees, Covid recovery – Build Back Better fund.

5. TO CONFIRM MINUTES OF MEETING HELD 28th SEPTEMBER 2021

All Councillors in agreement that minutes are a true record. Minutes signed by Chairman.

6. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

No public participation.

7. PLANNING APPLICATIONS

No planning applications received. Councillors requested that outcomes of planning applications are noted to Council.

8. FINANCIAL MATTERS AND ASSETS

8.1 Invoices for payment

Clerk – Salary - £384.98 – agreed – cheque signed

PATA – Payroll - £30.95 – agreed – cheque signed

8.2 Retrospective agreement of payments

J Warner – Grass Cutting - £225.00 – retrospective agreement granted

C Roberts – SmithSound speaker hire - £60.00 - retrospective agreement granted

British Legion – Poppy Wreaths - £50 - retrospective agreement granted

8.3 Reserves Policy

Policy reviewed. No comments. Approved by all. Reserves Policy adopted with immediate effect.

8.4 Budget & Precept

Budget discussed. Noted that very high figures especially compared to neighbouring parishes.

Councillors requested Clerk review the budget to see if any reductions can be made. Council will review budget and agree precept in January.

Council requested Clerk investigate the procedure for disbanding the Parish Council, the Council will discuss the possibility of disbanding the Council at the January meeting.

8.5 Bank Account

Previously agreed to transfer Bank Account to Lloyds Bank, however, Lloyds are still not accepting transfer customers. Clerk noted that the Council could investigate transferring to NatWest Bank instead as they are accepting transfer customers. Clerk will work with Cllr Warren to investigate transferring Bank account to NatWest.

9. TO RECEIVE ANY REPORTS ON HIGHWAYS MATTERS AND AGREE ANY ACTION

Cllr Mosely noted that Highways Local Bids are being costed and will update when completed. Parish Council could approach Quarry for assistance with ensuring a safe walkway for pedestrians, as currently an overgrown hedge is encroaching on the grass verge.

10. TO RECEIVE CORRESPONDANCE

No correspondence received.

11 VAS FIGURES

VAS figures are kept up to date on the Website. Community Speedwatch group are in communication with the Police about traffic speeds. Cllr Warren will obtain an update to bring to Council.

12 QUARRIES

12.1 Complaint to Planning Authority

Proposed draft letter discussed. Content of letter agreed although noted that there is a lack of evidence to provide alongside the figures included. Councillors agreed to speak to contact at the Quarry to see if issues can be resolved informally. If no progress is made the Council will send a formal letter to the Quarry with a copy to the planning authority.

13 MATTERS FOR FUTURE DISCUSSION

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday 25th January 2022 at 7.30pm in Bromsberrow Village Hall.

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