MINUTES OF CAMROSE COMMUNITY COUNCIL HELD ON Thursday 20th April 2023 @ 7.30 PM –

 At Camrose Community Centre

PRESENT: Chairman Cllr. J. Belton

 Vice Chairman, Clr. J. Adams

Councillors: N. Watts, T. Bevan, T. Llewellin, R. Mathias, A. Roach, J. Codd, N. Belton, K. Evans.

 In attendance: Clerk – Trisha Richards

Members of the Public –

 **0.01 Declarations** of Prejudicial/Personal interest:

**0.02 APOLOGIES:** Councillors T. Rees, A. Rees,

 **0.03 CHAIRMANS REMARKS:** Chairman Cllr. J. Belton welcomed everyone to the meeting .

**0.04 MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS:**

Minutes circulated to all Councillors via e.mail of previous meeting were read as true and accurate record of the meeting Unanimously agreed. The Minutes were signed by the Chairman.

 **0.05 MATTERS ARISING:**

1. Defibrillators. The possibility of obtaining three (possibly four) was discussed and information on the stolen defibrillator and those for Simpson Cross and Portfield Gate have been passed on to Mr. Phil Hill, Community CPR and Defibrillator Manager. On going

**0.06 CORRESPONDENCE –** As circulated to all Camrose Community Councillors.

30. Keeston wish to place a Time Capsule for the Coronation on Keeston Green. It was agreed that Camrose Community Council would support this. A letter will be sent to this affect but also to point out that insurance for any valuables placed in the capsule would need to be obtained by Keeston.

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**0.07 FINANCIAL MATTERS –**

(a) Community Account £597.88 Business £1,496.80, 2nd Business Account 4,019.06

(b) £3.012 Precept will be received within next three days

(c) Zurich Insurance Invoice received.

(d) Accounts for the year end 2022/23 have been scrutinised by Councillors and it was agreed to submit to the Internal Auditor.

(e) Barclays Bank still have not sent Councillor Bevan his PIN number to allow him to access the Community Councils Accounts and sanction online BACS payments. It was agreed to contact Barclays and point out that it is putting the Council in a difficult position not being able to have 3 – 4 signatures and two Councillors who can view the Councils Accounts and agree payments.

**0.08 PLANNING MATTERS:**

**0.09 HIGHWAYS-** Highways – Pot hole Lady’s Cross towards Treffgarn outside Cox Heath.

Hedges growing out into the road causing visibility problems at Tegfan, Camrose, Keeston House, Bridge Lane, Four Wynds, Cuffern Road, Simpson Cross. Collapsed culvert at Furzy Mount Lane. On going

**0.10 COUNTY COUNCILLORS REPORT : -** Awaiting updates on play areas.

 **0.11 COMMUNITY COUNCILLORS REPORT –**

1. Clr. N. Watts – AGM Lambston Residents Association – they would like to place seats on Sutton Mountain. Mr. Charles Mathieson has talked to National Parks Authority regarding a scheme to allow electric fence to contain ponies to graze specific areas of overgrown sites – The Association should ensure that they have full liability Insurance.
2. Portfield Gate continues to have speeding through the Village. Police are regularly monitoring this situation. The Residents wish to enquire further about the possibility of a footpath through the village.
3. Clr. R. Mathias – ponies are getting off the mountain and soiling down the track. There are about 30 ponies on the Mountain . The sign has also been damaged, possibly by horses rubbing. Clr. Mathias will investigate further.

 **MEETING CLOSED BY CHAIRMAN @ 8.30 pm – NO FURTHER BUSINESS**

**Chairman ……………………………………… Date ………………………….,**

**The next meeting will be on Thursday 15th June, 2023 @ 8.00pm. Members of the public are welcome to attend please contact Clerk for attendance details** **trisha.Camrosecc@yahoo.co.uk** **or telephone 07826557609.**