

HERBRANDSTON COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Minutes from meeting on Monday 18th October 2021 in the Hall

Present : Cllrs R.Owens, T.Roberts, D.Philpin, N.Coles, S.Davey

Clerk D.Davies

Apology : Cllr M.Galdo

62/21 Declaration of Interest. None declared.

63/21 Questions from the public : Resident has asked if something can be done to stop the flooding at a gateway on the top road . Clerk asked to contact Emrys Llewellyn PCC to get the drain cleared she will also chase her request to him from last month to get the nettles cut back in church lane. Cllr T.Roberts has received email from a resident to Little Castle grove about an incident with a speeding car on a Saturday afternoon. A reply will be sent acknowledging the problem and explaining that this issue is already on our agenda and explain that we are pursuing a variety of ideas to help improving the dangerous situation.

64/21 Minutes from last meeting . Minutes from last meeting was reviewed by the council, passed as a true record, proposed by Cllr N.Coles and seconded by Cllr T.Roberts.

65/21 Matters Arising :

1. Triplestone Close : No update.
2. Speed Checks : Clerk has shared the email from PCC with results of the speed survey that took place on the top road. Clerk will contact Clare Williams to ask what the next steps PCC will be taking . We are still awaiting PCC to position the pole on the top road to enable us to get Westcotec to place the solar speed sign in place. Clerk has not received a reply from her email to Darren Thomas requesting PCC to consider reducing the speed limit through the village to 20, she will chase up. Clerk has also contacted Police Liaison officer to ask about Public speed monitoring , she is waiting his reply.
3. Junction to Havens Park : No update
4. Sea Creek Road : Site meeting took place with Matt Cloud PCC of PCC and Cllr R.Owens , clerk D.Davies at the turning bay at the creek. Following this Matt Cloud's investigations have found that PCC have ownership of the small road from turning bay to the shoreline , therefore Right of Way for the public is protected .
5. Defibrillators : No update
6. Beach Footpath : No update from National Parks to confirm work has completed however Cllr N.Coles has recently been along this stretch of path and told council it looks finished. Clerk will get update before next meeting.
7. Beach Road : Cllrs agreed that Tommy Gray would be approached to place the bollard in position. Cllr T.Roberts to get the pay as you go phone. Clerk to get the

sign made with Andrew Forrest. Cllr M.Galdo to get the keys cut. Still no update from PCC when the yellow lines will be completed.

8. Play Park ; Cllrs N.Coles and T.Roberts have agreed to take a look at the equipment being offered with Cllr M.Galdo. If agreed that we take it Cllr D.Philpin has said that the equipment can be kept at his property until such time as it can be installed. Clerk read the reply from Neil McCarthy PCC about cost of new flooring . This would be between £11k and £20k depending of the surface used. For insurance purpose the cost of the whole playpark would be £50k.
9. Village Green Status : Clerk has sent 3 emails to the contact at Land Registry but still no reply . She has asked Mr Dunckley at PCC if he has a telephone number she can use to chase up a reply. Awaiting his reply.
10. Car Park at Sandyhaven Beach : Clerk told the council that Cllr M.Galdo had received a new quote for the shippings at aprox £600. Work still needs to be completed. Cllr R.Owens suggested approaching Tommy Gray to do this work. Clerk had shared the email from Ryan Banner about his request to have a food stall at the car park. Cllrs unanimously objected to a permanent structure being placed at the car park. Clerk asked to reply informing him of this outcome and reminding him that there would be no electricity or water connection. They would welcome any amended ideas from him of the project.
11. Broad Band upgrade : Cllr R.Owens has contacted Sean Hannon for an update. It appears that there has been a hold up at the Dale project which needs to complete before they start Herbrandston. There has been some delays with the funding being signed off but they are still positive that Broad Way company will complete our project in the village. He could not give any definite dates.
12. Beach Road : No update as to when to passing bays will start.

66/21 Correspondance : Updates from OVW , News letters from Paul Davies. Wales audit team update on conclusion delays. Copies of letters from residents to National Parks about planning objections and noise disturbance at the creek Notification of Queens jubilee beacons. The Cllrs agreed to discuss this idea further at future meeting.

67/21 Finance : Balance of account £ 12, 212.23 cr , 1 cheques issued £120.00 for grass cutting. Savings account £1616.28 cr increase of 4p interest. Clerk read the Insurance renewal premium as £ 705.02 , increase from last year. Clerk is still awaiting a comparative quote from Brian Hawkins , she will inform Cllrs once received. Wales Audit team have asked that a note be placed on notice board informing the public of the delay with issuing the completion certificate due to COVID . Cllrs approved clerk to issue cheque for £300 to the Sports Association for a share of their insurance to the Community hub, proposed by cllr S.Davey and seconded by Cllr D.Philpin. Clerk also asked to order fireworks for this years display. Letters to be distributed around the households to inform of the display and asking for any donations from families to help cover the cost. Clerk will pay St Johns Ambulance a £50 donation of the night. The letter will also state that we will be

running the Christmas Light competition once again this year. Prize £100 paid to the winners chosen charity.

68/21 County Councillors Report. Cllr R.Owens told the Cllrs that there had been no official updates on what is happening at the Puma site in regards to the waste recycling . Clerk asked to email the Chief Executive of PCC for a response and ask for assurance that our residents would not be subject to any nuisance if this project goes ahead .

69/21 Planning Matters: Clerk has emailed National Parks with the Objection to the removal of the TPO at the creek. Several residents have also raised their own objection.

70/21 Matters not Requiring Resolution : None.

Next Meeting Monday 22nd November 2021