

**Penally Council Meeting  
Wednesday 10 December 2014  
7.15pm,  
Penally Village Hall**

**Present:** Cllrs Cavill; Barker; V Paul; Penn and Richards.

**095/14 Apologies**

Apologies received from Cllr S Paul; Jenks; Roberts and County Cllr Preston.

**096/14 Declarations of Interest**

None Received

**097/14 Signing of Minutes of Last Meeting**

The minutes of the last meeting held on Wednesday 26 November 2014 were agreed as a true and accurate record and signed by the Vice Chairperson, C. Cavill. **Proposed Cllr Cavill. Seconded Cllr Barker.**

**098/14 Matters Arising:**

- *Removal of Trees on MOD Land*

Councillor Cavill informed Councillors that she has contacted the gentleman who rents the land that the MOD trees stand on and he is pleased that they are going to be removed.

SMART Gardens have confirmed that they will remove the rubbish near to the sub-station at their earliest convenience.

- *Dog Controls*

The Clerk will request information from the relevant department and advise on same.

- *Strawberry Lane*

As Ian Wesley is currently acting Chief Executive for Pembrokeshire County Council, all correspondence received with regards to Strawberry Lane will now be forwarded to Darren Thomas and a site visit requested. The Clerk will also remind County Councillor Preston of the above matter and ask that he contact the local Police and request a site visit.

**099/14 Planning:**

- Nothing received as at 10 December 2014

**100/14 Correspondence Received**

- *Skomer*

The Council has been advised that on 12 December 2014 the waters around Skomer known as Skomer Marine Nature Reserve will become Skomer Marine Conservation Zone. Skomer will become the first Marine Conservation Zone (MCZ) in Wales. The waters around the island are currently protected through byelaws which will remain in force. Over the next 12/18 months the Welsh Government intends to establish features and conservation objectives for Skomer. Stakeholders will be given the opportunity to comment on these and a timetable for this process including engagement and full public consultation is being developed.

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- Penally Speed Checks

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The local police have recently carried out checks over several random days and times within both the village of Penally and on the bypass. Although no speeding vehicles were recorded on the bypass, there was some speeding in the village itself. These checks were carried out at Middlewalls Lane junction where the traffic is at its fastest coming down the hill. Following a short discussion it was decided that information regarding same be printed in the next edition of the CROW News and that residents contact the Community Council with any information they may have regarding speeding vehicles.

**101/14           Accounts & Finance**

a           Balance of Accounts

As circulated on 26 November

b           Accounts for Payment

The following invoices were received for payment:

Hire of Village Hall       £61

Clerk November         £163.20

c           Appeals for Funds

None Received.

**102/14           County Councillor's Report**

As County Councillor Preston was absent from the meeting, no report was received.

**103/14           Items of Business Submitted by Members**

None Received

**104/14           Reports from Councillors**

Cllr Barker asked when the Village Hall Christmas Lights should be switched on. Following a short discussion it was decided to do this on Thursday 11 December.

Cllr Barker advised Councillors that the village hall committee is going to resurface the grass area adjacent to the village hall so it can be used as a car parking space. However, when the drains were cleared last week outside the village hall, high pressure water had been flushed down the pipe which resulted in a considerable amount of debris being washed up onto this area. The car park was subsequently dug up and it was discovered that the pipe from the road drain had been left with an open end under the car park area. Cllr Barker contacted Pembrokeshire County Council with regards to this matter but has received no further information. Cllr Cavill mentioned that he contact Robert Evans and Huw Marriott. County Councillor Preston will also be advised for information.

Cllr V Paul would like to walk through the village with the village warden so that they can discuss duties to be carried out in the next month.

**105/14           Items for Crow News**

Councillor Vacancy

Speeding and asking people to be vigilant and to take a note of offenders car reg, type, colour, etc.

**106/14           Date of Next Meeting**

**Wednesday 14 January 2015**

Meeting closed 20.15pm

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