MINUTES OF CAMROSE COMMUNITY COUNCIL HELD ON THURSDAY 17th March, 2022 @ 7.30 PM –

 At Camrose Community Centre

PRESENT: Chairman Clr. J. Belton

 Vice Chairman – vacant

Councillors: N. Watts, T. Bevan, A. Rees, K. Evans, R. Mathias, J.Codd, N.Belton, S.Huntley, Clr. J. Adams

 In attendance: Clerk – Trisha Richards

Members of the Public –

 **0.93 Declarations** of Prejudicial/Personal interest: Clr. J Belton, Planning Brim Hill

**0.94 APOLOGIES:** Councillors A. Rees T. Rees

**0.95 CHAIRMANS REMARKS:** Chairman Councillor Cllr.S. Huntley opened the meeting at 7.30 pm and welcomed everyone. Clr. Huntley addressed the meeting to say that unfortunately, he would be standing down as Chairman from this moment. He thanks all on the Community Council and said it was his privilege and delight to be able to service on Camrose Community Council. Vice Chairman Clr. J. Belton took the Chair. He signed the Declaration of Acceptance of Office and took over the Chair. Clr. Belton thanked Clr. Simon Huntley for all his service over the past 20 years and that he was sorry he would be leaving the Camrose Community Council,

**0.96 MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING:**

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

**0.97 MATTERS ARISING:**

0.39 Reduction of speed at Pelcomb Cross. Work possibly due to start April/May 2022

0.20 Item 2 – Plumstone Mountain – There is on going work by Dwr Cymru on Plumstone Mountain at the moment. Boulders have been placed by Clr. Belton, (which have been donated by Mr. Alan Mason of Mason Bros), to try to stop the unauthorised access of motorised vehicles on Plumstone which is a SSSI site. A letter of thanks will be sent to Mr. Mason for his kind donation of these stones to protect Plumstone. Access to the field for the farmer was discussed and it was agreed to write to him and request a meeting. The possibility of reinstating the perimeter fence was also discussed. Clerk will write to Farmer to confirm access to his field from the gateway which will be locked following the departure of Cwr Cymru.

**0.98.**

(a) Sutton Mountain. – 20 apple trees have been planted on Sutton Mountain. People from Pembrokeshire College came to help. There is the possibility that a bench will be placed on top of the Mountain,

(b) Lambston Residents Association do not wish to take ownership of the bus shelter which was offered by Camrose Community Couincil. The possibility of having mail dropped off in the bus shelter was discussed but because this was a public place it was decided that this was not a safe place.

0.99 PLANNING MATTERS-

21/0945/PA – Brim Hill, Camrose, SA62 6HN – Replacement dwelling and drive. Clr. J.Belton declared an interest and left the room. – Councillors voted to support this application.

21/0715/PA – 209, Haven Road, SA61 1DQ – variation of condition 2 (approved plans) & removal of condition 3 (holiday occupancy) of planning permission 17/0066/PA.-supported

21/0998/PA – West Hill Fold, Sutton SA62 3LP – development of outbuildings as ancillary accommodation to existing dwelling.-supported

21/1017/PA – Plot adjacent to 33/34 Castle View, Simpson Cross. SA62 6EN – outline application for the erection of a one or 1.5 storey dwelling access considere3d with all other matters - supported

**0.100** COUNTY COUNCILLORS REPORT – 5% Council tax increase has been approved.

**0.101 FINANCIAL MATTERS –**

(a) Community Account £216.13, Business £3,729.27 (.9p interest), Client Premium 4,010.17

(b) Clerks wages due at the end of the month.

(c) £1,500 will be transferred to cover cheques for OVW Invoice and Audit Wales Invoice

(b) OVW invoice £309.00. Welsh Audit Invoice £380.0.

 **0.102 CORRESPONDENCE –** as circulated to all Councillors and posted on Notice Boards and website.

**0.103 HIGHWAYS-** pot holes at Corner House by Brockbanks

**0.104, COMMUNITY COUNCILLORS REPORTS –**

**Clr. N. Watts -** It has become increasingly dangerous whilst trying to walk through Portfield Gate as there is no footpath. Write to Highways to request a footpath be made to made to facilitate safe walking through the village.

**Clr. R. Mathias -**  Change in the Countryside Code – dogs must be kept in sight at all times. This replaces dogs must be kept on a lead at all times.

 **MEETING CLOSED BY CHAIRMAN @ 8.45 pm – NO FURTHER BUSINESS**

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

**The next meeting will be on Thursday 21st April, 2022 Members of the public please contact Clerk for attendance details** **trisha.Camrosecc@yahoo.co.uk** **or telephone 01437 710921.**