

## **HERBRANDSTON COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

**Meeting Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2023 in Village Hall @ 7pm**

**Present ;** Cllrs M.Galdo, R.Owens, T.Roberts, N.Coles , A.Forrest, D.Philpin.

Clerk; D.Davies

**Apologies :** None

**Members of the Public ;** R & C Varns.

**24/23 Declaration of Interest ;** None declared .

Cllr M.Galdo welcomed Cllr R.Owens back after his recent illness, and also passed condolences to the family of Mr Richard Clerk , a resident in the village who has just passed away.

**25/23 Questions from the Public.** Mr R.Varns asked if there was any update on when work was due to commence on repairing pot holes in the Sandy Haven beach car park. Cllr M.Galdo replied saying that work was due to get completed by end of the month. No further questions asked from the public.

**26/23 Minutes from last meeting.** Minutes from last meeting 27<sup>th</sup> March 2023 were reviewed by councillors. Past as a true record by Cllr T.Roberts and seconded by Cllr A.Forrest.

**27/23 Matters Arising :** Triplestone ; Cllr R.Owens will discuss with National Parks when the revised plans are due to be reviewed or for any update.

Beach Road passing Bay : Clerk read the emails from Phil Leggett Pembrokeshire County Council. He had explained that the project has not yet been approved as there are Ecology surveys and possible planning required to be undertaken. He is aware of the tight timescale to get this completed. He will be passing the project onto Shaify Alam , an engineer with Pembrokeshire County Council shortly. Councillors asked clerk to contact him for any updates. Clerk also asked to email the Chief Executor to Pembrokeshire County Council to raise the councillors concerns with this project. Clerk also asked to find out if section 106 funds could be used for a different project in the village.

Play park : No update. Cllr M.Galdo told councillors that he has gone back to Mariam at South Hook to ask if they have made any decision to support this project. She has agreed to come back to Cllr Galdo.

Village Green : Councillors had met on site with Jim Dunkley , Pembrokeshire County Council. He had explained the advantage to gain Village Green status for both the Green and the land outside the cottages. The land surrounding the play park is already registered. He agreed to send clerk the necessary forms to complete.

Turning Bay sign. Check if this has been moved to correct location

Broad Band : No update.

Village Bench's : No update.

Traffic on top road. Clerk gave the councillors the email from Clair Williams showing the data collected from the solar speed sign. This has been passed to police to review, they evidence a regular percentage of speeding along this stretch. Clerk asked to go back to Clair to follow up on her previous ideas of considering slow down bumps on road or idea to move the 30 sign further down the road. Suggestions also made from the council to remove the grass on bend to give further room for traffic travelling around this sharp bend.

28/23 Correspondance. OVW updates. Paul Davies updates. Audit information from Deryck Evans.

**29/23 Financial Matters.** Balance of main account £7982.53cr, Cheques issued £153.59 Defib pads/ £75 OVW membership. Balance savings account £1619.89. Clerk told councillors she had completed the audit forms, councillors agreed for clerk to take to Mrs Noreen Hadfield for internal audit, passed by cllr M.Galdo and seconded by Cllr R.Owens. Clerk also told council she has received bill for the bins at Sandy Haven beach car park of £252, for last 2 years. Clerk asked to contact Pembrokeshire county council to ask if they could place a bin here .

**30/23 County Councillors Report.** Cllr R.Owens had nothing to report as he has not attended any meeting's due his recent illness. He has sent an email to Pembrokeshire National Parks , asking for clarity on the works that Mr R.Jenkins told the council at the last meeting he was going to under take.

**31/23 Planning Matters ;** 1 application received for Fold Cottage, no concerns raised from the councillors.

**32/23 Matters not Requiring Resolution.** Nothing.

Next meeting planned for Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2023