# MINUTES UZMASTON, BOULSTON AND SLEBECH COMMUNITY COUNCIL held in The Rhos Hall

On Thursday 10th Nov, 2016

#### Present:

Councillors Mr J Percy, Mrs S Evans,, Mrs S Green, Miss B Thomas, Mr Hywel Thomas, **Also in attendance:** Clerk, 1 member of the public (S Nutting)

#### 1. Chairperson's Opening Remarks:

The Chairman welcomed all to the meeting including a member of the public

- 2) Apologies for Absence Mrs Campbell, Mr R Hancock, Mrs M Williams
- 3) Declarations of Members Interests none
- **The Minutes** of the meeting of 13th Oct 2016 were checked for accuracy and were agreed.

#### 5) Matters Arising

#### Highways, Ditches and Roads

The Clerk was urged to follow up with Cllr Lewis and the county cc to Mr Percy. Damage to road from farm vehicles was noted by Mr Nutting from Uzmaston to Norchard area where many residents are dependent on carers.

## **Planning Enforcement**

Clerk has telephoned and emailed PCNPA for an update. The DM team responded that the member of staff responsible is making enquiries will be in touch shortly. Clerk to pursue.

#### **Broadband Letter**

Mr Thomas had received a reply from Mr Wyyr Roberts (BT Broadband Wales & Marches) and the case will be put to Welsh Government for UBS be put forward for investment. Miss Thomas had been informed that the area was in scope. Mr Thomas had written to Paul Davies asking that our case is made (cc Simon Hart).

Mr Nutting (member of the public) asked how applicable this is for householders? Mr Thomas reported that the new box would improve speed at Orchard and other more remote communities. Miss Thomas has offered for cable to be laid across her fields. Cost to extend to Norchard junction is estimated at £500.000.

#### Noticeboard

The Clerk has investigated prices and styles of noticeboard from commercial specialist suppliers. The prices and designs vary considerably and the Clerk recommended Members agree budget and design prior to submitting a formal request for siting from PCC. Members asked the Clerk to seek prices from local joiners.

#### Parking on Pavements at Addison Rd

The Clerk had prepared a letter from the Community Council to be delivered to households at Addison Rd asking them to take care to park safely.

#### Poor state of pavement in New Road

The pavement repair is inadequate on the main pedestrian route into town and needs attention but Members were anxious to preserve trees.

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#### 6) Planning

**16/0748/PA** 35 Dunsany Park, Haverfordwest. Single storey extension & rear dormer - site notice end date 30th Nov no objections

NP/16/0428 Birds of Prey Centre - Approved

#### 7) Reports & Items for Decision or Comment

**701** Consultations & Notices currently open were received.

- Planning Network Members noted that there are 2 planning authorities. The consultation was completed for the Clerk to submit.
- National Infrastructure Commission Consultation noted
- Bus passenger consultation A response was completed for the Clerk to submit.
- PLANED Lets Talk Transport consultation events noted

#### 8) Other Reports & Correspondence to Note

801 Community Connectors Project - The council had received a request to attend the Community Council to share information - Members noted that this project is mainly aimed at community associations and that an a meeting might be most helpfully occur when the chairs of both The Rhos and Uzmaston community associations could attend. Clerk to arrange for future meeting.

- 802 PAVS funding portal orientation sessions noted
- 803 Down Memory Lane Posters noted
- 804 Ice rink in H'west Poster noted

## 9) Accounts & Audit

**901 Budget Monitoring** - Members noted that no payments or receipts had been transacted since the previous meeting

The Clerk confirmed that bank statement had been received for Sept/October and Members and members noted this and the budget book.

# **10)** Accounts for payment Oct 2016

none

#### 11) Any other business

#### **Picton Castle Walled Garden**

Approximately 30 members of the public attended a public meeting regarding refurbishment planned to walls and gates, the bothy etc - with an educational centre proposed.

#### **Environmental Water Safety**

Water discharge from local car-washing facilities - Members want to understand impact and monitoring regime and asked for a report from the County Council. Mr Thomas concerned that wildlife / fish activity on the river is diminishing. Clerk to write to Council requesting a report on impacts to Cartlett Brook and Cleddau.

#### Dog Worrying - The Frolic

Mrs Green has been in touch with footpath officer Sean Tilling on dog worrying at the Frolic chasing sheep into the river. Alerting the public is required.

#### **Clerk Vacancy to be advertised locally**

# Meeting Closed at 8.33 pm

Date of Next Meeting - 8th Dec @ Uzmaston Hall

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