

HERBRANDSTON COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Minutes of Meeting 29th September 2020 @ 7pm via Zoom

Present : Councillors, M.Galdo, R.Owens, S.Davey

Clerk, D.Davies

Apology : Councillors, T.Roberts, N.Coles, D.Philpin.

28/20 Declaration of Interest; None declared.

29/20 Questions from the public; Resident had voiced concern that the cradle swing in the park has been removed. Councillor D.Galdo agreed to speak with Neil McCarthy at PCC to ask if new cradle swing could be placed in the play park. Following up from last meeting the clerk has informed residents that the park is the responsibility of PCC and not the Community Council, therefore any improvements would need to be at PCC agreement.

Issue with car parking close to St Margarets Way entrance was discussed with owner .He told us that the police had already made a visit to the property and confirmed the car was being parked at a legal distance from the junction . We therefore apologised for raising the issue again.

Concerns raised about cars parking in the turning bays down at Sandy Haven Beach road. Clerk asked to contact PCC to ask if possible to place yellow lines from the car park all the way down the road to the slipway.

30/20 Minutes of the Previous Meeting ; Minutes from the previous meeting of 22nd July 2020 were passed as a true record, proposed by Cllr.M.Galdo and seconded by Cllr S.Davey.

31/20 Matters Arising; 1. Triplestone Close ; Cllr R.Owens informed the committee that he had established that the road to the estate has not been adopted by PCC, they had told him that they had some issues that the developer would need to correct before this will happen. No plans have been received by National Parks from the developer to amend his original plans under section 73. Clerk asked to email Sally Tyler at National Parks to ensure that when the amended plans are presented that we will have the opportunity to review them before they get approved .

2. Speed Checks; Meeting was held with PCC representative Clare Williams and Cllr.R.Owens, Clerk D.Davies and a resident from the village. Meeting took place opposite the entrance to Middle Kilns road, where concerns were raised about vehicles not adhering to the 30 speed limit. Clerk read out the email reply from Clare Williams where she confirmed that monitoring would take place on this stretch of road so that PCC could collect data. If the results confirmed there is a problem with speeding she will then be in a position to discuss some options that will hopefully encourage drivers to reduced their speed. Clerk D.Davies will obtain a quote for solar speed signs being placed on lamp posts, as another possibility.

3. Junction to Havens Park ; No further update from Robert Evans about when the agreed work will commence. Clerk to chase up again.

4. Sea Creek Road; Clerk updated committee on the reply from One Voice Wales, where the solicitor informed that this was not a viable proposition. Cllr R.Owens informed the committee that he had sought advice from Steve Benger PCC who agreed to discuss with colleagues the possibility of PCC taking ownership themselves. Clerk asked to email Darren Thomas and Steve Benger to request a site visit , where councillors can discuss the possibility further. Cllr M.Galdo informed the committee of the new owner to the land surrounding the piece of road in question .Cllr.R.Owens has contacted Richard Brown PCC about concerns we have that items have been dumped on this land

5.Defibrillator ; Cllr R.Owens has completed the PAVS grant application requesting funds to purchase further defibrillators for the village.

6.Beach footpath ; Clerk read the reply from National Parks confirming that they are already monitoring this stretch of the coastal path for improvements. They will update further if work needed to protect public safety.

7.Village Benches; Cllr R.Owens has not spoken to M.Woolsey about the benches, Carried forward to next meeting

8.Tree in Playpark : Clerk has emailed Emrys Llewellyn twice but had no reply. Cllr R.Owens agreed to soeak with Mr Llewellyn himself in relation to the tree growing in the corner of park that could cause danger to the public.

9. Beach Road :Clerk read the email from Rob Evans /PCC where he agreed that more passing bays were needed on the road to the beach and asked that we as a committee contact the relevant farmers to ask for their agreement. Clerk has spoken to Julian George , owner of land on right hand side of road, who has agreed to meet with Rob Evans to discuss options. Cllr M.Galdo has agreed to make contact with Mr Davies from Herbrandston Hall to ask for his support before we arrange a meeting with PCC.

32/20 Correspondence. OVW updates. Dale Lee COVID19 daily updates. Paul Davies newsletters. National Park Sustainable energy grant. Independent Remuneration annual report.

33/20.Financial Matters; Balance of main account £4156.39 Cr

Cheques debited since last meeting Hall Heating £400 / Buriel Ground £200 / Sports Assoc £300 / Thomas Caroll £84 / MR Harris , grass £ 195

Balance of savings account £1615.90

Clerk informed committee that Insurance was due for renewal 5th November, no quote yet been received, will need to be discussed at next meeting in October.

34/20 County Councillors Report; Cllr Owens updated committee that the Chief Executive was due to retire shortly.

35/20 Planning Matters : Clerk read email with information about new plan for Single story garage at West Meadow property. No objection raised from councillors.

36/20 Matters not Requiring Resolution.

Clerk informed committee that all residents in the village had received letter informing on the possible upgrade to broadband for village. She had also followed up with a facebook reminder for residents to complete the online survey.

Clerk asked by committee to put message on facebook to inform residents that there will be No firework display this year due to COVID19 restrictions, and to ask that no items to be dumped for a bonfire on the field.

Next Meeting ; Tuesday 27th October 2020 @ 7pm. Clerk will inform closer to time if this is a Zoom meeting or face to face.