

## HERBRANDSTON COMMUNITY COUNCIL

### Minutes from Zoom meeting 30<sup>th</sup> March 2021 @ 7pm

Present ; Councillors, M.Galdo, R.Owens, T.Roberts,D.Philpin, S.Davey.

Clerk; D.Davies

Apologies : N.Coles

**18/21 Declaration of Interest.** None declared.

**19/21 Questions from the Public.** Concerns had been raised from the public about the state of the green. Vans had parked on edge of the green when wet leaving uneven ground. This had also happened along the grass verge by the church . It was agreed by councillors to ask the the cricket club if they would use the roller they have on hire to level the ground. April is the start of the grass cutting season so once this happens the green should start to look in a better condition.

Few members of the pubic have raised concerns about a large dog located by the horse stables at the farm .When they have been running this dog has jumped on their backs. Cllr R.Owens agreed to contact Sally the dog warden to go and have a word with the owners .

Large amounts of complaints received from the public abouts cars parking on the beach. They do not only park at the bottom of the slip but when tied is out are driving onto the main part of the beach. Clerk has been asked to speak to the police about the possibility of placing a barrier on the slipway to stop cars driving onto the beach.

**20/21 Minutes from last Meeting .** Minutes from last meeting on 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2021 passed as a true record. Proposed by Cllr S.Davey and seconded by Cllr T.Roberts .

### **21/21 Matters Arising ;**

1. Triplestone close. No update to discuss today. Keep this as an ongoing matter.
2. Speed Checks Clerk read the email from Clare Williams , PCC. She confirmed that monitoring of speed was programmed to take place , but due to travel restrictions this had been delayed and she could not give an exact date when it will happen. Funding for possible solar panels has not been found yet.
3. Junction to Havens Park . Still no date been given by PCC as to when this work will take place.
4. Sea Creek Road. Cllr R.Owens has now spoken to Mike Cloud at PCC about the concern to protect the right of way to the creek. We will await his answer to this issue.
5. Defibrillators. Cllr D.Galdo agreed to ask Cllr N.Coles to help him put up the 3 cabinets next Saturday, clerk will then we able to place the defibrillators in them.
6. Beach Footpath . Clerk read email from Theresa Nolan , National Trail Officer. She confirmed they are still in discussions with land owner about moving the path. She also stated that machinery would been needed to make improvements to the path between turn style and beach steps but this would not happen until cutting season starts and the ground is dry.
7. Beach Road. Clerk read email from Kelly Morris, Traffic Management PCC, The next review for possible yellow lines being placed along the stretch of road from car park to beach is not planned until the summer. But she confirmed that Robert Evans was arranging a No Parking sign to be placed in the turning bay, to help deter the public in the mean time.
8. Village Green Status. Cllr R.Owens has spoken to Mr Dunkley from PCC. He confirmed that it is only the land next to the Play Park that presently has village green status at the moment in the village. He agreed to complete the necessary work to add both the Green and land outside the cottages ;Rock House , Oakdale, Ivydean and Green Hedges to the existing Village Green Status plan at Herbrandston.

**22/21 Correspondance:** OVW updates , PCC updates on COVID , Port of Milford Haven offering free trees to community. Cllrs agreed to take part in this project and asked the clerk to reserve a selection of fruit trees to be planted along with the existing apple trees on land adjacent to church lane at Havens Park and also other trees to be planted along the road into the village.

**23/21 Financial Matters .** Balance of main account £ 3879.23 Cr Cheques issued this month , £150 Christmas tree , £25 Paul Sartori donation. Balance of savings account £1616.20 , increase from last month 4p interest. Clerk has received OVW renewal fee at £67, Cllr R.Owens proposed that we renew the membership seconded by cllr M.Galdo. Clerk confirmed she has received audit paperwork, she will complete the accounts and ask Mrs N.Hadfield to audit them. Cllr S.Davey asked if the council would continue with the annual financial donation to the church Burial ground and the Hall heating. Proposed by Cllr R.Owens and seconded by Cllr D Philpin to offer same support as previous years. Clerk to issue cheque of £400 for heating and £200 for the burial ground.

**24/21 County Councillors Report.** Cllr R.Owens stated that he was going to join a zoom meeting tomorrow where they would be concluding the election process for appointing a new County Council Executive.

**25/21 Planning Matters** Clerk read a planning application she has received today for 30 Havens Park. Cllr M.Galdo at this stage declared an Interest and left the meeting as this property is owned by his son. The Cllrs reviewed the application for a single story extension at the back of the property. No objections were raised Proposed by Cllr T.Roberts and seconded by Cllr D.Philpin to reply to National Parks planning department accepting the plans.

**26/21 Matters not Requiring Resolution.** Nothing to discuss

Date of next meeting Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> April at 7pm via Zoom.