

20<sup>th</sup> February 2018

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF SANCREED PARISH COUNCIL HELD AT MARY WILIAMS HALL, SANCREED, ON 20<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2018 AT 7.30PM**

**COUNCILLORS PRESENT**

Councillors Mr Ian Soulsby (Chairman), Mr Michael Harvey, Mrs Hilary Harris, Mr Stuart Thomas, Mr Bill Maddern and Mr Robert Eddy.

**ALSO PRESENT**

Mrs Alexis Male (clerk) and one member of the public.

**18-112. APOLOGIES**

Apologies were received from Councillors Mr T James, Mr I James and Mr J Maddern.

**18-113. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

There were no declarations of interest.

**18-114. PUBLIC SPEAKING**

Concerns were raised about the proposed fortnightly waste collection which could prove disastrous. It was suggested that a letter should be written to the CEO of Cornwall Council, copying in the Portfolio Holder for the Environment and Public Protection. It was also commented that holiday lets needed a weekly collection.

**18-115. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING**

The minutes of the meeting held on 16<sup>th</sup> January 2018, having been previously circulated, it was resolved that they were a true and correct record and were signed.

**18-116. THE GLEBE**

The sign directing the public to the Glebe had been put up on a piece of oak. A plan of the area had been sent and it was agreed that it should be used in the lease. Councillor Thomas and the clerk would chase contractors about cutting the area.

**18-117. FOOTPATHS AND HIGHWAYS**

- Highways had again been contacted about the weeds on the bridge in Newbridge. It was apparently in hand but the work would be carried out according to when there was a traffic management team in the area.
- There was no further news on the ownership of the piece of the Beacon.
- A query was raised about the promised flashing speed signs for Newbridge. It had been reported in November 2016 that the village would be having these but nothing had been done. The clerk was advised to speak to Mike Peters.
- The Chairman had again been approached about the trailer that was permanently parked in the car park at Drift. The owner of the trailer was working on a cottage and had nowhere to park the trailer. The Chairman would speak to the owner about the matter and Councillor Thomas offered a corner of his yard for the trailer to be parked. The ornaments that had appeared on the palm tree were also discussed and Councillor Thomas offered to remove them.

**18-118. PLANNING**

- **Applications**
  - No applications had been received.
- **Decisions**
  - No decisions had been received.

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### **• Correspondence**

- Cornwall Council re Planning Conference, Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> February 2018. No councillor wished to attend.

### **18-119. FINANCE**

- Payments of £184.18 were agreed for payment.

### **18-120. EXTERNAL REPORTS AND CORRESPONDENCE**

- West Penwith Community Network Panel, Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2018 – Councillors Mrs H Harris, S Thomas and B Maddern had attended. Councillor Mrs Harris reported that the Police and Crime Commissioner, Alison Hernandez had given a presentation and had had a few interesting things to say but she felt that the whole meeting had been a waste of time with three people being allowed to dominate the proceedings. Councillor Mrs Harris had spoken to James Hardy (CC) after the meeting about the way these meetings were going. A personal discussion followed.
- Police Liaison Group, Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> January 2018 – Councillors B Maddern and S Thomas had attended. Councillor Maddern reported that this meeting had been about the initial set up and what the group was going to be about. The meeting had been run by Inspector Nic Clarke but Councillor Maddern explained that Councillor Sue Nicholas thought that she was going to run the group, about which Inspector Clarke had not been pleased, and the meetings would now be held following the Community Network Panel meetings. Councillor Thomas stated that, should that happen, he felt that the Liaison Group would fold.
- Cornwall Community Land Trust Seminar, Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2018 – No councillor wished to attend.
- Cornwall For Change Debate ‘Planning In Cornwall, For People or Profit?’, Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> March 2018 – No councillors wished to attend.
- Cornwall AONB Annual Conference, Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> April 2018 – No councillor wished to attend.
- Keep Britain Tidy Event, 2<sup>nd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> March 2018 – No councillors wished to be involved.

### **18-121. ITEMS TO BE INCLUDED IN NEXT MONTH’S AGENDA**

The matter of a councillor who had attended very few meetings and had not contacted the clerk was raised. It was decided that the clerk should try to contact him. There were no additional matters for the next month’s agenda.

### **18-122. DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The date of the next meeting was set for Tuesday, 20<sup>th</sup> March 2018 in Mary Williams Hall at 7.30pm.

There being no further business the Chairman closed the meeting at 8.23pm.

**Chairman  
20<sup>th</sup> March 2018**