**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF DYRHAM AND HINTON PARISH COUNCIL**

**HELD ON MONDAY NOVEMBER 25TH 2021 AT DYRHAM AND HINTON VILLAGE HALL AT 7.30.PM**

Present: Councillors: Kerry Sawyer (KS) Chairman, Bruce Gawler (BG), Andrew Banwell (AB), Philip Boulton (PB), Ward Councillor Steve Reade (SR) Ben Stokes (BS) and the Clerk Christine Howard.

**Members of the Public – None**

1. **Apologies for absence**

None

1. **Declaration of Interests under the Localism Bill 2011**

None

**3. Reports by any Councillors or Clerk on Meetings attended**

None

**4. Confirm the minutes of the last meetings 7th October 2021 July 2021.**

KS proposed acceptance seconded by AB all who were there agreed and they were duly signed by the Chairman.

**5. Matters Arising from the Minutes – not an agenda item**

6 The Clerk had written to Chris Harris at SGC regarding the comments that sign on the A46 for Sands Hill not being positioned correctly**.** Chris Harris came back to say that he had been up looking at it only a few days before and he thought it was positioned correctly.

6. The Clerk had printed the letter from Dyrham Park with an attachment from the Parish Council and posted it out to all residents.

**6. Correspondence Received**

**South Gloucestershire Council**

Various items for information sent out to Councillor’s

**Other**

None

**7. Planning Applications**

**No objections**

P21/06416/LB and P21/06417/F Ring O Bells Farm – Conversion of existing farm buildings, including partial demolition and extension to form 2 no. dwellings and associated works – amendment to previous approved scheme PK17/0231/LB.

P21/27005/TCA – Rhoda Cottage, 5 Lower Street, Dyrham – Work on various trees.

P21/0702/TCA – 7 Lower Street - Work on various trees.,

**Objection by PC**

**None**

Decided at Parish Council Meeting

None

Decision by SGC

P21/02591/CLE The Old School House. Hinton – Continued use of property as a commercial furniture making workshop and a space for the provisions of art and craft for adult education.- Approved

**Appeal**

APP/PO119/C/21/3285087 and 3285088Land at Holly Cottage, Dyrham appeal against a breach of a 1.8 meter fence

**8. Accounts – payments since last meeting**

The payments were duly agreed before payment by 2 councillors.

**9. Bank Reconciliation and Income and Expenditure by Budget**

The Clerk distributed these before the meeting. They were duly agreed. The budget for next year was decided to be £9,200 to be ratified at January Finance Meeting

**10.** **Community Benefit Money**

* **Repair to damage to common land at Cock Lane**

Still ongoing SGC say that it is on the list to do.

* **Miscellaneous**

KS asked if we could have wine and refreshments and carols again this year. An estimated £100 was allocated for this. AB proposed this, seconded by BG - carried unanimously.

The WI had asked for a grant of £300 KS proposed giving them this money, seconded by AB – carried unanimously.

A resident had written a History of houses in Hinton, KS proposed that he come and give a talk with a cream tea for all those attending, an estimate of £60.00 was proposed by KS seconded by BG agreed by all.

**11.** **The Queen’s Platinum Jubilee Central Weekend 2022**

A family afternoon event was discussed KS and AB to look into this and come back to the next meeting, due to the timescale it was agreed that any deposits be paid to ensure we secure any items we need.

**12. Unlawful diversion of right of Way**

Right of way diversion:

Some work has been carried out on a section of the Monarch’s Way in Hinton and an attempt made to divert the bridleway unlawfully.  The Rights of Way officer and Enforcement have been informed and the appropriate action is being taken by them. The PC have written to the BHS, the CPRE, the LDWA, the Ramblers Association and the Monarchs Way Association. All of these groups have responded and are supportive of objecting to a proposed diversion order.  The Dyson Estate have been contacted and will be objecting to any proposed diversion order.

The community as a whole have been responsible for keeping everyone informed and updated about this matter and all are supporting keeping the current right of way open.

**13. Enforcement Issues**

None

**14. Ward Councillors Report**

The Community Engagement Forum will take place on 30th November 2021.

Consultations:

Kingswood and Yate new plan.

Council budget will be 3.99%

The briers outside Ring O Bells Cottage need cutting back, George Boulton would be approached to do so.

Once again 150 tyres had been dumped in Cock Lane, Dyrham, the Clerk to contact Enviro Crime at SGC as this is happening on a regular basis.

**15. Items of Report for next meeting**

None.

**16. Date of Next Meeting**

**January 27th 2022**

**March 31st 2022**

**May 21st 2022**

**July 28th 2022**

**September 29th 2022**

**November 24th 2022**