

## **DRAFT MINUTES**

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### **Minutes of the Annual Meeting of Lanlivery Parish Council held in the Village Hall on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2015 at 7.00pm**

**15/37 Present** Cllrs Haley, Christophers, Hughes, Richards, Roberts, Sinkins and Turner

**In attendance** The Parish Clerk, Sally Vincent  
5 members of the public

**15/38 Apologies** Cornwall Cllr Miss Benedicte Bay  
PCSO Natalie Merrikin

#### **15/39 Declaration of Interests**

- i. Pecuniary - None**
- ii. Non Registerable - None**
- iii. Dispensations - None**

#### **15/40 Public Questions/Police Report**

##### *Police Report*

There had been no recorded crime in the parish between 1<sup>st</sup> June – 30<sup>th</sup> June 2015.

##### *Public Questions*

Gary Hainsworth drew attention to the closure of St Blazey police station, a decision made without public consultation. Cllr Sinkins agreed to raise the issue at the Community Network meeting the following Monday at the Burrows Centre. Cllr Christophers noted that there was an online petition at [www.devonandcornwall-pcc.gov.uk](http://www.devonandcornwall-pcc.gov.uk) supporting fair funding for rural policing in Devon & Cornwall.

The Clerk reported that Anna Tappin had telephoned her and said that she would be unable to attend the meeting but would be emailing a letter to her asking the parish council to take action in respect of Ed Veermans dogs. She had advised Anna that the parish council had no legal power to intervene in this type of situation and that she should contact the police. The letter had not arrived with the Clerk (subsequently found to have been addressed to [tywardreathparpc@btinternet.com](mailto:tywardreathparpc@btinternet.com) and not [tywardreathparpc@btinternet.com](mailto:tywardreathparpc@btinternet.com))

Ann Kent reported that she had ridden past Ed Veermans a few weeks earlier when the gate to the Veermans yard had been open and a dog had rushed out. She was riding a new horse and had been concerned that it would react badly as the dog had then chased her up the road barking. In fact the horse had not been bothered, but she considered that somebody should at least have ascertained that she was unharmed. Ed offered his apologies to Ann for the incident.

A copy of Anna Tappins letter was made available to the meeting and, after discussion, Cllrs agreed in should be read aloud.

Cllr Haley declared a non registerable interest and left the room.

Cllr Sinkins took the Chair and read the letter. Having heard the content members endorsed the Clerks advice to Anna that this was not a matter for the parish council and that if she wished to pursue it she should do so via the police.

Cllr Haley returned and took the Chair

**15/41 Minutes of Annual Meeting held on 24<sup>th</sup> June 2015**

It was proposed by Cllr Roberts, seconded Cllr Sinkins and RESOLVED that the minutes be confirmed and signed by the Chairman.

**15/42 Matters arising from the minutes not on the agenda – *for report only***

15/26. The Gilbert Rawlings situation was ongoing.

15/33. The barn conversion at Parleth Gedra, which had been supported by the parish council at the June meeting had not received the support of the CC planning officer dealing with the application as it was considered to be a new build, not a conversion. The officer had contacted the parish council under the 5 day protocol and members had considered that they could not defend their decision, given the valid planning reasons for refusal put forward by the officer.

15/36. Water from the road was still running down the footpath by the Crown; Cllr Bay to be reminded that she had agreed to arrange for some bunding.

**15/43 To receive reports from the Cornwall Councillor**

No report.

**15/44 To receive reports (if any) from Parish Council Representatives**

**Friends of the Luxulyan Valley:** Cllr Hughes reported that there was a burned out car in the Luxulyan Valley car park. Cllr Christophers responded that this had been reported to the police and was being/had been dealt with.

**Community Network:** Cllr Sinkins reported that there would be a discussion on the impact of the closure of St Blazey police station at the next Network meeting on 27<sup>th</sup> July at 7pm at the Burrows Centre.

**15/45 Correspondence – *for information only***

The correspondence list had been circulated and the correspondence was left 'on the table' for Councillors attention.

**15/46 Accounts for Approval**

Accounts for Approval. It was proposed by Cllr Hughes, seconded Cllr Turner and RESOLVED that accounts to the value of £228.00 be approved.

**15/47 Planning**

PA15/06126. Construction of new window openings in existing property to upgrade existing attic bedroom (resubmission of withdrawn application PA14/08885). Rew Park, Sweetshouse Cllr Richards proposed, Cllr

Christophers seconded and it was RESOLVED that a recommendation of no objection should be made to Cornwall Council.

#### **15/48 Neighbourhood Plan**

Cllr Sinkins reported that she and the Clerk had finished collating the results and she had put some answers into percentages to give members a preliminary idea of the findings e.g. 57% of the population is over 50: 50% have lived in the parish for more than 20 years: 27% are retired. 17% are at pre school or in full time education: 66 people live in owner occupied homes but only 3 respondents in other/rented property: 74% of people consider that more dwellings are needed in the parish - 51% think 6/10, 14% more than 15: 65% consider that extra parking in village is needed and the majority favour the field next to the pub. There is a balance of people approving/disapproving of small wind turbines: 92% want no more large wind turbines and 86% no more large solar farms. There is a huge discrepancy in broadband connectivity throughout the parish. Cllr Richards recorded thanks to Cllr Sinkins, Cllr Roberts and the Clerk for their work to date. Cllr Sinkins advised that the next stage was to have a meeting to decide how the parish want to progress the Plan and it was important that members of the public were involved in this. Ed, Robbie and Gary agreed to attend and members would encourage others to do so when the Clerk had fixed a date.

The Lucky Questionnaire numbers were then drawn by members of the public at the meeting and were 146 (champagne), 147 (shrubs), 73 (meal at the Crown), 246 (back massage).

#### **15/49 Community Emergency Plan**

Cllr Roberts was currently in the process of populating the Plan.

#### **15/50 To receive reports (if any) from Parish Councillors**

Cllr Turner reported that the footpath from the Churchyard to Roselath was impassable.

Cllr Hughes reported that the pothole on the road between Pennant Chapel and Treganoon had still not been repaired.

Cllr Haley reported that Chris and John had cut the grass at the entrance to Thomas Bullock and it was looking very tidy.

Cllr Haley reported that she had been asked to pass on a request to Ed to tell his workmen to leave the daisies when cutting the Churchyard. Ed agreed to ensure this was done in future.

**Date of Next Meeting**            23<sup>rd</sup> September 2015

**Meeting Closed**                8.16pm