

MINUTES OF THE ST WINNOW PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HLED ON

Tuesday 9th January 2024 at 7.30pm in the Red Store

Present: Chair Penny Rowe (PR) Stephanie Chapman (SC) Dave Boraston (DB) Peter Champness (PC) Katie Vine (KV) Cornwall Councillor Colin Martin (CM) Clerk Kerry Pearce (KP)

1. **Chairman's Welcome and Public Participation.** There were no members of the public present. The meeting has been advertised as a public meeting and is not being recorded for media purposes.
2. **Apologies for Absence: Councillor Judy Stephens, PCSCO Steve Cocks**
3. **Declaration of Members Interest.** (i) Disclosable Pecuniary Interest. (ii) Non Pecuniary Interest.
NONE
4. **To receive the minutes of the Parish meeting held on 7th November 2023.** DB proposed the minutes were of a true account seconded by PC with all councillors present in favour.
5. **Matters arising from those minutes not on the agenda. NONE**
6. **Chairman's Report.** PR thanked all councillors involved in getting local flooding and blocked drains cleared over the festive period.
7. **Reports from Outside Organisations.**
 - a) *Devon & Cornwall Police. PCSO SC sent his report via email:*

From 01/11/23 – 30/11/23 there were 2 crimes inc. a theft and a criminal damage to a vehicle.

The Looe Police Enquiry Office has now reopened to the Public with hours Thursday – Saturday 1000 – 1500. Reports, Found property and other enquiries can now be reported there so please spread the word.

Numerous patrols have been conducted around the Parish and all was found to be in order.

If there are any questions or matters arising for my attention then please contact me in the usual manner.
 - b) *Cornwall Council.* CM reported on the work carried out to clear the reoccurring flooding near Tredethick. A trench has been dug through the adjacent field alongside a previous drainage pipe which was blocked and damaged. The new flood near Redlake has been addressed and the road repaired and the pipe running under the road now clear.
 - Climate Change:* It has been reported that the summer of 2023 was the hottest summer on record. CM will be bringing a notion asking CC how they will bring about the net zero on carbon emissions by 2030.
 - St Winnow School* are looking into a new carpark across the road to help ease congestion at pick up/drop off times.
 - Respryn Carpark* – PR said clearway signs are not working when the National Trust close the carpark. CM suggested the National Trust inform the carpark enforcement company each time they close it.
 - CM left he meeting at 19.54
- c) *Red Store.* The AGM was held last night and minutes will be published shortly.

8. Planning Applications.

8.2 PA23/09311 Stepping Stones Lerryn - Works to remove a 30ft high mature Beech tree located within a conservation area (CA).

8.3 PA23/09646 Waters Reach Lerryn – Erection of a summer house. After a short discussion St Winnow unanimously agreed there were no objections to this application.

9. Planning Results.

- I. PA23/02474 - Land North West of Harvest Barn – Conversion and extension to stable building to create a single dwelling house without compliance with condition 2 of decision notice PA19/05753 dated 06.09.2019. **Pending Consideration.**

10. Grant Funding, Applications & use of Funds.

- I. Defibrillator installation St Winnow Church - PC on going -

11. Neighbourhood Plan. An update on proceedings. JS – ongoing -

12. Common Land CL04/CL05. To discuss the upkeep and safety of the area, benches & Oak Posts. It was confirmed the benches are all in good working order. SC commented there is no longer a bench at Ethy point in the great wood. KP/SC to contact the Forestry Commission requesting a replacement.

13. To review the Ice & Snow Plan. The salt/grit Price – Ongoing

14. To Approve the 2024 dates of meetings – The below meeting were approved.

15. Correspondence & Circulars.

16. Finance; To confirm the drawing of the following cheques.

- 1) Cheque No: 514** To the Clerk for Salary & Expenses 120.60 + 20.00 = **£140.60**
- 2) Cheque No: 515** To the Clerk for Microsoft Office for **£59.99**
- 3) Cheque No: 516** To Royal British Legion for the poppy wreath for **£30.00**
- 4) Cheque No: 517** To the Clerk for Salary & Expenses 120.60 + 20.00 = **£140.60**

DB proposed the above cheques as one notion seconded by PC with all Councillors present in favour.

17. To approve the income and expenditure against the cash book to be signed by the chair.

The cash book was approved and signed by Chair PR

18. Any Other Business.

SC reported the Lelandi trees from the property just before Lerryn bridge are getting quite big. KP/PR to report to highways.

GC reported it was also over grown by the postbox going into Brandy Lane from the bridge.

PC the road from Lerryn to couches mill is in a very poor state and in need of repair.

The next meeting will be on Tuesday 9th January 2024 The next meeting will be on Tuesday 6th February 2024

The following dates have been booked in the Red Store for the coming year the tide times & heights are for your information:

6th February high tide – 14.12

5th March high tide – 00.56

9th April

7th May high tide – 16.48

11th June high tide –20.40 will need wellies - Red Store unavailable week before

2nd July high tide – 14.15

3rd September high tide 17.43 Wellies on arrival!

1st October high tide – 16.44

12th November high tide – 14.05

3rd December high tide – 18.35 – Bring wellies!

7th January high tide – 23.14