

Coln St Dennis Parish Council

Coln Valley Village Hall

Minutes of meeting held 17<sup>th</sup> November 2022 at 6.30 pm.

**Present: Councillors:** Nick Dummett (NTD)Chairman, Phillip Allen (PA), Harry Talbot Rice (HTR), Malcolm Carmichael (MC), Angie Kaye (AK)

**In attendance:** Wendy James (WJ) - Clerk

**Residents:** Jon Davies

**1. Apologies.** None

**2. Minutes of the last meeting and actions arising.**

Minutes of the meeting 29<sup>th</sup> September 2022 were approved and signed at the meeting.

Action: WJ to put onto website.

**3. Matters Arising**

NTD reported that 20 is plenty is a Gloucestershire Highways project. When a decision on this is required, CDC will be in touch with the Parish Council with more information. NTD has looked at Defibrillators and most of the grants that can be applied for need match funding.

NTD reported to the Councillors that Highways would be against the proposed groundworks that Houston Construction had quoted at the last meeting. AK reported that no more had been done towards the Calcot Parking Project.

**4. Financial Report – Accounts to date.**

The Councillors received a copy of the accounts at the meeting from the Clerk. NTD explained that spending this year was higher than the precept 2022/23 (£2000) received but was expected due to Jubilee expenditure and painting of the telephone boxes this year. The precept for 2023/24 needs to be reviewed at the next meeting, ready for the new financial year.

**5. 20's Plenty Campaign**

This item was covered in Matters Arising.

**6. Confirm Appointment of Representatives for the CVVH Management Committee** NTD

reported that the CVVH Management Committee had been looking at the workings of the committee. The Parish Council have the right to appoint two representatives from the valley. Due to them holding their AGM a couple of weeks ago, NTD appointed Wendy James and Edward Bagnall with their permission. The Parish Councillors agreed with this decision made.

## 7. Planning Applications Received.

22/03597/FUL – Erection of Ground Maintenance storage at Old Rectory, CsD.

The above application had been received and the Parish Councillors discussed the plans.

They felt that the application was unclear regarding foundations etc, location of the building and scale of the building. The PC decided to object on the grounds of scale and siting.

Action: NTD to draft the Parish Councillors views/objection, send to Councillors and WJ to send to CDC before 24<sup>th</sup> November 2022.

## 8. AOB

## Clean & Green Community Project

NTD had received an email about the above project. AK thought of a possible Local History Project. It was agreed that if Millie Lawlor the Clean & Green Officer could come to the next meeting to explain the project then the Councillors would think more about it. Action: WJ to email Millie and invite her to the next Parish Council meeting in February 2023.

Date of Next Meeting: It was agreed that this would be Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2023, CVVH at 6.30pm.

Action: WJ to circulate date. Since the meeting WJ has received from CDC the Parish Precepts and Council Tax for 2023/24 form which needs to be completed by 31/01/2023. WJ to send new dates for a January meeting so the precept can be agreed.

The meeting ended at 7.30pm

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