

MINUTES of ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE RURAL PARISH COUNCIL

Meeting held on Tuesday 27th September 2022 at the Tregadillett Community Centre

Councillors: Chairman: Cllr. J. North
Councillors: L. Vanstone, D. Mounce, T. Jones, R. Jones
Public Present: Three (3)

Apologies: Cllr E. Shute, C. Vinson, A. Paynter

1. **Declaration of Interest and Dispensations Requests** for items on the agenda – Cllr R Jones re planning PA22/07530.
2. **The minutes of the meeting on 23rd August 2022** were agreed by the Councillors as a true record and signed by the Chairman
3. **Matters arising:** Cllr T Jones enquired about the Village Green situation.
4. **Suspension of standing orders to enable members of the public to speak:** A Parishioner attending the meeting reported the ‘turning area’ at Tor View is having cars constantly parking in this area and parking on the pavements, making the access for pedestrians/pushchairs/mobility scooters/wheelchairs unable to pass safely. Cllrs suggested contacting Oliver Jones (Highways).
5. **Planning Applications:**
 - a) **PA22/07759:** Application for planning permission to convert the large garage/workshop into a 1 bed detached annexe: Trebursye Hill Cottage, Trebursye Hill, Launceston, PL15 7ET: Mr & Mrs Proctor – **SUPPORT** – Proposed Cllr T Jones, 2nd Cllr R Jones All Cllrs agreed
PA22/07530: Proposed workshop and secure storage building: Access to M & M Plant, Kennards House, Launceston: M & M Plant Ltd – **SUPPORT** – Proposed Cllr L Vanstone, 2nd Cllr D Mounce, Abstained Cllr R Jones, All Other Cllrs agreed
 - b) **Any Others since printing:** NONE
 - c) **Planning Decisions:** NONE
6. **General state of the Village and Parish (including grass cutting 2022) and Footpaths:**
 - Cllr J North enquired about the footbridge along the footpath near Compass West.
 - Cllr J North reported having contacted Mr Thomas regarding hedge trimming in the Village
 - Cllr J North suggested having a map drawn up to highlight the verge area that needs cutting.
7. **Play Equipment:** Cllr J North made an enquiring about the Inspection.
8. **Finance:**

Current acc: Mrs DA Frain (salary & exps) £275.00 Chq No 100806
Taken Direct from the Bank: 10/09/22 – Bank charges 20/07/22 to 19/08/22 = £5.40
Current acc: Received: 26/07/2022 – HMRC (Vat) £78.04

Community Wind Turbine Bank Account:
Taken Direct from the Bank: 10/09/22 – Bank charges 20/07/22 to 19/08/22 = £5.00

Application for Grant Aid from Cornwall Wind Energy Community Fund: NONE
Financial Discussion: NONE

9. Correspondence:

A PROCLAMATION

Whereas it has pleased Almighty God to call to His Mercy our late Sovereign Lady Queen Elizabeth the Second of Blessed and Glorious Memory, by whose Decease the Crown of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland is solely and rightfully come to The Prince Charles Philip Arthur George: We, therefore, the Lords Spiritual and Temporal of this Realm and Members of the House of Commons, together with other members of Her late Majesty's Privy Council and representatives of the Realms and Territories, Aldermen and Citizens of London, and others, do now hereby with one voice and Consent of Tongue and Heart publish and proclaim that The Prince Charles Philip Arthur George is now, by the Death of our late Sovereign of Happy Memory, become our only lawful and rightful Liege Lord Charles the Third, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of His other Realms and Territories, King, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith, to whom we do acknowledge all Faith and Obedience with humble Affection; beseeching God by whom Kings and Queens do reign to bless His Majesty with long and happy Years to reign over us.

Given at St. James's Palace this tenth day of September in the year of Our Lord two thousand and twenty-two.

GOD SAVE THE KING

Cornwall Zero: Invitation to Conference – [In and Beyond NDPs: Formation and Review for Community, Climate and Nature](#). In these uncertain times, community is more important than ever, and this conference has been organised to help to link, support and inform communities to improve local planning. The conference takes place on Saturday 22nd October 2022, 10am start

Cornwall Council – Gambling Act Statement: The Council is required to publish a Statement of Principles under the Gambling Act (referred to as the gambling 'policy') and this policy should be reviewed at every 3 years. A revised policy has now been drafted.

Strategic Planning Committee: Agenda for the meeting on Thursday 15th September 2022, 10am

Cornwall Council – Shared Prosperity Fund: We are hosting three area cluster briefings for all Panels focusing on two programmes being developed as part of the UK Shared Prosperity Fund Investment Plan for Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly.

Cornwall Council Planning: Following the sad passing of Her Majesty The Queen the Town and Parish Council meetings have been cancelled. Therefore, where the planning consultation is due to expire within the official 10 day mourning period, the deadline for comments will automatically be extended by 10 days.

Cornwall Council: Her Majesty The Queen Elizabeth II 1926–2022 = Statement by Councillor Pauline Giles BEM. Chairman of Cornwall Council

Launceston Community Network Panel: The Panel Chair has agreed to postpone the meeting due to be held on Thursday 15th September 2022

Road Closure:

- Location – Gospenheale Road and Under Lane, Launceston
- Timing – Monday 3rd October to Wednesday 12th October 2022 (07:30 to 17:00 hours – week days only)
- Contact – Andy Knowles, Cormac Solutions Ltd on 0300 1234 222

East Sub–Area Planning Committee: Agenda for the meeting on Monday 3rd October 2022, 10am

Cornwall Council – Arrangements for the national period of mourning: Cornwall Council services will be limited to just essential services being carried out on the bank holiday. This means:

- Council offices will be closed to the public on Monday 19th September 2022, but there will still be access to the books of condolence from 9am–5pm for anyone who wishes to sign
- There will be no waste collections made on Monday 19th September 2022
- All Household Waste Recycling Centres across Cornwall will be closed on Monday 19th September 2022
- Pre-planned weddings and funerals (at Penmount Crematorium) will continue
- Registration services will be open for pre-booked appointments only
- Council owned leisure centres, libraries and Kresen Kernow will be closed
- Public Transport will be operating a Sunday timetable. Truro Park and Ride will NOT be operating on Monday 19th September 2022
- Schools will also be closed for the day.

Cornwall Fire Critical Control: I am writing to you as one of the Critical Control Centre team from Cornwall Fire and Rescue, answering the public's emergency calls when they are at their most vulnerable. "Due to delays in the national Emergency Services Network project and rising infrastructure and operating costs, we will need to review the most effective way to deliver an efficient Critical Control function for Cornwall." Within the next few weeks, a proposal will be submitted to Cornwall Council to close the Critical Control Centre. Closing within 6 months and moving the function outside of the County. The proposal will be taken to the Cornwall Council Neighbourhoods Overview and Scrutiny Committee on the 6th October 2022. We would welcome your support with our campaign to save Critical Control.

10. **Items for discussion not on the Agenda:**

- Cllr J North reported Cllr A Paynter has given information on money available for Youth Clubs. Cllr T Jones will contact the Brownies and Guides about the information supplied.
- Cllr T Jones reported receiving an enquiry from Egloskerry Parish Council about the Radar Speed sign.
- Cllr T Jones reported a Queen Elizabeth II condolence book had been issued.
- Cllr T Jones reported a notification from Cornwall Council about the trees near the Church may need removing. A Surveyor has been and reported a tree between the car park and playing fields may need removing. We are awaiting more information from the Surveyor.
- Cllrs T Jones reported the Parish Council are short of Councillors.

11. **Notice of Events:** Nothing to report

12. **Any Confidential Items:**– Cllrs held discussions.

Meeting closed at 8.05pm