

Minutes of a meeting of the Calstock Parish Council, AMENITIES COMMITTEE held on Tuesday 28 January 2020

in the Tamar Valley Centre commencing at 1800.

Those present were; -

COUNCILLORS: Cllr Alford, Cllr Beech, Cllr Letchford, Cllr Polglase, Cllr Riggs, Cllr Roberts, Cllr Wakem, Cllr Wells (Chair)

Miss Sue Lemon (Clerk), Miss Clare Bullimore (Deputy Clerk – minutes).

1. **APOLOGIES**

Cllr Brown, Cllr Wilkes, Cllr Greenwood.

2. **DECLARATIONS OF MEMBERS' INTERESTS IN AGENDA ITEMS**

None

3. **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

None

4. <u>APPROVE MINUTES OF LAST MEETING – 29-10-19</u>

Proposal/Resolution: the minutes be approved. Proposed: Cllr Beech, seconded: Cllr Roberts – unanimous.

5. **PARKING IN THE PARISH**

As agreed, enforcement officers have been visiting sites across the parish and issuing penalties to those vehicles parked on double yellow lines. Generally, this initiative has been well received and it was reported that considerate parking has increased. **Proposal/Resolution** to pay for an hour per fortnight for random checks across the parish. Proposed: Cllr Wakem, seconded: Cllr Alford unanimous.

6. **CAR PARKS**

Harrowbarrow – Kevin, Maintenance Man, has cleared the car park including gullies and drains. It was agreed that as the Harrowbarrow and Metherell Community Association had received a report from a civic engineer to say the surface of the car park is fit for purpose the parish council will continue to monitor and clear it regularly but not pursue the resurfacing of it. <u>Gunnislake</u> – permits will be reissued shortly. There has been some inconvenience with Cormac using 12 spaces for a number of months (they will be paying the Parish Council for use of these spaces). The ticket machine has also been out of order several times in the last few months and engineers have been called to try to fix it. Proposal/resolution: issue 34 permits (to include 4 people on the waiting list); only allow one permit per household; retain the permits at the same



price as last year due to the inconvenience and ticket machine's unreliability. Proposed: Cllr Wakem, seconded: Cllr Riggs – unanimous.

7. SPEEDWATCH

At the community network meeting last week, it was agreed to have a speed watch on the A390 – this would be required at the Whiterocks end and by Delaware School. £50,000 will be allocated to Calstock Parish for traffic safety measures and Cornwall Council will be carrying out a feasibility study.

8. REVIEW/MONITORING OF:

Toilets – current spend to the end of November 2019 was £7516

<u>Bins</u>- Cllr Polglase suggested spreading the bins out at Calstock (playing field) as they are all at one end – agreed but suggested this waits until the Environment Agency work is complete – they may also install steps from the field to the path.

<u>Bus shelters</u> – a request had been made that the bus shelter at Calstock Station is replaced due to the Perspex being damaged – the Clerk said she would try for a grant for this but it was proposed and agreed that if the bus can be seen the shelter should remain in line with reducing the use of plastic materials. Proposed Cllr Roberts, seconded Cllr Riggs – unanimous.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 1846.	
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