# Minutes of the Meeting of Ruan Lanihorne Parish Council held in The Reading Room on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> August 2018 at 7.00pm

Present: Councillors G Adams, D Dingle, P Farr, D Giles (Chairman) & G Pring

In Tomas Hill (Clerk)

Attendance:

### 110/18 APOLOGIES

Cllr Martin submitted her apologies due to family commitments.

Cllr Farr proposed, seconded by Cllr Pring and the Council **resolved** to note her apology.

111/18 DISPENSATION OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS (DPI), DECLARATION OF OTHER SIGNIFICANT INTERESTS (OSI) & DECLARATION OF ANY GIFTS OVER £25

For the purposes of transparency, Cllrs Farr, Giles, Martin & Pring attended a tour of Trelonk which included a buffet lunch, a gift of a small jar of honey and a pen. Councillors considered that this did not amount to £25.00.

## 112/18 OPEN FORUM – PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

None.

## 113/18 CORNWALL COUNCILLOR

Cllr German submitted his apologies, however, he communicated to the Clerk that there were no specific issues raised in the parish during the last month. He also stated that PC James Hosking from Tregony informed him that Community Speed Watch was now available for the Roseland and wondered whether the Council would want to form a Community Speed Watch group.

114/18 MINUTES OF THE LAST ORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING OF 4th JULY 2018

Cllr Farr proposed, seconded by Cllr Adams and the Council **resolved** that the minutes were a true and accurate record of the previous meeting.

115/18 MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

Per 103/18 Cllr Giles has taken photographs of the fingerposts to send to the Clerk.

116/18 CORRESPONDENCE

None not already on the agenda.

117/18 HIGHWAYS AND PUBLIC RIGHTS OF WAY

The Clerk reported that Cllr Martin wished to raise the speed of traffic through Ruan Lanihorne village and that her neighbour's dog was run over and left mortally injured on the verge by the Church steps at 6.20 pm the previous Thursday evening.

The Clerk will again raise the issue of the missing 30mph signage on the road with Viv Bidgood.

The Chair reported that the Fire Brigade has given a talk to employees of Trelonk regarding speeding. Cllr Pring has noted the positive difference within the village.

Cllr Pring reported that the pothole at Barn Farm has finally been filled in and the manhole covers on the Ruan High Lanes to Treworga turning road have been repaired.

### 118/18 COMMUNITY HIGHWAYS NETWORK SCHEME

Cllr Giles reported regarding the opportunity for a highways scheme to be paid under the £50.000.00 budget within the Truro and Roseland Community Network Panel.

Councillors discussed the current speed limit at Ruan High Lanes and maintain their wish to reduce it to 30mph. Having explored this option and received a negative response from Viv Bidgood, Councillors thought that they could at least extend the 40mph zone from Ruan High Lanes to the parish boundary on the A3078.

Cllr Farr proposed, seconded by Cllr Pring and the Council **resolved** that the Clerk request the above scheme be considered.

#### 119/18 READING ROOM

The fire extinguishers have all been serviced.

The Clerk reported that he had sent back the rough draft application to Tim Dart following the various questions he asked to inform a more substantive draft.

The Clerk would circulate the completed copy for final notes and approval. The Clerk would then submit the approved application.

Cllr Pring proposed, seconded by Cllr Adams and the Council **resolved** that the Clerk submit the application form following circulation, final amendments and approval.

Trelonk Estate donated 2 hanging baskets to the Reading Room.

#### 120/18 SEPTEMBER MEETING

The Clerk has requested whether the Council consider the need for a September meeting due to the impending arrival of his second child with a due date of the 7<sup>th</sup> of September.

Cllr Pring has generously offered to draft the minutes in the absence of the Clerk.

Cllr Farr proposed, seconded by Cllr Adams and the Council **resolved** that the Cllr Pring draft the minutes for the September meeting and that there be no monthly budget monitoring report for September.

#### 121/18 FINANCE

The Clerk presented a monthly budget monitoring report.

Cllr Giles proposed, seconded by Cllr Farr and the Council **resolved** to sign cheques per the August budget monitoring report inset box entitled 'cheques for signing' to the total sum of  $\pounds$ 401.60.

## 122/18 REPORTS FROM MEETINGS ATTENDED BY COUNCILLORS

Cllr Giles gave a brief summary of the Truro and Roseland Community Network Panel meeting which he chaired.

Cllr Pring gave a brief summary of the meeting at Trelonk which was warmly received.

Cllr Giles proposed, seconded by Cllr Pring and the Council **resolved** that the Clerk write to Trelonk to thank them for their hospitality from all concerned and were particularly impressed with the professionalism and presentational skills from their students.

## 123/18 FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

Community Speed Watch

The meeting closed at 20:08 pm.

Date of next meeting – 5<sup>th</sup> September 2018 at Reading Room at 7.00pm

Signed as a true record of the meeting. Chairman