

TINTAGEL PARISH COUNCIL

Parish Council Meeting – 7th July 2021.

Minutes of the meeting of the Council held in Tintagel Social Hall on the above date

Ref	Item	Action
54/7 2021	<p>Persons Present: Cllr. J. Deithrick, Vice Chair, Cllr. M. Callcut, Cllr. N. Appleby-Tremain, Cllr. M. Sturgess, Cllr. D. Williams, Cllr. L. Leahy, Cornwall Councillor Dominic Fairman.</p> <p>Apologies: Cllr. Lyle, Cllr. Mason, Cllr. Coshall, Cllr. Wilderspin, Cllr. Harrison.</p> <p>6 members of the public.</p> <p>S. Theobald, Locum Clerk and Minute taker.</p>	
55/7 2021 56/7 2021	<p>Declarations of Interest from Members / Dispensations applied for / Gifts: None notified.</p> <p>Chairman's opening remarks: In the absence of Cllr. Lyle, Cllr. Deithrick took the Chair. She welcomed all to the meeting and pointed out that members of the public were permitted to speak only in the Public Session.</p>	
57/7 2021	<p>Public Participation: The first speaker asked when it was to be expected that the public toilets at the visitor centre would be re-opened. She was assured that the toilets would re-open as soon as certain checks, repairs and cleaning had taken place.</p> <p>Several others had written of their concerns about the proposed car park extension at Trethevy. PA21/04709. These written comments are held on file. The main concerns were lack of amenities (WCs), visual impact within an AONB, danger of drivers entering and exiting the proposed car park on a main road with poor visibility and vehicles travelling at 60mph. If this car park were used by persons wishing to visit Rocky Valley they would have to walk along the busy road with no pavements, steep hills, numerous bends and traffic travelling at speeds up to 60mph.</p> <p>It was felt that the temporary parking order, currently in place along the roadside at Trethevy, should be made permanent, the existing car park should be resurfaced and properly marked with parking bays, and parking be restricted to cars, thus excluding camper vans, towing and oversized vehicles.</p>	<p>Cllr Fairman and LC to contact CC Highways.</p>

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57/7 cont.	<p>The final speaker explained the work undertaken by the volunteers of the 'Tintagel Sow Beautiful' group. Flower beds had been cleared of weeds and shrubs planted, barrels and hanging baskets planted up and distributed around the village. The full report held on file.</p> <p>The 'Tintagel Sow Beautiful' group would now be seeking funding to put in place a programme of work to start in the Autumn. Plan included a community garden, a memorial garden and other environmental projects. It is hoped these projects would bring the community together and benefit the area in a positive way.</p>	
58/7 2021	<p>Cornwall Councillor's Report: Cllr. Fairman said he would work with Cornwall Council Highways Department to address the concerns raised over the proposed car park extension at Trethevy. There was nothing further to report at this time as he had just returned from holiday, he expected a busy time ahead with the business at County Hall and would report fully at the next meeting of this Council.</p>	
59/7 2021	<p>Meeting of Council: Minutes: 16th June 2021.</p> <p>It was RESOLVED to accept the Minutes of the meeting of 16th June, previously circulated, as a true record of the business discussed. Proposed by Cllr. Appleby-Tremain, seconded by Cllr. Sturgess. Agreed unanimously. No matters arose from these Minutes.</p>	
60/7 2021	<p>Planning Applications for consultation: PA21/04709, proposed extension to car park at Trethevy, arrived too late for prior inclusion on this agenda. It was felt that such were the concerns of residents in the area, and having five Councillors giving their apologies for absence from this meeting, an extension of time be applied for and the application be further debated at the next meeting. This was agreed.</p>	<p>Clerk to request extension of time. Done 8.7.21 Granted. AGENDA</p>
61/7 2021	<p>Planning Decisions Received: None at this time.</p>	
62/7 2021	<p>Finance Report: 7th July 2021: The Locum Clerk reported that Lloyds Bank had accommodated her request, approved by current signatories, to pay outstanding accounts to the value of £15,743.18. As the Mandate for change of signatories had still not been processed in favour of this Council access to all bank accounts was not possible at this time, therefore no accurate bank reconciliation was available.</p>	

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63/7 2021	Tintagel Public Toilets: To AGREE a policy of improvements, charges and re-opening of Visitor Centre toilets. This was 'left on the table' for the next meeting when, it was hoped, all Councillors would be present.	AGENDA
64/7 2021	Locum Clerk's Report: The Locum Clerk (CL) referred to the report she had written following inspection of Trevena Square public toilets, and circulated to all Councillors, and suggested the points within the report be brought before Councillors at the next meeting. However, the LC was happy to report that, following an intensive cleaning programme, the Trevena Square toilets were in much better condition now than they had been. The LC voiced her concern that she was having to work on another Council's computer as Tintagel PC had not put a dedicated computer at her disposal. This to be addressed at the next meeting of Council. The LC expressed thanks for the kind donation of planters and hanging baskets which now adorned the visitor centre. Finally, the LC brought to Councillor's attention a complaint received from a resident of Trerammet Crescent whose property had been damaged by a car parked, without permission, outside her house. The car had subsequently run backwards out of control and crashed into her property, causing extensive damage.	AGENDA
65/7 2021	Tintagel Sow Beautiful: Following the presentation in the Public Session, it was agreed to discussed the possibility of offering a donation to funds for this group at the next meeting.	AGENDA
66/7 2021	Music in Tintagel: It was suggested by those Councillors present that live music may be welcome in Tintagel so long as no amplification was employed and time limited in any one of various locations around the village. For further discussion at the next meeting.	AGENDA
67/7 2021	Correspondence: Councillor's attention was drawn to the letter received from a resident putting forward a raft of ideas to improve and enhance the service on offer at the visitor centre. Further discussion at the next meeting.	AGENDA
68/7 2021	Parish Noticeboards: Following a request from a resident of Trethevy it was agreed that the noticeboard be reinstated alongside the letter box in Trethevy. For further discussion, a noticeboard be sited in Bossiney.	AGENDA

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<p>69/7 2021</p> <p>70/7 2021</p>	<p>Charitable Donations: It was NOTED that any organisation requesting a donation for their cause from this Parish Council must put their request in writing or e-mail, and include a statement of their accounts. To be ratified by Full Council at the next meeting.</p> <p>Matters of Public Interest / Date of next meeting: It was NOTED that a Charity Motor Cycle run would stop in Trevena Square on Tuesday, 13th July, where it was hoped they would collect donations from passing visitors and local people. Councillors present felt the next meeting should be held on July 21st and there be only one meeting in August, possible Wednesday, 4th.</p> <p>There being no further business, Cllr. Deithrick closed the meeting at 20.05.</p>	<p>AGENDA</p>