*****PLUMLEY WITH TOFT & BEXTON***

***PARISH COUNCIL***

***15th September 2022***

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON**

**WEDNESDAY 14th SEPTEMBER 2022 at 7.30 pm**

**AT PLUMLEY METHODIST CHURCH ON PLUMLEY MOOR ROAD**

**Councillors in attendance –** A Gabbott Chair, G Coates Vice Chair, S Crossman, A Shaw, J Wright

A Thomson, R Raphael,

**The councillors and officer observed a period of silence as a mark of respect for Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth the second**

**Minutes**

1. **Apologies** for absence from members unable to attend were received form S Jones, S Wharfe, Vereyan Leycester Roxby D Nichols
2. **Declaration of interests**

To receive from Councillors any declarations of pecuniary and non-pecuniary interests related to this agenda

1. **Minutes** To approve & sign the Minutes of the meetings held on the 29th June and 31st August 2022

**PTB//2223 Resolved to** approve & sign the Minutes of the meetings held on the 29th June and 31st August 2022

1. **Cheshire East Council Matters**:

No updates U

1. **Clerks Report Appendix 6/2022** 
   1. Correspondence and to take decisions on items
   2. Reports of additional Road Traffic Accidents and near misses

**PTB// Resolved to** receive the correspondence and updates on road traffic accidents

1. **Financial Payments –** 
   1. To approve payments. Includes: Salaries & expenses**.**
   2. To approve the balances in the Community and Business accounts.

**PTB// Resolved to** approve the payments and balances 6.1 and 6.2

1. **To receive any comments and reports by Councilors concerning transport, planning, footpaths, highways, Village Hall, Parish Plan, Community Pride, Community Resilience, Home watch**

***Note - When receiving reports and making resolutions perceived risks need to be identified and if necessary agreed actions required to mitigate them***

**General Highways issues, including Speedwatch** (action log)

1. **Speed reduction update**

Reported locally that Plumley was to be part of an average speed camera rural pilot scheme, the council are awaiting confirmation from the Police and Crime Commissioners office

1. **Planning** To review current planning applications

None

1. **Cheshire Oil Development**

No updates

1. **Police Liaison**

No updates – future police surgeries will be promoted on the police faccebook page

1. **Footpaths**

No current updates

1. **Meetings – To note feedback from meetings attended since the last meeting on the 29th June 2022**

**None**

1. **To receive any items for inclusion in the agenda for the next meeting on the 8th November 2022**

**Items for newsletters an option**

**The meeting ended at 20. 15**

**5.Clerks report APPENDIX 6/2022**

**5.1 Correspondence of note**

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| **General correspondence** | |
| **1.7** | HS2 PHASE 2b WESTERN LEG - HYBRID BILL 2nd READING |
| **6.7** | Outcome of Community Governance - NO CHANGE |
| **8.7** | ChALC Weekly Bulletin |
| **19.7** | 22/2715M LAND OFF BEGGARMANS LANE, KNUTSFORD |
| **19.7** | Booths Bridge, Cheadle Lane |
| **4.8** | Sent --Plumley Toft and Bexton Parish Council Petition HS2 |

**5.2. Road Traffic accidents and near misses (to be advised at the meeting)**

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| **Date** | **RTA/ Near miss** | **Location** | **B Lights y/n**  **Incident ref** |
| **31.7** | RTA | two-vehicle road traffic collision. Patrols and breakdown recovery attended |  |

**6 Financial Payments**

**6.1 to approve payments and balances**

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| **COMMUNITY ACCOUNT** | |  |
| **Balance Bfwd** | | 23,212.90 |
| **Receipts – 2nd part of precept CEC** | | 8809.00 |
| **Available balance** | | 32021.90 |
| **Chq Ref** | **Payee** |  |
|  | D McGifford – clerk salary | 547.66 |
|  | D McGifford Website | 48.33 |
|  | D McGifford Expenses | 82.76 |
|  | HMRC PAYE | 431.55 |
|  | Plumley Methodist church | 35.00 |
|  | Chalc | 234.72 |
|  | **Total** | 1380.02 |
|  | **Balance carried forward** | **30641.88** |

**6.2 Business Account –Council Earmarked Reserves**

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Historic Reserves | £ Current |  |
| Station Project | 367.67 |  |
| Station project | 6.50 |  |
| Playing Field provision | 3550.00 |  |
| Reserves not allocated | 2263.59 |  |
| Speed Reduction reserve | 0 |  |
| Housing needs survey reserve | 0 |  |
| Interest received |  |  |
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| **General reserve required – 3 months of annual budget** | 4,000 |  |
| **Election reserve (figure to be confirmed CEC)** | TBC |  |
| Total Reserves Held | 10189.98 |  |

14.9.22 Highways log

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| Date | Issue | Person | Action |
| **22.2.2020** | No footway leading to the Golden Pheasant | JW | £200 allocated to provide design / specification |
| 6.11.19 | Plumley Station Ticket Machine Health and Safety Concerns |  | **To be picked up again - working group not adopted June 2022** |
| 2.9.19 | Speed reduction scheme | SJ | Agreed £5k pa “in principle”to become a potential pilot for average speed camera scheme.  Pilot scheme approved for Plumley subject to tendering process |
| Nov 21 | Replacement Road sign Ascol Drive | RR | Reported 29.11.2021 – no longer on system |
| Aug 22 | Pinfold Lane / PMR |  | Potholes still shown as outstanding |
| Aug 22 | Back Lane | DN | Dangerous road near bridge – stated as concluded |

**Footpath applications**

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| **Ranking** | **Ref No.** | **Description of Application** |
| **1** | MA/5/245 | Addition of Footpaths at Plumley Lime Beds linking with FP15, Plumley |
| **14** | MA/5/256 | Addition of a Footpath from Toft FP6, Toft Church to Toft FP4, Windmill Wood, Toft |
| **20** | MA/5/259 | Addition of Footpaths, Bexton Lane to Bexton FP1, Bexton |
| **32** | MA/5/257 | Addition of a FP/BR from Beggarman's Lane to FP2 Bexton, Parishes of Knutsford, Toft and Bexton |