## WERRINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 9th January 2017 at 7.00pm

Present: Mr David Bennett (Chairman) Mrs Ann Dennis (Parish Clerk)

Parish Councillors –Mr John Dennis, Mrs Jacqui Walters, Mr Philip Ellacott, Mrs Helen Price, Mr Edward Bailey.

Ward Councillor Mr A. Paynter (arrived part way through the meeting).

Apologies Cllr. Peter Hawke,

17/01 Minutes of previous meeting 12<sup>th</sup> December 2016 These were approved and signed after the clerk brought to the meetings attention the omission of the apologies from the Ward Councillor Mr Adam Paynter.

17/02 **Matters arising** – Highways had been contacted regarding the road marking at the bridge at Yeolmbridge. No response had been received as yet.

17/03 Declarations of interest None declared

17/04 Public Participation – None present at the meeting.

17/05 **Neighbourhood Plan** The clerk reported that the group were due to meet with Emma Ball from Cornwall Council on the 18<sup>th</sup> January. The meeting was to go through all documentation so far.

17/06 CRHA Communication had been received from Peter Moore (CRHA). As new funding was now available for housing and having been involved with the steering group for the Neighbourhood Plan, he wished to come to discuss the situation with the Parish Council. It was agreed to invite him to either the February or March meeting. The discussion would take place before the main meeting.

17/07 Mowers Cllr. Dennis suggested that as volunteers now mow the green in Yeolmbridge it might be advisable that the council think about either buying a new mower for the new season or refurbishing the old one. All the councillors were in favour of getting prices for a new mower. Research as to prices and where to purchase the mower was to been done by Cllr. Dennis ready for the next meeting.

17/08 **Report on Planning Meeting** (Dec. 15<sup>th</sup>) attended by Cllr. Price. An interesting meeting with much discussion of the way the Cornwall Local Plan affects neighbourhood plans. Full report to be handed to clerk.

17/09 Report on Network Meeting (Dec15th) attended by Cllr. Dennis. Notes for this meeting have already been sent to the councillors. In addition Cllr. Dennis reported that Cllr. N. Burden had impressed the need that the Launceston Hospital must be kept open, and also that in regard to policing, no further cuts to police numbers were to be made.

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17/10 Finance - The cheque was agreed and signed.

a) cheque to Mrs A. Dennis (clerk) £260 for 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter salary

- Current Balance £4729.12

17/11 Correspondence – emails had been forwarded to councillors

HOPPS 6/2/17.

17/12 Next meeting Monday February 6th 2017.

AOB - Mr J. Stanbury had seen the chairman and asked if the Parish Council knew anything about a replacement post box in Ladycross as the previous one had been removed after the crash in to the barn wall where it was, in November. The clerk was asked to find out.

As there was bad weather reported to be happening in the next week It was requested that there should be a salt check on all bins.

Local Maintenance Partnership funding was discussed (pathways). Information was handed to the chairman who was going to review it and come back to the following meeting with his thoughts.

Meeting closed at 7:43pm.