

**HOPE MANSELL PARISH COUNCIL**

**Minutes of MEETING OF THE PARISH  
COUNCIL**

**Bailey Lane End  
7pm on TUESDAY 20<sup>th</sup> January  
2022 -**

In attendance: I.Lewis, M.Wheeler, G.Phelps, S. Heath, D.Tobin L.New, Clerk

- 1 Apologies for absence -**
  - a. Cllr Jones -
  - b. Cllr Hibberd didn't attend ( no apology)
  
- 2 Declarations of interest and written requests for dispensations – none**
  
- 3 Open Forum – no members of public present**
  
- 4 Community Police – Clare Denton – unable to attend owing to change of date**
  
- 5 Minutes of last meeting – All Approved**
  
- 6 Roads:**
  - Grit – Parishioners are reminded that there is a tonne of Grit at Davies' Farm in Hope Mansell. This is in addition to the Yellow Bins. Councillors are requested that they check the yellow bins local to them and report to the Clerk.**
  - Culvert – Parkfields. Still being chased.**
  - Pot holes & state of roads have been all reported**
  - Rose Cottage – Drainage. Cllr Phelps advised that Balfour Beatty have marked the road .**
  - Church sign -chasing BB as to whether HMPC are allowed to put the sign up.**
  
- 7 Report from Footpath Officer**
  - a. Byway sign Kiln Lane. Reported to Balfour Beatty
  - b. Dog Gates amended in Jones' fields.Council gave thanks to The Jones Family and Jon Wheeler who fitted the gate.
  - c. Thanks to Cllr Phelps for Cutting Herberts walk holly back.
  
- 8 Update on TRO Bailey Lane End / SID There is an extra £233 to pay. A vote was called upon. 2 voted for , 1 against and 2 abstain.VAT can be reclaimed. And is £46.60**
  
- 9 The Cutting.Issue regarding the Barriers.Clerk to write to the Drybook Council.**
  
- 10 Review Councils Finances**
  - a. Precept – kept the same
  - b. Accounts
  - c. Citizens advice request. Request for funding.£100 All approved.
  
- 11 Freedom of Information request. Responded to.**
  
- 12 Notice Boards – BLE update Q re council contribution. Clerk to review**
  
- 13 Wilder Herefordshire – noted**
  
- 14 Litter Picking – Thank you to MaryMayhew & Richard Cook. CLlr Lewis has the bags**
  
- 15 Gigaclear and VOIP . BT have a plan to switch of POTS ( plain old Telephone system ) and**

move to Digital Phones. There is an article in the next Weston News. The residents of Newtown have had a meeting with representatives of Fastershire.

**16 COVID 19**

- a. Volunteers
- b. Local Cases – Ross 87 776 per 100,000

**17 To Raise matters for next meeting.**

**18 Village Hall Committee is organising Jubilee celebrations . Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> June. Hog Roast, Music . Ticketed event £20 adult £10 Children. Kate afternoon / Evening. Bonfire at 9:45**

**BLE will have an afternoon event on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup>. Followed by Hymns.  
BLE Fete 2<sup>nd</sup> July .**

**19 To note date of next meeting –Tuesday March 8<sup>th</sup> Hope Mansell**

**Meeting closed 8:05**

Accepted and approved 22 March 2022

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