

HOPE MANSELL PARISH COUNCIL
MINUTES OF
MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL at BAILEY LANE END
7pm on WEDNESDAY 3rd July 2019

Attendance: Ian Lewis, G Phelps, S Anderson, M Wheeler
Clerk : Liz New

- 1 Apologies for absence –
 - Received from Cllr R Margrett and Cllr S Heath
 - Resignation of Cllr R Margrett received and a vote taken on the new chair and Vice Chair
 - Cllr M Wheeler voted for Cllr I Lewis as Chair, seconded by Cllr G Phelps
 - Cllr G Phelps voted for Cllr S Anderson as Vice, seconded Cllr Ian Lewis

- 2 Declarations of interest and written requests for dispensations
 - Cllr M Wheeler declared an interest in the churchyard

- 3 Open Forum
 - i. Cllr William Wilding (Country Councillor) attended –Penyard ward Weston , Linton, Lea , Hope Mansel and Aston Ingham.. Ian Lewis asked what he will offer the Parish as the next tier of government
William.wilding@herefordshire.gov.uk Correspondence is welcome. Confirmed spent the first month training .Hopes to come to every third meeting & will arrange a Parish council summit.The Three parties on the council are IOC (Its our county party) and Hereford independent and Green party all work together .Salary is £7,680 a year + expenses to Hereford meetings if summoned. Its a massive shift in the council.
Cllr Phelps asked his position on Herefordshire on Herefordshire bypass – Cllr Wilding is against.
G Phelps complained re hedges as the cutting is not done correctly. Cllr Wilding to review the matter

Nigel Mummery raised 2 queries

Hom Ruff – HMPC were asking the Forestry to clear the Trees overhanging the lane. Believes it's the landowners responsibility and has asked the council to check

Implementation of Standing orders – Query regarding only questions re change of info on current matters. All agreed Wording to be reviewed.

- 4 Minutes of last meeting –RESOLVED to adopt minutes of previous meeting as a true and accurate record, other than spelling.

- 5 Roads - SID & loan from Weston Under Penyard. . Awaiting response from Weston regarding availability and cost.. Re speeding – Cllr Anderson pointed out there is data collected nationally regarding they do work

- 6 To discuss purpose of Council – Cllr Ian Lewis. – Cllr reviewed a paper prepared by I Lewis. Regarding a proposed questionnaire. All agreed .All Approved the £25 cost and it will go into September Weston News.

- 7 To PROPOSE HMPC planning policy - All Approved the planning policy , which is in Addition to the current planning statement

- 8 Update on the Churchyard - no update, other than planning permission has been applied for
- 9 Report from Footpath Officer - Was Cllr Ray Margrett , Cllr M Wheeler volunteered. Clerk agreed to get the footpath maps from the previous Footpath officer.

- 10 Update on TRO Bailey Lane End – No update from Cllr Heath
- 11 Update on TPO Dancing Green – No update as yet.. Clerk to look @ Ross Gazette from 1978 to present day
- 12 To review councils Accounts. Chairman approved the council's accounts and the Bank reconciliation to bank statement was signed
- 13 To Raise matters for next meeting
- 14 Correspondence
 - a. Churchyard complaint
 - b. Defib batteries review

- 15 To note date of next meeting – Date of next meeting 11/9 at Hope Mansell

16. Confidential Closed session to discuss anonymous complaint received

Meeting closed at 20.22