

# **Chislet Parish Council**

## **Minutes of the Meeting of the Parish Council held on 21<sup>st</sup> November 2019 at 7.30 pm at Hersden Community Centre**

**Present** : Cllrs Fee (in the Chair), Chandler, Wilkinson, Higglesden, Prosser, Brant, Rose & Stoward

**In attendance** : Mr. G Eaton, Clerk to the Council and CCC Cllr Carnac

### **1 Apologies for absence**

Apologies were received from Cllr Huckstep and KCC Cllr Marsh

### **2 Declarations of Councillor's Interests in items on the Agenda**

There were no declarations of Cllrs interests in items on the Agenda

### **3 KCC & CCC Cllr reports**

CCC Cllr Carnac updated on various local housing developments and the inadequacy of the road infrastructure. There was a discussion about CCC's consultation on charging for the collection of garden waste and Cllr Carnac was asked to represent the view of the Parish Council and oppose the proposal

### **4 Public discussion**

There were no members of the public present

### **5 Minutes of the last Meeting**

The Minutes of the Meeting held on 17<sup>th</sup> October 2019 were agreed and signed

### **6 Matters arising**

Email from EA re Shelvingford Stream Bridge – the Parish Council's claim was being finalised and requesting a copy of the estimate. The Clerk was asked to supply this

**Clerk**

## **7 To discuss correspondence received**

Kent Voice magazine

Email re CCC Local Plan

Email re Parish Council websites

Email re payment of £271 to Hersden PC

Email re 'Purdah'

Email from Rev R Braddy re electrical and other repairs to the Chislet Centre and St Mary's Church setting out anticipated costs of the various phases of the works required. It was agreed that the Parish Council would make a donation towards the replacement boiler on receipt of relevant quotes

**Clerk**

## **8 To consider Planning and Enforcement matters**

### New Planning Applications

**19/02103** – 2 storey dwelling with associated parking  
Land rear of 8 The Glen Upstreet

It was agreed to unanimously object to this application – back fill development, overlooking of neighbours and poor access

**Clerk**

### Decided Applications

There were no decided planning applications to note

## **9 Chislet School**

There was discussion about the works taking place at the School to build a large shed as they have run out of space. It was noted that funding was required to furnish the new room and for external landscaping. Cllr Prosser undertook to provide some quotes to the Parish Council

**Cllr Prosser**

## **10 To consider Finance matters**

The following accounts were approved for payment

	£	
Cheque No 1211 G Eaton, Clerk's salary & expenses	372.93	
Cheque No 1209 Inland Revenue, Clerk's tax	79.20	
Cheque No 1210 Harmer & Sons, grass cutting	570.00	incl. VAT of £95.00
Cheque No 1212 S Huckstep, litter picking	287.35	
Cheque No 1213 Hersden PC, contribution	271.00	
Cheque No 1214 Re Dec 80, bridge repairs	2200.00	

Precept requirement 2020 - 2021

The previously circulated draft Budget and Precept figures for 2020 – 2021 were discussed. It was agreed to increase the Precept to £11000 for 2020 – 2021. Clerk to advise CCC

**Clerk**

**11 Any Other Business**

After a brief discussion it was agreed to buy William Hawkins some wine for Christmas as a thank you for the excellent work he was doing with the website. Cllr Wilkinson kindly offered to organise this and Clerk to invite William to the December Meeting

**Cllr Wilkinson/Clerk**

**12 Date of next meeting**

It was agreed that the next Parish Council Meeting would be held on **Monday 9<sup>th</sup> December 2019 at 7.30 pm at Hersden Community Centre**

There being no other business the meeting closed at 8.45 pm