

CHILTHORNE DOMER PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON THURSDAY 5 JULY 2018 IN THE VILLAGE HALL

PRESENT:

Mr P Rowsell, Chairman	Mr H Tasker
Mr N Preston	Mr K Woodman
Mr M Batstone	Mrs J Ferguson

Miss E Meecham (Clerk)

1 Member of the Public

There were no items raised in the open session.

AGENDA

- 52. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE** – Apologies were received from Cllr J Williams and Cllr J Roundell Greene.
- 53. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST** – None declared.
- 54. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING** – The minutes of the previous meeting were unanimously declared a true and accurate record of the meeting.
- 34. COUNTY COUNCILLOR’S REPORT** – Cllr Williams supplied a written report to the Councillors.
- 35. DISTRICT COUNCILLOR’S REPORT** – Cllr Roundell Greene supplied a written report to the Council that was delivered by Mr Rowsell.
- 36. CO-OPTION OF COUNCILLOR** – No interested members of the public.
- 37. COMMUNITY SAFETY & POLICE MATTERS** – The clerk gave the statistics as provided by Avon and Somerset Police.
- 38. VILLAGE HALL REPRESENTATIVE** – Mr Preston agreed to be the Parish Council representative on the Village Hall committee.
- 39. FINANCIAL MATTERS AND ACCOUNTS**
- a) Receipts: - None
 - b) Payments: Clerks Salary, HMRC. – Agreed unanimously.
 - c) Grant requests: - None received.
- 40. PLANNING MATTERS**
- Applications:** - None
- Decisions:** - None
- Enforcement:** - None
- 41. CLERKS REPORT & CORRESPONDENCE** – The clerk informed the council of the details for the arrangements for November 11th this year and the changes to the methods and times to contact the planning department at South Somerset District Council. The Council agreed that the changes to SSDC contact methods and times was not good enough and did not represent good customer service. The clerk was instructed to write a letter to this effect.
- 42. HIGHWAY MATTERS** – The issue of the hedge obscuring the speed limit signs on Chilthorne Hill. The issue of the hedges and nettles causing road safety issues on Kings Hill were also discussed. The clerk was instructed to write to Somerset County council on these issues. The meeting also discussed the kerb that has not been dropped for access to a property on Main Street. The clerk was instructed to write to the home owner informing them of the requirement to drop the kerb and obtain the necessary licences and/or planning permission. Mr Rowsell informed the meeting that there had been three accidents on the A37 through Chilthorne Domer this month, one of which required the air ambulance.
- 43. VILLAGE HALL** – Nothing to report at this time due to no representative.
- 44. RECREATION GROUND** – There is nothing further to report at this time as no approach has been received from SSDC.
- 45. RECREATION TRUST** – The repairs following the flooding have not been completed, partially as there had been concerns regarding the possible presence of asbestos, testing has confirmed that there is no asbestos present.
- 46. ANY OTHER URGENT MATTERS RAISED BY PERMISSION OF THE CHAIRMAN** – None.
- 47. There being no further business the meeting closed at 8.10pm**
- 48. DATE AND TIME OF MEETINGS – 7.30pm, 6 September 2018** – The Council unanimously agreed that unless an urgent matter required a meeting in August the next meeting would be in September.