Chilthorne Domer Parish Council Chair's Report 2020-21

Covid Pandemic has not allowed face to face meetings throughout 2020/21 but we have managed to hold our monthly meetings virtually online via Zoom, all thanks to Emma Meecham and Adam Scott who got us up and running.

#### Finance

The council's finances remain sound. There has been no need for increase in the Parish precept. Thank you to Emma Meecham and all councillors concerned in managing the finances during the past year. Our accounts and all other financial information are available to view on the parish website.

## **Highways**

The small improvement scheme on Tintinhull road has been implemented, including a new bus shelter and 20mph speed limit at school times. Thanks to Emma Meecham and the councillors involved, mainly funded by County.

### **Planning**

The reorganisation of SSDC continues to adversely effect the ability to process planning applications. We continue to process applications as efficiently as we can.

# Recreational ground

The recreation ground although closed during the pandemic the trustees still carried on with their hard work to maintain this. Now open again with restrictions. Special thanks to Tim Brandt for all his hard work to secure funding for the solar panels.

## Village Hall

Whilst this remained closed during the pandemic we give special thanks to Tim Brandt for trying to secure funding for solar panels but unfortunately he was not successful on this occasion.

### Allotments

Thanks to Adam Scott for all his efforts for the community allotments.

Special thank you to Emma Meecham and my fellow councillors for all their help throughout what has been a tough year in many ways.

Kevin Woodman Chair Chilthorne Domer April 2021