

Swimbridge Parish Council

MEETING OF SWIMBRIDGE PARISH COUNCIL TUESDAY 11th JUNE 2019 at 7.30 PM SWIMBRIDGE JUBILEE HALL PRESS AND PUBLIC WELCOME **MINUTES**

Public Session

Guest Speakers

Cllr Luggar reported that the new contract for Dog Bin Waste should commence on 1st July.

2019.43 Apologies and attendance – apologies received from Cllrs Morrish and Haworth-Booth and County Cllr Edgell. All other Cllrs in attendance

Declarations of Interest - none 2019.44

2019.45 Minutes of previous meeting – these were agreed and signed

2019.46 Correspondence

Kelly Stanley – Code of Conduct training – passed to Cllrs. After looking through the powerpoint, some Cllrs made amendments to their Register of Interests. Devon Communities Together – Rural Futures Conference - noted

Highways – A361 road closures - noted

Andy Cole - Dog Bin contract -

Section 106 – open space funding – Expression of Interest – to be completed and returned. Passed to Cllr Wadsworth for action. **ACTION CW**

Dave Rayner – Site for Textile recycling Bank – After discussion it was agreed that there is no space available for this project.

2019.47 **Committee Reports**

1. Plannina

66764 – extension at Morfield, Swimbridge

2. Finance

Acceptance of accounts for 2018/19

Certificate of Exemption

It was agreed that the accounts be accepted and sent to the auditor.

3. Community Engagement/Glebe Field

There was a discussion about grass cutting – whether it would be better to negotiate a new contract or purchase equipment for use by councillors/volunteers. Advice will be sought re working with volunteers. There is to be a meeting to look at 5 schemes that have been offered for the development of the play area - these are not necessarily the only options, and this meeting will look at whether to go with one of these schemes, or to try other options.

Dog walking area: work is still to be completed on the BBQ area/ammunition

Formal thanks were given to Cllr Lane for his assistance with moving the rubbish from the site.

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2019.48 Payments for approval:

Clerks Salary £160.72 - agreed

2019.49 Matters for further discussion

Cllr Dodd reported that SWW have looked at the drains at the Nursing Home to determine if there is a problem which is causing the smell. They opened the drains and concluded that all the works done were compliant with planning and building regs, and that the licence was OK. Environmental Health will monitor.

