

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF BUTLEIGH PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON TUESDAY 6th December 2022 IN THE CHURCH ROOM, BUTLEIGH.

PARISH COUNCILLORS PRESENT : T Willmott (Chairman). K Otton, A Coleman.

OTHERS PRESENT : M Acland- Hood. K Maddock MDC

APOLOGIES: None

VISITING COUNCILLORS REPORTS: Clare Sully Somerset Council, Alex Wiltshire Somerset Council – circulated.

K Maddock MDC: - Fishwell Lane junction with Wood Lane- culvert dangerous as stone slabs are missing. Clerk to report.

SID in Butleigh Wootton- problem with the batteries not lasting 2 weeks, only 3 days. Baltonsborough PC are looking to improve by purchasing a bigger battery.

Flooding at Back Lane, Butleigh Wootton. Order to be placed with the sub contractor.

Unauthorised 27 vehicles in Watchwell Drove. Abandoned vehicles will be removed before Christmas. Mendip DC intend to apply for a PSPO for the BA6 8 area.

STATEMENT OF DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST : The Chairman reminded Councillors of the need to make and to have recorded any Declarations of Interest made in accordance with the Local Authorities Model Code of Conduct Order adopted on 7th August 2012. (Based on District/ County Model) (Chapter 7 of the Localism Act 2011).

URGENT BUSINESS : None

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 1st November 2022, having been circulated, were signed as a true and correct record. Proposed T Willmott, seconded A Coleman, all in favour. Minutes to be posted on the Village Website.

MATTERS ARISING : None

PLANNING

Decisions by MDC:

2022/1909/TCA	Works to trees in Conservation Area Approved	New Court, Water Lane.
2022/2017/TCA	Works to trees in Conservation Area Approved	Court Lodge, Butleigh Court Access Track

HIGHWAYS: Flooding in Back Lane, Butleigh Wootton in hand with County Highways. Request to add a finger post sign at the top of Butleigh Wootton with junction with Reynalds Way.

Request to extend the 20mph speed limit in High Street to junction with Sub Road.

FINANCE : CURRENT AC

BR AC

BALANCE	£ 7132.79	BALANCE	£ 5649.82
- WC Stone Masons	£ 1584.00		
	£ 5548.79	Balance	£ 5649.82

Proposed T Willmott , seconded A Coleman , all in favour.

FINANCIAL APPROVALS : Resolutions to approve the following expenditure :
Glasdon £1065.60 – Purchase of dog bins. Brisco Signs £82.53- purchase of sign and post accessories. Somerset Garden Services and Maintenance Ltd £400 Street Sweeping, £150 Village Green Maintenance. Total £550
Butleigh PCC Church Room Account – Rent £ 144.00

Proposed A Coleman , seconded K Otton. All in favour

DOG BINS – 3 delivered and ready to be installed. Sites still to be agreed with Mendip’s contractor.

TELECOM MAST - proposed upgrade requirement within current demise.
Circulated to Councillors and BPFA- noted.

CORRESPONDENCE: Somerset Emergency Contact – A Coleman

LEAD COUNCILLOR’S REPORTS: A Coleman - Rose and Portcullis- Has been boarded up. Owners intend to negotiate a lease as a public house. The Parish Council note our continued concern.

MATTERS OF REPORT (Items for the next meeting)

The meeting closed at 8.05 p.m.

The next meeting 7th February 2022.

Chairman
7th February 2022.