

DOBWALLS PARISH COUNCIL

**Minutes of the Meeting of Dobwalls Parish Council held at Dobwalls Football Club,
Duloe Road, Dobwalls, on Wednesday 15th December 2021, commencing at 6.15pm**

Present: Councillors J Dunn (Chairman), T Kitto (Vice Chair), S Jackson, M Taylor, B Clark, M Ball and M Exall

In Attendance: L Coles (Parish Clerk), Cllr J Pascoe, Cornwall Councillor.

There were no members of the public present

Item No		Action By
1	Apologies. Apologies received from Cllr A Tween.	
2	Declarations of Interest. a) Agenda Items. None declared b) Gifts. None declared	
3	Consideration of written requests for dispensation. None received.	
4	Unitary Councillor's Report. Cllr Pascoe reported that the Cabinet has decided following further negotiations that they will operate the Leisure Centre at Saltash. It is looking likely that the Council Tax will increase by 2.99%. A plan has been launched to work towards providing homes for the homeless. The transaction fee on telephone and APP parking in Liskeard is being looked at. Cllr Pascoe thanked the Parish Council for its support this year.	
5	Public Participation. None.	
6	Planning a) Planning applications received before the agenda was finalised: None. b) Planning applications received after the agenda was published: None. c) Planning decisions notified by Cornwall Council: PA21/09471, 1 Higman Close, Dobwalls, PL14 4LW - Proposed extension – Approved. d) Other Planning Matters. i. PA20/11531, Waste Transfer Station at Connon Bridge, East Taphouse, Liskeard, Cornwall, PL14 4NP. It was reported that this application will be heard at Strategic Committee tomorrow, 16 th December and Cllr Pascoe will be attending and speaking in objection to the proposal.	
7	Minutes of the Meeting held on Wednesday 17th November 2021. It was RESOLVED that the Minutes are a true record of that meeting, proposed by Cllr Clark, seconded by Cllr Kitto with all in favour who had been present at that meeting	
8	Matters arising from the above Minutes. Cllr Dunn gave an update on the Open Space Project – the purchase of the land was finally completed last Friday afternoon. Cllr Dunn has had a meeting with the Forestry people, who have been and staked out the land and will start planting the trees tomorrow. Photos will be taken of the field before and after to provide a picture record of the project. Aerial photos will be done by drone by Cllr Clark. The Darley Oak has shed its leaves but no Landmark Tree has been received. The Clerk will look into this. The DO needs to be planted in the Community Space as well and the Clerk will liaise with the Forestry people.	Clerk

	It is hoped to have an official opening of the Community Space in late Spring/early Summer. The Clerk will advertise the completion of the purchase on the Parish Council website.	Clerk
16	Correspondence. a) Increase to Tamar Bridge Tolls. It is proposed that the toll increases by 30% to cover a shortfall. This is ongoing and Cllr Pascoe continues to fight against it.	
17	Finance a) Payments It was RESOLVED to make the online payments for November, proposed by Cllr Taylor, seconded by Cllr Jackson with all in favour: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Online – L Coles, Clerk’s November salary, office and expenses • Online – HMRC, Employer’s NIC November • Online – Crystal Clear Ltd, CCC2234 - £50.00 • Online – A2Z Printing (L Coles), printing of the Villager - £345.55 • Online – Stephens Scown, Completion of the purchase of the fields with S106 money, , including solicitor’s fees - £112,257.25 • Online – S Jackson, purchase of maps for planning - £125.98 Receipts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cornwall Council, SLA Grass Cutting Agreement 2021/22 - £3,982.50 • Advertisers in the Magazine - £387.50 • Lewannick Parish Council, reimbursement for 1/3 of Clerk’s SLCC Membership fee and training - £85.00 b) Bank Reconciliations. Circulated to Members. It was RESOLVED to approve the bank reconciliations for November as correct, proposed by Cllr Jackson, seconded by Cllr Ball with all in favour. c) Grant request from Dobwalls Memorial Hall. Following deliberation it was RESOLVED that £5000 will be awarded towards the remedial costs of the suspended ceiling. Proposed by Cllr Taylor, seconded by Cllr Exall with all in favour.	
18	Any Other Business. Cllr Jackson suggested that the supporting documents are looked at ahead of the NDP meeting next week, in particular duplication.	
19	Items for the next Agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None brought forward 	
20	Date of next meeting. The next meeting of Dobwalls Parish Council will be held on Wednesday 19 th January 2022 at 6.30pm at Dobwalls Football Club, Duloe Road, Dobwalls.	

There being no further business to transact the Chairman closed the meeting at 7.10 pm.

Signed.....Chairman

Dated.....

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