

C&E.5 UPDATE FROM COMMUNITY LINK OFFICER (CORNWALL COUNCIL)

An email was read out from the Community Link Officer, imparting the following information:

Community Land Trust – Positive discussions are under way with Cornwall Council regarding the former Ambulance Station and the Land Trust to develop the space in a way that will benefit local people.

Fish Van – Contact has been made with the Harbour Officer and permission has been given to Cornish Catch to operate on Smeaton's Pier.

Nut Lane – No permission to reverse the flow of traffic along Griggs Quay and Highways will be monitoring the situation during the peak season.

Coastal Communities Team – Work is going on in the background to secure the purchase of the building and to get other associated projects up and running.

Blue flags have been awarded to both Porthminster and Porthmeor beaches.

C&E.6 DECLARATIONS OF COUNCILLOR / OFFICER INTERESTS

None

C&E.7 TOWN CLERKS UPDATE REPORT

The report was circulated. It was noted that a meeting was still to be arranged regarding the problem of A frames and that the issue needs to be resolved

C&E.8 UPDATE REPORT FROM ST IVES COMMUNITY LAND TRUST

No update available.

C&E.9 FISH VAN SMEATON'S PIER

There have been complaints regarding the siting of this van and the noise from the generator. Residents have been concerned that the Harbour Master's view of the pier is obstructed and that if this van is allowed then how many others could follow.

RESOLVED – to have a meeting with the ward member before a meeting with the Harbour Officer to show a united front and to discuss the concerns that were voiced in this meeting.

C&E.10 NUT LANE A3074 ROAD CHANGES

Members were provided with an update from the Service Director of Transport and Infrastructure at Cornwall Council, explaining that Highways England had safety concerns at the proposed reversal of the flow of traffic at this location and so the halting of works pending resolution of the safety issues. A letter from a local resident was also considered.

Following discussion, it was

RESOLVED – that nothing can be done until Highways have reviewed the situation over the peak period.

C&E.11 COMMONS APPLICATION 2939 – Land at Worvas

In response to a consultation on a Commons Application, it was

RESOLVED – to advise Cornwall Council that the town council can provide no evidence of the status of the land.

C&E.12 COASTAL COMMUNITY TEAM - Update

The only update at this stage is that the Work Station project has received confirmation of funding from the DCLG. A CIC (Community Interest Company) is to be set up to be responsible for this project. Cornwall Council are the accountable body for the financial element. It is intended that the CCT will continue to meet to consider other ongoing matters which will benefit from input/over by a number of community organisations.

RESOLVED to note the update

C&E.13 FUN RUN -Review of 2017 and considerations for 2018

Members considered a report in which the Town Clerk set out concerns in relation to the need to increase safety measures for the fun run in future years. For the 2017 event, there had been insufficient staff and volunteer cover and so other members of staff had been drafted in to help, a situation which would not be sustainable should the event continue.

The committee was asked to consider:

- i. A risk assessment on the route with potential for either a road closure, or to change the route.
- ii. Significantly increase the number of marshals to cover at least all junctions.
- iii. To justify the number of marshals and arrangements, the council should ensure that there are a decent number of participants and so to consider working jointly with local sports club(s)/schools etc.

During discussion, it was the view of the committee that the fun run had again been very successful and that the only problem was the lack of marshals.

RESOLVED – that

- 1) the St Ives Surf Lifesaving Club be approached with a request for marshals for the 2018 fun run

- 2) the route of the fun run to continue as in previous years
- 3) the 2018 fun run will be advertised well in advance, with the Admin Support Officer asked to contact the St Ives Local to place an advert for the 2018 event.

C&E.14 **GARDEN COMPETITION**

Councillor Williams reported on the arrangements for the garden competition in 2018. The Committee considered the purpose and merits of the competition, noting that it promoted community involvement and civic pride. The number of entrants had fallen in recent years and so there was discussion around whether the competition was still relevant, and consideration of the staff resources involved in organising it.

RESOLVED – that the garden competition continue in future years, supported by the Support Services Team, and that advertising of the event be increased to encourage more entrants.

C&E.15 **FINANCE REPORT**

The monthly financial report was circulated prior to the meeting.

RESOLVED to note the report.

C&E.16 **PALEMON BEST RECREATION GROUND - Update**

A report from the Facilities Manager had been circulated prior to the meeting. The report set out the work underway to bring about improvements to the recreation ground. Meetings with the Orchard Group and skaters continued, with the aim of replacing the skate park with a state-of-the-art concrete facility. This was likely to be a major community-led project and so a full report and presentation would be made to the Trustees in the coming months. Members were also advised of works to tackle vandalism and to maintain the equipment and the surrounding areas.

During discussion it was stated that a safety crossing would help ensure safe access to the recreation ground. Councillor Andrewes advised that there were new parking restrictions to be brought into force in that area, following which the potential for a crossing could be considered.

RESOLVED - to note the report

C&E.17 **REPORTS FOR INFORMATION**

None

C&E.18 **CORRESPONDENCE**

The correspondence circulated prior to the meeting was noted.

C&E.19 EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

RESOLVED – that in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admissions to Meeting) Act 1960 (as extended by s.100 of the Local Government Act 1972), the press and public be excluded from the meeting during the consideration of the following matter on the grounds that, it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 by virtue of the paragraph specified against the item.

C&E.20 CONFIDENTIAL REPORTS FOR DECISION

None

C&E.21 AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING

- Three-year financial plan

Meeting closed at 8.26 pm

Chairman