

Minutes of the Meeting of the Community and Environment Committee held in the Committee Room, The Guildhall, St Ives on Thursday 12 January 2017 at 7.00 pm

PRESENT

Chairman – Councillor T Williams

COUNCILLORS

Andrewes T	Parsons A
Armstrong M	Tulley R
Garrod H	Prior P

OFFICERS

Support Services Manager  
Admin Support Officer

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE – were received from Mitchell A, Nicholls C, Lait R, Taylor L.

C&E.248 MINUTES

RESOLVED – that the minutes of the meeting of the Community and Environment Committee held on 27<sup>th</sup> October 2016

C&E.249 PUBLIC SPEAKING

Rowenna Swallow and the Community Link Officer attended the meeting regarding Minute C&E.253 and gave a brief overview on the Coastal Community Team's initiative to boost the local economy to create all-year- round jobs and were looking for support from the Council.

C&E.250 UPDATE FROM COMMUNITY LINK OFFICER (CORNWALL COUNCIL)

The CLO reported on the Belyars Bowling Club and because they had taken over more of the control of the club from Penwith they will probably seek grant funding in the future. The Porthmeor Beach Group have been levelling the sand.

C&E.251 DECLARATIONS OF COUNCILLOR / OFFICER INTERESTS

None.

C&E.252 TOWN CLERKS UPDATE REPORT

Report was circulated and noted.

C&E.253 UPDATE ON COASTAL COMMUNITIES TEAM AND WORKSTATION PROJECT

The Coastal Communities team was set up in response to a Government initiative to look at diversifying the local economy and to boost all year-round jobs. The team have submitted a bid to fund workstations so that people hoping to start up a business in the town have a facility to work from. The Coastal Communities team are hoping to recruit directors for the project and

would welcome any interest from Councillors

**RECOMMENDED** that Council supports the principle of the scheme.

C&E.254 PALEMON BEST OPEN DAY AND FUNDRAISING EVENT

A fundraising day will be held in the Concert Hall on February 12<sup>th</sup> for the potential new Skate Park with competitions and other events planned for the day to kick start the funding. The fundraising is being led by the St Ives Community Orchard group supported by the Town Council.

**RESOLVED** that event be supported

C&E.255 STREET WEEDING (2017)

The Town Clerk will be visiting Falmouth to look at the methods used there for weeding and to report back to this Committee.

The update was noted

C&E.256 A FRAMES AND SIGNAGE IN THE WHARF ROAD AREA

It was suggested that a meeting be set up with Businesses along Wharf Road on either Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> February or the 9<sup>th</sup> in the Salvation Army Hall and to invite Cornwall Council Planning and Highways to discuss what businesses can and cannot do in the way of A frames and signage.

Councillor Andrewes gave an undertaking to arrange this meeting

C&E.257 UPDATE FROM THE MEETING ON THE 8<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER WITH ANDY BRIGDEN & STEVE BASSETT REGARDING ST IVES HARBOUR

The Harbour Master is monitoring the slipway to make sure that it doesn't get congested with booths and vehicles. It was agreed by the Harbour Master that West Pier is the best place for the traders and it was suggested that they could be charged to put signs on railings.

**RESOLVED:** that until the new Harbour Board is formed the above will be put on hold.

C&E.258 NEW YEAR'S EVE 2016

It was agreed that this year's fireworks were a great success and the whole evening went ahead without incident.

**RESOLVED** that this report be noted.

C&E.259 FINANCE REPORT

This report was noted

C&E.260 NHS KERNOW CONSULTATION – FUTURE OF NON-EMERGENCY PATIENT TRANSPORT

From October 2018 NHS Kernow will commission one universal non-emergency patient transport service for patients in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly. This will make it easier to make sure the needs of patients are being met:

- by improving the quality of services and ensuring they are better value for money;
- by introducing a single point of access for all types of non-emergency patient transport; and
- by ensuring patients access the right type of transport for their needs

It was noted that this was a significant consultation and so required further consideration

RESOLVED that Councillors will respond individually.

C&E.261 CORNWALL COUNCIL CONSULTATION – CORNWALL COMMUNITY INFRASTRUCTURE LEVY PRELIMINARY DRAFT CHARGING SCHEDULE CONSULTATION

RESOLVED that the Council support the Consultation

C&E.262 REPORTS FOR INFORMATION

- (1) Clearance of Consols Pool

RESOLVED that the report be noted

C&E.263 CORRESPONDENCE

- (1) Great Western Railway – grant application not shortlisted

RESOLVED that this item be noted.

C&E.264 CONFIDENTIAL REPORTS FOR DECISION

none