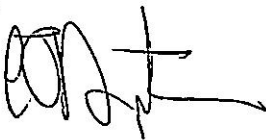


# CHESELBOURNE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

<b>Held on: 02/03/2020 at: 19:00</b>		<b>Location: Cheselbourne Village Hall</b>
<b>Present:</b>	Cllr Colin Hampton (Chairman) Cllr Richard Ashley Cllr Marilyn Smith Cllr Carol Byrom Cllr Chrissie Skinner Cllr Jonathon Pearce	
<b>In attendance:</b>	Mrs Dawn Hampton (Parish Clerk) 2 members of the public	
<p>The Chairman welcomed everyone to the last meeting of the civic year. During the open session a query was raised regarding speeding, which the Chairman said would be discussed later in the meeting. A question was also asked concerning allotments and whether there was any intention to provide them in the village. Cllr Ashley volunteered to look into this.</p>		
<b>083</b>	<u><b>Co-option of Miss Carol Byrom</b></u> <b>RESOLVED</b> to co-opt Miss Carol Byrom to the council.	
<b>084</b>	<u><b>Apologies</b></u> DC Cllr Jill Haynes, Cllr James Shaw-Porter PCSO Ali Donnison.	
<b>085</b>	<u><b>Minutes of Meeting held 6<sup>th</sup> January 2020</b></u> <b>RESOLVED</b> that the Minutes of the meeting be confirmed and signed as a true record.	
<b>086</b>	<u><b>Matters Arising</b></u> The Chairman asked if Cllr Pearce had any feedback from the Speed Watch monitoring officer's visit. Cllr Pearce updated members on the community Speed Watch and the Monitoring Officers observations. It has been agreed that a police speed monitoring van will be positioned in the village on a routine basis in future. Cllr Byrom agreed to take over as Environment Officer for the council, which will include Climate Change.	
<b>087</b>	<u><b>Dorset Councillor's Report</b></u> The Clerk read a report to the meeting from Cllr Haynes, a copy of which appears as Appendix A of the Minute Book.	
<b>088</b>	<u><b>Police Community Support Officer's Report</b></u> The Clerk read a report to the meeting from PCSO Donnison, a copy of which appears as Appendix B of the Minute Book.	
<b>089</b>	<u><b>Parish Councillor's Reports</b></u> Cllr Skinner reported that despite all the rain the stream had not flooded any properties or overflowed in the village. She thanked the Flood Warden team for all their work and everyone who had contributed to maintaining the stream. Cllr Skinner advised the meeting of the Flood Alert system and made members aware that some sandbags had been loaned to Dewlish to assist them in overcoming a short-term problem. Cllr Pearce advised that the criteria for installing an approved Speed Indicator Device (SID) was unlikely to be met. Members considered it unwise to pay Highways £250 to confirm that. Cllr Pearce also reported that he had been advised a 20mph speed limit in the village was impractical and unenforceable and would not be approved by Highways. He enquired about more school signs for the village and it was suggested that signs made by the children might be more effective. Cllr Pearce will contact the Headteacher to discuss the idea. He also made members aware that heavy traffic e.g. large farm vehicles and delivery lorries are not allowed to use the narrow lanes at night. The Chairman advised that he will attend the next Dorset Council workshop on working together with Town & Parish councils unless anyone else wished to go.	
<b>090</b>	<u><b>Correspondence Report</b></u> Was noted. A copy appears as Appendix C of the Minute Book.	
<b>091</b>	<u><b>Planning Applications</b></u> None received.	

092	<p><b><u>Annual Parish Meeting 18<sup>th</sup> May</u></b></p> <p>The Chairman reported that an article had been published in the Village News explaining the format for the meeting and asking for agenda items to be sent to the Clerk by 7<sup>th</sup> May. Some suggestions already under consideration are Allotments, the Stream, Climate Change and Community Speed Watch.</p>
093	<p><b><u>Cheselbourne Stream</u></b></p> <p>The Chairman informed members that following last year's Stream Walk and presentation which was well attended, a number of people had given their contact details to the DWT representative and were willing to be involved in the Stream improvement project. However, due to problems with GDPR this was not followed up and community involvement stalled. Despite this, various agencies involved have continued behind the scenes and reports have been produced. A meeting will be held between the Nicola Hopkins (project leader), Cllrs Hampton and Byrom and Mr Tony Crabb to discuss the way ahead and how community interest can be regenerated.</p>
094	<p><b><u>Meeting Dates</u></b></p> <p>The proposed meeting dates for 2020-21 were agreed for publication, a copy of which appears as Appendix D of the Minute Book.</p>
095	<p><b><u>Purchase of a Laminator</u></b></p> <p>Cllr Pearce kindly offered to donate a laminator to the council, which was gratefully received.</p>
096	<p><b><u>Cheque Schedule</u></b></p> <p>The Clerk presented the March cheque schedule for approval, a copy appears as Appendix E of the Minute Book.</p> <p><b>RESOLVED</b> that the cheque schedule for March totalling £1198.00 be accepted and approved.</p>
097	<p><b><u>Date of the next Meeting</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Annual Parish Meeting 18<sup>th</sup> May 2020 at 7pm.</li> <li>2. Annual Parish Council Meeting 18<sup>th</sup> May on completion of APM.</li> </ol>
	<p>The meeting closed at 19:50</p> <p>Signed: -</p>  <p>Colin Hampton Chairman</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Date: 6<sup>th</sup> June 2020</p>