THE COMPTONS TOLLER AND WYNFORD PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD on THURSDAY 6TH SEPTEMBER 2018 in COMPTON VALENCE VILLAGE HALL.

Meeting started at 7.00pm

Present: Councillors

Roger Simpson - Chairman

Ashley Stewart - Vice Chairman

John Wynford

Jeremy Russell

Adrian Cooper

Ralph Wykes-Sneyd

Members of the Public: None

Clerk: We have no clerk so minutes were taken by the Chairman

MINUTES:

- 1. Chairman Roger Simpson welcomed everyone and explained housekeeping
- 2. Apologies from Charles Sclater and District Councillor Jill Haynes
- 3. No declarations of Interests and Grants of Dispensation
- 4. Minutes of the meeting on 3 May 2018 were approved unanimously
- 5. There were no matters arising
- 6. No report from the County Councillor Keith Day
- 7. Report from Jill Haynes sent with her apology, this has been circulated to all members by email
- 8. No Planning Applications
- 9. Ongoing Issues.
 - 9.1 Vice Chairman AS has the matter of signposts at West Compton in hand and will report to the next meeting with final figures for the expenditure involved.
 - 9.2 Roman Road missing arm to signpost has been resolved
 - 9.3 The issue of a broken signpost at Tollerford is to be followed up by RS by writing to Maiden Newton PC in whose land it stands
 - 9.4 It was felt that we no longer need a Parish Council Website. RS to contact DAPTC for advice on closure.

- 10. RS handed over to AS posters and cards for house delivery in West Compton subject Superfast Broadband in the village
- 11. Working Together. Having been lectured on the subject by a Council Representative and discussed the matter in some detail, including attempting to gather some costs, it was decided to stay with the Status Quo for the time being. We will inform the Council when urgent and safety matters need their attention and identify the locations for them
- 12. Cheques were approved and signed for our previous clerk Ruth Chipp-Marshall (2), DAPTC, and Compton Valence Village Hall
- 13. The lack of a clerk leaves us in a serious position looking ahead, especially so due to the everincreasing load of bureaucratic output from Government, District and County Councils with which we are expected to deal. RWS proposed that RS should write to those concerned in the Council(s) pointing out the difficulties which we are experiencing due to this increasingly untenable situation.
- 14. Items for the next meeting. West Compton Signposts. Position of Clerk. Website situation.

Thursday 15th November 2018.

Meeting closed at 7.55pm

Roger Simpson

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