

Stinsford Parish Council

Record of decisions made under Delegated Powers Monday 17 July 2021

The following decisions were made by the Clerk, following consultation with the Parish Council.

1. Expenditure

The following items of expenditure were approved:

- HMRC (PAYE) (Quarter 1 2021/22) – £120.00
- Clerk's salary and expenses (Quarter 1 2021/22) - £744.39

2. Lower Bockhampton Phone Box – Maintenance and usage

- (i) Volunteers for maintenance (cleaning of windows, sanding down, priming and painting) be sought from local residents; and
- (ii) local residents to be invited to suggest possible uses for the phone box (ideas put forward previously included book exchange, seed swap, noticeboard for such information as wildlife sightings) via existing WhatsApp group and on parish noticeboard in Lower Bockhampton.

3. Stinsford Neighbourhood Plan

No decisions were required by the Steering Group but noted that Groundwork UK had approved the grant for 2021/22.

4. Climate and Ecological Emergency

- (i) A full page in September edition of The Pilot be requested for a poster.
- (ii) Comments be submitted on the draft Strategy document before the next meeting.
- (iii) Mr Clarke to make enquiries about running of a parish walk as a means of kickstarting engagement in the Parish Council's response to the climate and ecological emergency.

5. Road Safety and Traffic Management

- (i) Woodsford Farms to be requested to cut hedges to ensure visibility of road signage.
- (ii) Dorset Council be requested to repair the degradation of the edge of the road and potholes near the entrance to the Dorset Studio School during the school holidays.
- (iii) Bockhampton Cross fingerpost continue to state 'Higher Bockhampton' and not 'Hardy's Cottage' but if Dorset Council or National Trust wish to add a brown sign to the post, this would be acceptable.
- (iv) Emergency repair of the River Path be requested as the path would soon be breached.

6. Future meetings

- (i) The next reserve date confirmed as Monday 9 August 2021.

- (ii) Dates for the remainder of 21/22 be confirmed when room bookings confirmed with Kingston Maurward College.

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Clerk to Stinsford Parish Council