

# **NORTH VALE PARISH COUNCIL**

## **DRAFT MINUTES OF MEETING 497**

**Monday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2016 at 7.30pm**  
**North Cheriton Village Hall**

**Present** – Dave Young (Chairman), David Badham-Thornhill, Gillian Freeman, Hannah Croft, James Lee, Jenny Chambers, Lesley Tyson, Nick Haggett, Richard Biss, Janet Down.

**In attendance** – Elizabeth Persson (Clerk)

**1. Apologies**

None

1.1 It was noted that Lesley Tyson will be standing down as Parish Councillor from the end of March 2016. See Paper 18.01.16 – 1.1

**2. Register of Interests**

None

**3. Declaration of Interest/Dispensations**

None

**4. Minutes of Last Meeting**

These were signed as a true record.

**5. Matters Arising**

**5.1 Funds for Health and Wellbeing**

North Cheriton have put forward a proposal for funds from the fund to upgrade heating and seating in the village hall. See Paper 18.01.16 – 5.1. In the absence of William Wallace the Clerk is to send the request to Mr Wallace for further action. The Chairman is to check with Holton what they are wishing to put forward for funding.

**5.2 Speeding through Dancing Cross**

The Clerk is to contact Highways to request an update on action.

**5.3 Moving of signs in Gibbet Lane, Higher Holton**

The Clerk is to contact Highways to request an update on action.

**5.4 Fallen sign and new village name board at Shepherds Cross, Cheriton**

The Clerk is to contact Highways to request an update on action.

**6. Planning Applications**

**6.1 15/05382/FUL, 4 Tomlins, Higher North Cheriton Road, North Cheriton**

No objections

**7. Planning Decisions**

**7.1 15/03372/COU High Winds, Higher Holton**

The Chairman attended the meeting and the application for 2 units has been approved.

**8. Correspondence**

**8.1 Somerset Equalities Officer Group eNewsletter (FYI)**

It was agreed that these should be made available on the website in due course.

**8.2 Parish Environmental Warden**

The Parish does not have an PEW but it was agreed that the Clerk should be first point of contact.

### **8.3 New Electoral Registers**

The Parish Clerk will keep these for reference.

### **8.4 County Council Proposal regarding Concessionary Fares**

It was noted that we had unfortunately missed the deadline for any input in to the consultation.

## **9. Financial Matters**

### **9.1 Authorise Cheques**

£10 for hire of North Cheriton Hall for tonight's meeting

### **9.2 Account Review**

None at this time

### **9.3 Grant Towards Council Tax Reduction Scheme**

Communication noted and to be discussed further at later date.

### **9.4 Precept Notification**

Parish Clerk to contact David Chapman who is willing to help make application. Approval to be gained via emailing of Councillors and noted at next meeting.

## **10. Any Other Business**

### **10.1 30mph Bin Stickers**

Another 50 stickers to be ordered for North Cheriton residence.

### **10.2 Peter Tooth's Letter**

The contents of the letter was noted and Parish Clerk to reply.

### **10.3 Horses in paddock next to KFC in Wincanton**

There was concern noted over the condition of the horses in the paddock next to KFC. Clerk to make further enquiries.

### **10.4 Grit Bin**

Clerk to write and thank Crestmore Construction for their kind donation of a replacement grit bin.

## **11. Matters of report and items for next meeting.**

11.1 The next meeting will be held on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> February on Holton Village Hall.

The meeting closed at 8.25pm

Mrs Elizabeth Persson

Parish Clerk