**BROMPTON RALPH PARISH**

**Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting**

**held at Brompton Ralph Village Hall**

**on Wednesday 25th May 2022 at 6.30pm**

In attendance: Chairman Cllr John Elliott

Members of the Public: 9 Clerk to the Council: P Bainbridge

**1.**Chairman J Elliott welcomed those present to the meeting.

**2.** Chairman J Elliott read out the minutes from the meeting held on 4th May 2021 and they were adopted as a true and correct record by those present.

**3.** Jubilee Working Group – a report was given by S Cleeve who outlined the events for the Queen’s Platinum Jubilee celebration which included a Lamb Roast and Ceilidh on 3rd June and a bring & Share Tea on Sunday 5th June, all to be held at the Village Hall which the Parish Council had agreed to support as indicated in the budget for 2022/23. There will also be an art exhibition on display in the Church.

 Chairman J Elliott informed everyone that the Parish Council will support other institutions in the village and encouraged people to approach the Parish Council with ideas, suggestions or requests for assistance.

**4.    To invite the public to raise any matters of interest and suggestions for future annual meetings**

* It was reported that Winters Lane was in a poor state of repair and Hembrow Corner to Rectory Lane there are pot holes. The Clerk to the Council informed those present that these issues can be reported directly to Somerset County Council via their website. One person present reported that they had used the service to which the problem had been dealt with. For those unable to use the website they can report issues to the Parish Council. Please follow the link to Somerset County Council’s report a problem page https://[www.somerset.gov.uk/roads-and-transport/report-a-problem-on-the-road/](https://www.somerset.gov.uk/roads-and-transport/report-a-problem-on-the-road/)
* Electric Vehicle Charging was discussed with the possibility of a point being placed at the Village Hall. It is thought that the installation of such a facility could actually bring revenue to the Village Hall. Cllr P Heard volunteered to look into it and Mrs Cleeve said she would relay the information back to the Village Hall Committee.
* Broadband was discussed with the hope that there will soon be some improvement to the service.

With no further questions or suggestions for next year’s meeting, the meeting was therefore closed by the Chairman, Councillor John Elliott, at 6.57pm.