Porthleven Town Council

MINUTES OF THE TOWN COUNCIL MEETING, HELD AT INSTITUTE COTTAGE, CLIFF ROAD ON THURSDAY 11th JANUARY 2024

Present:	Cllr. Toy (in the Chair)	Cllr. Munday	Cllr. Short
	Cllr. Port	Cllr. Horne	Cllr. Naylor
	Cllr. Berryman	C Thompson (Clerk)	
In Attendance:	PCSO Julia Berry		

Minute	AGENDA ITEMS	Action
	Apologies for Absence	
	Cllrs. Davies and Shainberg forwarded their apologies	
	Declaration of Interests	
	None	
109/2324	To receive and approve minutes of the Town Council meeting held on 14th December 2023	
	Proposed from the Chair and AGREED as a true and accurate record	
110/2324	Matters arising from the minutes of the Town Council meeting held on 14 th December 2023	
	None	
111/2324	Planning – to receive and comment	
	Planning Public Participation	
	None	
	Category 1 applications:	
	PA23/09967	
	Zawn House, Loe Bar Road – Proposed car port and alterations. Applicant: Mrs Bjorklund	
	Discussed	
	Proposed by Cllr. Munday, seconded by Cllr. Port, and AGREED to make no objections	Clerk
	PA23/10142	
	Tremorlan, Peverell Terrace – Proposed annex for independent family care & associated works. Applicant: Mr & Mrs John	
	Discussed, noted that changes had been made in accordance with planning officers notes from the previous application	Clerk
	Proposed from the Chair and AGREED to support this application	
	PA23/06764	
	The Crescent Shop, Bickford Crescent – Demolition of garage and workshop and construction of two dwellings. Applicant: Mr George Allnut	
	Discussed	

	Proposed from the Chair and AGREED to make no objections	Clerk
	Category 2 applications:	
	None	
112/2324	Public participation (non-planning matters) PCSO Berry addressed the Town Council to ask if there were any issues to report and to note that funding grants, of £500-600, were available for local groups from the proceeds of crime act.	
113/2324	Observations upon matters raised during Public Participation	
	PCSO Berry thanked for her attendance	
114/2324	Mayor's Report	
	The Mayor reported attending Porthleven Food Festival meeting and noted that a request had been made to address the Town Council, to discuss usage of the Moors Recreation Ground, at the February meeting.	
115/2324	Deputy Mayor's Report	
	No report	
116/2324	Town Clerk's Report	
	Town Clerk reported on various items including the following:	
	Methleigh Bottoms Temporary Fencing	
	Please note that works to start construction of a permanent fence has now been scheduled for 22 nd January. Thank you to all those involved, including Cllr. Keeling and Andy Hoskin (Cornwall Council Highways) for their assistance.	
	Bickford Smith Institute	
	Mr Osborne has requested the Town Council consider a proposal from Porthleven Arts Community for the Bickford Smith Institute. No details at this stage, I have requested he provide a detailed proposal of his idea for consideration at the February meeting.	
117/2324	Cornwall Councillor Report	
	The 2024/25 budget due to be finalised in February, but it expected a 4.9% rise will be on the cards, 1.99% council tax increase with a 3% Adult Social Care precept. Police will probably go up by £13 per annum. Town and Parish Council precepts are not likely to be subject to capping at this time.	
118/2324	Accounts	
	a) Accounts for payment Clerk provided a detail of accounts for approval Discussed Proposed from the Chair and AGREED	Clerk
119/2324	Requests for Financial Support None	
120/2324	Reports on Meetings Attended as a representative of Porthleven Town Council	

There being no	further business,	the meeting	closed at 8pm

Signature: Cllr. Toy, Mayor

Date: 8th February 2024

JANUARY 2024 - EXPENDITURE EXCEEDING £100

	£
CORNWALL COUNCIL: Non Domestic Rates Shrubberies Car Park	104.00
	£
CORNWALL COUNCIL: Non Domestic Rates Institute Cottage	204.00
	£
RICOH: Photocopier Dec - Feb / photocopies Sep - Nov	117.83
STAFFING COSTS: All staff related costs including pension, NI,	£
Tax, HM Revenue Payments etc	8,197.38
	£
CORSEV FACILITIES LTD: Public toilet cleaning Nov / Dec	1,211.01
	£
EDF: Insitute Light (quarterly)	190.44