

**MINUTES OF THE PAINSWICK PARISH COUNCIL**  
**MEETING HELD IN THE TOWN HALL ON WEDNESDAY**  
**19<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2022 AT 7.30 PM**

Present: Cllr Martin Slinger Chairman  
Cllr Ann Daniels  
Cllr Adrian Gyde  
Cllr Rob Lewis  
Cllr Rosie Nash  
Cllr Roey Parker  
Cllr Abigail Smith  
Cllr Phillip Taylor

Also Present: 1 Member of the Press

**1. TO RECEIVE APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies were accepted from Cllrs Andy Cash, James Cross, Ian Massey and County Cllr Sue Williams.

**2. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS IN ITEMS ON THE AGENDA**

There were none.

**3. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2022**

The Minutes were accepted and signed as a true record.

**4. REPORTS**

**a. County Council.** The County Councillor advised by email of the following:

“The bridge at the bottom of green house should now be finished. The pathways towards Pitchcombe are due to be inspected once again as I have been asking for them to be cleared for pedestrians. Water running down Tibbiwell is on programmed in and due to be sorted Oct/Nov. Sheepscombe flooding is being cleared by lengthsman Met with Yakub and residents to discuss the flooding issues and agreed work.”

**b. District Council.**

There was no report received.

**c. Chairman**

The Chairman reported that a local Stonemason has been contracted to carry out works to clean the War Memorial, this work will be undertaken prior to Remembrance Day. He also reported that the Community Speedwatch Team have recommenced speed watch checks. Finally, he advised that the RFO is starting to prepare the budget for 2023 / 24 and asked Members to consider items of expenditure which may be needed to be considered to be included in the budget.

**5. TO CONSIDER AND AGREE TO UNDERTAKE A FRIENDSHIP AND CO-OPERATION AGREEMENT WITH THE TOWN OF SLAVUTYCH, UKRAINE**

The Council unanimously agreed to undertake a formal Friendship and Co-operation and agreement with the Town of Slavutych, Ukraine.

**6. TO CONSIDER A REQUEST TO PERMIT GIGACLEAR (Dalcour Maclaren) ACCESS TO PREEXISTING DUCTS ALONG NEW DRIVE TO LAY FIBRE OPTIC CABLES**

The Council agreed subject to confirmation that there will be no excavation works or vehicular access.

**7. ACCOUNTS**

**a. To Approve the Accounts for Payment.**

The Council approved the accounts as presented.

**8. TO RECEIVE REPORTS FROM REPRESENTATIVE ON OTHER BODIES.**

There were none.

**9. WARD REPORTS**

**a. Cheltenham Road Street Sign.** Cllr Ann Daniels reported that she had observed the Cheltenham Road Street sign was loose and hanging down, but the next day it had been repaired.

**b. Library – Gyde Portraits.** The Council agreed to seek a quotation to clean the Gyde portraits which are hung in the Library.

**c. Stamages Lane Car Park – Lighting.** The Council agreed to report a faulty light in Stamages Lane Car park by the ramp.

**d. Defibrillator Training.** Details of forthcoming Defibrillator Training sessions were reported which are to be held in the Painswick Centre and Edge Village Hall, Cllr Roey Parker will ascertain if there is enough interest to hold a session in Sheepscombe Village Hall.

**e. Short Term Lettings.** Cllr Rob Lewis attended a meeting with GAPTC. Despite a Governmental White paper currently being undertaken several Members felt that not enough was being done by the Local Planning Authority (LPA) to address local issues regarding short term lettings, the Council agreed to include an agenda item to discuss its concerns during the next Council Meeting.

**10. DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> November 2022 at 7.30 pm in the Town Hall.

**THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS THE MEETING CLOSED AT 8.23 PM**