

**PAINSWICK PARISH COUNCIL****MINUTES OF A PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD  
ON WEDNESDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2019 AT 7.45 P.M. – IN  
PAINSWICK TOWN HALL**

**Present:** Cllr Martin Slinger (Chairman)  
Cllr Ann Daniels  
Cllr James Cross  
Cllr Edd Crownshaw  
Cllr Dawn Dart  
Cllr Mike Fletcher  
Cllr Ian James  
Cllr Rob Lewis  
Cllr Rosie Nash  
Cllr Abigail Smith  
Cllr Stephen Tye

**In attendance:** 1 Member of the Press

**1. TO ACCEPT APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

The Council accepted apologies for absence from Cllr Roey Parker.

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

There were none.

**3. TO CONFIRM THE MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON  
WEDNESDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2019.**

The Minutes were accepted as a true and accurate record of the meeting and duly signed by the Chairman.

**4. MATTERS OF URGENCY**

**a. Sheepscombe Village Hall.** The Council was asked to provide a nomination to serve as a Parish Council representative on the Village Hall Committee and that the nomination should be made by the 31 March 2019. The Council agreed that Cllr Ian James would continue to be its representative.

**5. TO RECEIVE THE MONTHLY COUNTY COUNCILLOR'S REPORT**

There was no report received, but the Clerk reported that the County Cllr will resume his duties on 1<sup>st</sup> May 2019.

**6. TO RECEIVE THE MONTHLY DISTRICT COUNCILLOR'S REPORT**

There was no reported received

## **7. TO RECEIVE A REPORT ON THE RURAL ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2019.**

Cllr Ann Daniels updated the Council on the recent meeting which included details of the Woodland Grant for the Plantation and the Cotswold AONB Gateway project.

## **8. TOURIST INFORMATION CENTRE. TO CONSIDER A GRANT APPLICATION.**

Cllr Dawn Dart having circulated to the Members a draft application form explained that a sum of £1.5 k is being asked for to support the local businesses, Councillors and Tourist Information Centre volunteers to undertake formal social media training which will enhance the tourism in both the parish and district. The Clerk also reported that he has added a further bid of £500.00 for the additional production of the free tourist map. The Council agreed to proceed with the application and thanked Cllr Dawn Dart for her efforts in moving this application forward.

## **9. RESPONSIBLE FINANCE OFFICER REPORTS**

### **a. To agree payments in accordance with the budget as listed in the attached report.**

The Council approved the accounts for payment.

### **b. To agree which budget to allocate the grant made to Sheepscombe School.**

The Council agreed that the funding will be allocated as £500.00 from Ward funds and £500.00 Grant funds.

## **10. WARD REPORTS**

**a. Field along the Slad Road.** Cllr Stephen Tye reported that despite reporting scrap metal in a field along the Slad Road to SDC nothing seems to have been removed, it was agreed that the Clerk will investigate.

**b. Slad Road, Cats Eyes.** Cllr Stephen Tye reported that the Cat Eyes on the Slad Road bend near to the Woolpack Inn have been removed and not replaced, it was agreed that the Clerk will investigate.

**c. Sheepscombe Drainage.** Cllr Ian James asked when the drainage works by the Village Hall is to be undertaken, the Clerk will check with County Highways.

## **11. TO RECEIVE REPORTS FROM REPRESENTATIVES ON OTHER BODIES**

There were none.

## **12. DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2019 at 7.30 pm in the Town Hall.

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