

BROADHEMBURY PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of PC Meeting Tuesday 21st January 2020 at 7.30p.m. at the Memorial Hall.

Present: Cllrs. B. Nelson (Chairman,), Mrs. E. Bradshaw, (Deputy) V. Game, N. Howgill, A. McArdle, A. Powell, Mrs. D. Rees, Mr. D. Wicks, K. Granger (Clerk) & 8 members of the public.

1. Apologies: None

2. Minutes of the last meeting were signed correct.

3. Matters Arising:

a. **Action on Climate change:** Cllr. McArdle reported we had 24 responses to our Climate change survey as to how we may be able to cut down our carbon foot-print, these will be brought forward at our March meeting.

b. **Chairman to report on meeting with Memorial Hall Trustees:** The Chairman has spoken with our solicitors and asked them to formalise the relationship between the Parish Council and the Hall Trustees over the car park and the Hall, The Chairman said we would assist with the cost (50%) of safeguarding the EV charging point.

4. Public Discussion, Reports, DC., EDDC., Police

Public Discussion. None however Cllr. Nelson said when it came to item 8 he would allow any comments to be raised over our draft Neighbourhood Plan at that point.

DC. None

EDDC. None

Police: None

5. Planning report: Cllr. Bradshaw reported 4 applications since the last meeting, Dulford House, Upcott Fm., Grange View and Ashton all of which we supported.

6. Correspondence: (dealt with elsewhere)

7. Possible Co-option of new Councillor: Cllr. Nelson reported 2 candidates were showing an interest and were in touch with the Clerk.

8. Neighbourhood Plan update: Please see attachment, however Cllr. Nelson thanked Mrs. McArdle for all her help over the last 2 years trying to adapt our draft plan and its chapter on a balanced community alongside East Devon's local plan which has now considerably changed from when we started with our plan 6 years ago, when completed we will hold an extraordinary meeting on the draft plan alone which would need to be followed by a compliance report, communications report and a sustainability report. See attachment.

9 Traffic speeds on A.373/rural roads: After discussion it was asked if there was an official analysis of traffic speeds on the A.373 as once the residents speed watch was back in operation the speed of vehicles approaching Dulford (40mph limit) could be taken. It was asked, as we were having difficulty getting responses from the police, whether contacting our crime commissioners over this problem may help.

10. Precept: As our precept had not been increased alongside inflation for 2 years it was decided to be increased this year by just 1.5%.

11. Process review: Cllrs. were happy with the situation at present as it appears to be working well, a member of the public said the perception of the public was that we were working well together .

12. AOB (For information only):

a. request from WI for possible siting of tree: It was thought the WI now had a site in mind.

The perennial dog fouling issue came forward as some dog walkers appeared not to be taking their dirty bags home for their own bins which was now perfectly legal, the parish magazine to remind all walkers of this fact.

The meeting closed at 8.55p.m.