

## **BURTLE PARISH COUNCIL**

A meeting of Burtle Parish Council was held on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2021 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall

### **58 PRESENT**

Councillor R Dallimore (chairman)  
Councillor A Duval (vice chairman)  
Councillor S Bull  
Councillor J Porter  
Councillor N Ponsillo  
District Councillor S Kingham

### **59 APOLOGIES**

County Councillor D Huxtable

### **60 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

None made

### **61 DISPENSATIONS**

None were sought

### **62 MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS**

Minutes of the meeting held on 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2021 were agreed and signed.

### **63 MATTERS ARISING**

**Highways** Areas of subsidence in Edington Road by the cattery have been marked out by Highways Dept

**Deep Lake by Godwin's** nothing to report

**Plaque for Bow Bridge** SCC Bridge department have not yet refixed the restored plaque on to the bridge. It has been at their depot for some time and Cllrs agreed to ask for it to be returned so that they can arrange to refix it as they are afraid that it might get mislaid.

**Footpaths** Cllr N Ponsillo, Footpath Liaison Officer is still in contact with the Area Footpath Warden regarding the damaged sleeper bridge on the footpath along Dobbins Drove.

**Dog fouling** Cllrs took signs to erect around the village.

**Fly Tipping** Clean surroundings team has cleared rubbish tipped on the verge in Westhay Broad Drove.

### **64 FINANCE**

#### **Invoices**

The following cheques were signed:

HMRC PAYE	£110.00
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<b>Proposed</b> Cllr S Bull	<b>Seconded</b> Cllr A Duval
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#### **Precept 2022/23**

To be set after budget review at January meeting.

**65 PLANNING**

**Applications** – none notified

**Decisions** – none notified

**66 ENFORCEMENT ISSUES**

Cllrs are disappointed that they have not had a proper response from Sedgemoor DC Enforcement Officer. Natural England have reported that they are waiting to hear from Sedgemoor DC before taking action at Catcott Broad Drove and they have written to the landowner at Westhay Broad Drove.

**67 TRAFFIC THROUGH THE VILLAGE AND ROAD MARKINGS**

Traffic Engineer has acknowledged receipt of report on PC review of road markings with thanks for a concise and helpful document.

**68 ITEMS OF INTEREST**

**Defibrillator** Nathan Chard, Defib Guardian has registered the defibrillator with The Circuit - the National Defibrillator Network, which connects defibs to ambulance services across the UK, allowing them to direct people to the nearest device in an emergency. Our defibrillator was previously registered with South West Ambulance NHS Trust but this new national scheme has superseded this. Nathan is hoping to come to the next Café Burtle to give a refresher session on how to use our machine to parishioners. Cllrs recorded their thanks to Nathan Chard for carrying out the role of defib Guardian so efficiently for the benefit of everyone in the village.

**Village Spring Clean** it was agreed to try to organise a spring clean of the village verges and ditches in March/ April next year if Covid restrictions allow. Clerk to investigate possible dates.

**69 DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING**

Planned for Wednesday 5th January 2022 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall but subject to review depending on Covid situation.

There being no further business the chairman closed the meeting at 8.25pm.

Signed .....Date.....