



**Minutes of the Meeting of Handforth Parish Council held on
Tuesday 14th November 2017 at 7:30pm, The Youth Centre,
Old Road, Handforth.**

Present: Cllr Clark, Cllr Smith (Chair for the meeting), Cllr Thompson & Cllr Tolver

Also present Mr Comiskey Dawson, Parish Clerk
Five members of the public.
One P.C.S.O.

17/32/1 To receive apologies for absence.

Apologies received from Cllr Burgess, Cllr Samson & Cllr Sullivan

17/32/2 To note Declarations of interest and requests for dispensation to discuss, or discuss and vote on a matter in which a Member or co-opted Member has a Disclosable Pecuniary or non-pecuniary interest (DPI).

None.

17/32/3 Open Forum- Comment and questions concerning items on this agenda may be put to the Council by the public during this period. Matters which, in the Chairman's view require debate and/or a discussion will be referred to the next Committee/Council meeting, as appropriate. The Public Forum is restricted to 15 minutes, unless the Chairman allows otherwise.

None.

17/32/4 To approve and sign the minutes of the Handforth Parish Council meeting of 10th October 2017.

Cllr Thompson proposed, seconded by Cllr Tolver, to approve and sign the minutes of the Handforth Parish Council meeting of 10th October 2017.

Motion Carried: Three in favour with one abstention.

17/32/5 To approve and sign the minutes of the Handforth Parish Council finance committee meeting of 02nd November 2017.

Cllr Thompson proposed, seconded by Cllr Smith, to approve and sign the minutes of the Handforth Parish Council finance committee meeting of 02nd November 2017.

Motion Carried: Two in favour with one abstention.

17/32/6 To approve and sign the minutes of the Handforth Parish Council Extraordinary meeting of 02nd November 2017.

Cllr Thompson proposed, seconded by Cllr Smith, to approve and sign the minutes of the Handforth Parish Council Extraordinary meeting of 02nd November 2017.

Motion Carried: Three in favour with one abstention.

17/32/7 To approve and sign the accounts for payment for November 2017.

Cllr Tolver proposed, seconded by Cllr Thompson, to approve and sign the accounts for payment totalling £17,005.04 for November 2017.

Resolved: Unanimously.

17/32/8 To receive a report from the clerk.

The clerks report was received by all members present.

17/32/9 To receive a report from the PCSO.

The PCSO gave a report to all present at the meeting. He noted that primarily he had been looking at speeding vehicles in Handforth and using data gathered by the parish council's SID had targeted specific locations to go out and monitor issues raised using the enforceable speed gun. This had, over the last five months accumulated 530 activations. These were sent to the police back office systems for officers to determine an appropriate response to violations. It was stated that if any resident felt that there were problem areas / roads, they should contact the parish clerk to request that the SID be deployed at these locations. The PCSO noted that the police held a monthly "working together" meeting to determine the three priority action for the area each month; currently these priorities were: Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB), speeding and parking issues. The PCSO also noted that the police were now concentrating their public engagement methods through the use of social

media platforms such as Facebook and Twitter, however, monthly surgeries were still being held for residents to attend; these are advertised on HPC's notice boards.

17/32/10 MOTION: To receive recommendation from the HPC finance committee to approve the proposed 18/19 financial year budget.

Cllr Clark proposed, seconded by Cllr Thompson, to approve the proposed 18/19 financial year budget.

Resolved: Unanimously.

17/32/11 MOTION: To receive recommendation from the HPC finance committee to approve proposals to maintain the precept at its current level of £85,000.00 for financial year 18/19.

Cllr Tolver proposed, seconded by Cllr Thompson, to maintain the precept at its current level of £85,000.00 for financial year 18/19.

Resolved: Unanimously.

17/32/12 MOTION: To agree the HPC meeting dates for 18/19.

It was agreed that any councillor should contact the clerk within a week to ensure they had no conflict with these dates.

Cllr Thompson proposed, seconded by Cllr Tolver, to agree the HPC meeting dates for 2018, as circulated.

Resolved: Unanimously.

17/32/13 Notices and Correspondence.

The Police and Crime Commissioner has invited representatives from local town and parish councils to a meeting to be held at 6:30pm on Tuesday 5th December 2017.

The meeting closed at 8:24pm.

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