CORELEY PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held at Coreley Village Hall on Wednesday 17th March 2021 commencing at 7.00 p.m.

1. PRESENT

Mrs J. Thomas (Chairman) Mr. I. Smith Mrs. C. Clayton Mr Terry Hilder Mrs J. Williams Mr. V Romeo

Mrs A. Austin Ms. K. Sylvester Also Present: Mrs. S. Jones (Clerk) and Madge Shineton

2. APOLOGIES

Mr. A Chapman

3. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Madge Shineton Shropshire Councillor - Monthly report

- 1. Roll out of Vaccinations continue with the four top categories completed and extra depots opening locally to receive both first and second injections.
- 2. Home testing kits are available from Cleobury Mortimer Pharmacy or ring 119
- 3. If you identify a vulnerable household contact 03456189078 or check Shropshire Council web page.
- 4. Unpaid Carers can get help and advice ring 01743 341995.
- 5. Armed forces help ring 01743 255931
- 6. Small Employer access to testing; Community testing.centralops@dhsc.gov.uk
- 7. Shrewsbury/Chester University has expanded their courses especially nursing and social care. There are also opportunities for retraining in many of the skills we currently need. Check on the Shropshire Council web site.
- 8. There are still a series of grants available for businesses and Community groups click on Shropshire Council web site for further information.
- 9. Council tax agreed at 3.99% Band D range from £1517 to £1600 for our area.
- 10. There is still time to respond to the Local Transport Plan this can be done online.
- 11. Discussions are still taking place regarding alternative headquarters for Shropshire Council.
- 12. Shropshire Council's commitment to Climate Change was reaffirmed at full Council on February 25th.
- 13. Important to encourage residents to individually report any Highways problems to customerfirst@shropshire.gov.uk
- 14. If anyone has any experiences they wish to share about COVID19

 <u>Gareth.jones@shropshire.gov.uk</u>. He is interested in any stories about how you are getting on during lockdown, vaccinations etc.
- 15. There are local businesses that are looking for staff with woodwork experience, Mark Pearce and Tim Preece at Cleobury Mortimer. Please contact MS if anyone is interested.
- 16. A reminder that it is Census day on the 21st March and to return the online form.

4. TO APPROVE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETINGS

To confirm the Minutes of the Council Meeting held 17th January 2021 the minutes were APPROVED, and it was <u>RESOLVED</u> that the minutes be signed and <u>ADOPTED</u> as a true record. Proposed by Mr V Romeo & seconded by Ms K Sylvester Minutes to be signed by the Chairman.

5. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

None

6. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

- **6.1** Parish Plan KS has done a lot of work to update the information on the Parish Plan as far as she is aware.
- 6.2 KS has made notes and observations. KS will email a summary of the finding around for everyone to comment on it. During this time, it would be difficult to send and other questionnaire out.
- **6.3** Thanks to KS for the work done so far.
- 6.4 The clerk attended the South Shropshire Area, where she reported the problems with the reporting of issues, other Parish's felt the same, the committee agreed to email Andy Wilde & Chris Westwood copying in Mark Barrow for comments.
- **6.5** The new website is now live.

7. PARISH MATTERS

- 7.1 The Cattle Grid at Hints gate is showing signs of deterioration again. A lot of the parts are very worn and need attention. There are also a could of holes in it again.
- 7.2 There are a number of large vehicles using the road down into Hints, clerk to ask for a 7.5 tonne limit sign to be put on the A4117 warning HGV's.
- 7.3 It has been reported to the Commoner Association about the lack of a litter bin on the Viv Car Park. This has been reported to Caynham Parish Council as it is there responsibility. They have no plans to install a bin there.
- **7.4** It has been brought to the attention of the Parish Council that the Village Hall Committee are considering increasing the charges to hire the Hall.

8. ELECTIONS

- **8.1** The clerk explained the nomination process. The round robin with all the details, have been forwarded to Councillors.
- 8.2 Clerk will send the Nomination paper and guidance for the completion to Councillors. Elector numbers will be needed for proposers and seconders and the Expense's declaration also needs to be completed.
- 8.3 Nomination papers can be taken to Helena Lane House on the 24th and 30th March, Between 8.45 am and 4 pm, where they will be checked before being accepted.

9. PLANNING APPLICATIONS

9.1 21/00758/FUL 2 Titrail, Clee Hill, Erection of two storey double garage/workshop No comments

10. FINANCIAL MATTERS

10.1 Payments Made since last meeting

None

10.2. Accounts for Payment

Chq 076	S Jones (Salary Jan – March)	£419.62
Chq 077	S Jones (HMRC Jan – March)	£105.00
Chq 078	S Jones (Expenses-Hugo Fox £35.99 and Ink £9.96)	£45.95
Chq 079	A Clayton (March 21)	£120.00
Chq 080	Hugo Fox	£478.80

11. CORRESPONDENCE

None

There being no other business, the meeting closed at 8.40 p.m. The next meeting will be on the 21^{st} April 2021 at 7.00 pm