

# **CORELEY PARISH COUNCIL**

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## **Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held at Coreley Village Hall on Wednesday 28th September 2022 at 7.00 pm**

### **2022/55 Present**

Mrs J. Thomas (Chairman)	Mr. V Romeo (Vice-Chairman)
Mr T. Hilder	Mrs. A. Austin
Mr I. Smith	Mrs J. Williams
Ms. J. Penrose	
Also Present: Mrs. S. Jones (Clerk)	

### **2022/56 Apologies**

Mrs. C. Clayton

### **2022/57 Public participation**

Claire Hill from Planton Court came to introduce herself to the Parish Council and explain their vision for the farm, and to find out about the Parish and how to become involved. JT explained there were weekly coffee morning at the Village Hall and several events were held at the Village Hall. Also that there was a "Friends of Coreley" WhatsApp group. Clerk to find out how you could get on the group.

### **2022/58 Declarations of Interest**

None

### **2022/59 Approval of Minutes**

**To confirm the Minutes of the Council Meeting held 20<sup>th</sup> July 2022.**

The minutes were **APPROVED**, and it was **RESOLVED** that the minutes be signed and **ADOPTED** as a true record, subject to Mrs. J. Williams being present and Ms J. Penrose giving apologies. Proposed by Mrs. J. Thomas & seconded by Mr. Terry Hilder minutes **to be signed by the Chairman.**

### **2022/60 Co-Option of Parish Councillor**

Rebecca Skellern was proposed by JW and seconded by VR all agreed to Co-opt RS. RS signed the "Acceptance of Office" as was welcomed to the Parish Council.

### **2022/61 Clerks Report**

1. The verges have been cut.
2. The notice board at "The Bower" will need some repairs, the posts are going rotten. Clerk to ask someone to repair them.
3. The Clerk has not been able to find suitable wording and the legislation regarding the removal of hedge cuttings. Further investigation to be done.
4. The base for the bench in the play area has been put down and waiting until it is hard enough to bolt the bench down.

- 2022/62 Parish Matters**  
**Cats Eyes – A4117**  
 The green lights are ok but the other ones are not working.  
**Grit Bins**  
 Clerk to check if the new bin has been put by Misty View.  
 A request has been made for a bin down the Woodrow, JT to see if there is a suitable place for one to be sited.
- 2022/63 West Mercia Police – Update Local Policing Priorities**  
 It was discussed and decided that the priorities are:  
 1. Speeding on the A4117 across the common  
 2. Speeding in the Village  
 3. Thefts  
 Clerk to submit, it was also agreed to ask Councillors Butler and Harris if they are able to advise about what action can be taken about the speeding.
- 2022/64 Parish Plan Review**  
 There has been a meeting of the group and a constitution agreed. Andy Freeman - Chair, Ian Mills – Secretary and Brian Austin – Treasurer. A meeting with Councillor Simon Harris proved very helpful as he has experience with Kinlet's Parish Plan. Simon stressed the importance of meeting SC guidelines for the review. A discussion was had on if a Neighbourhood or Community-Led plan should be done, it was agreed on a community-led. As this focuses on Local services, assets, development, planning etc. and producing an action plan. The next meeting is on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> November.
- 2022/65 Planning Applications**  
 i) **Planning Applications for Consideration**  
 None
- 2022/66 Financial Matters**  
**Approve Payments**
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|-------------|---|---------|
| Chq No. 140 | Hugofox Aug and Sept                      | £71.98  |
| Chq No. 141 | S Jones – Salary – July – September       | £426.92 |
| Chq No. 142 | S Jones – HMRC – July – September         | £106.80 |
| Chq No. 143 | S Jones – Stationary                      | £27.59  |
| Chq No. 144 | Richard Skellern July – Aug Grass cutting | £400.00 |
- Financial Summary**  
 A bank reconciliation and bank statements were reported to members showing a balance on the 23/09/22 £14,964.36
- 2022/67 Councillor Reports**  
 No reports
- 2022/68 Items for next agenda**  
 If there are any other items to be included, please contact the Clerk at least a week before the next meeting

There being no other business, the meeting closed at 8.40 p.m. The next meeting will on the 19<sup>th</sup> October, 2022 at 7.00 pm.