

# CHITTLEHAMPTON PARISH COUNCIL

## **Minutes of the meeting held on the 21<sup>st</sup> February 2018 at 7.30 pm. The Methodist Hall, Chittlehampton.**

**Those present:** Councillor Mr M Ives, (Chairman), Councillors, Mr T Kirby, Mr H Hooper, Mrs A Davies, Mr C Timberlake, Mrs R Rawle, Mr I Waldron, Mrs S Rowe, Mr P Bradbury and Mrs R Warren (Clerk)

Apologies: Councillors Mrs M Edwards and Mrs P Shallcross. Councillors Mr R Edgell and Mr W White were unable to attend the meeting.

No response: 0

Members of the public: 0

Agree and sign the minutes of the Parish Council Meeting of the 10<sup>th</sup> January 2018.

**Highway Matters:** The flooding at Coombe Farm has been cleared. The problem with mud on the road in the Stowford area has hopefully been resolved following the farmer involved being advised of the problem.

**Police:** No report has been received. Mrs Warren has contacted South Molton Police to find out why. South Molton Station now has a Facebook page. This can be found by typing, South Molton Police, into the space bar.

**Playing Field:** Work has been done on two trees to make sure they are safe.

**North Devon and Torridge Local Plan:** No news.

**Eastacott Cross:** Nick Russell from Historic England is arranging to meet the Highways Department to arrange repairs. As he has heard nothing from Highways he is going to chase them up.

**The Square:** Cllr Mrs M Edwards has arranged for the Square and the stocks area to be tidied and for the top beds to be reinstated. The work should be done in the next few weeks. The new pots will then be put in the Square. The film company have paid for all four pots.

**Affordable Housing:** At the present time no suitable sites are available.

**Lerwell Beech Tree:** We are awaiting the response to the planning application. The consultation period has been extended to the 2<sup>nd</sup> March.

**Dog Bins:** It was agreed to buy two dogs bins for Umberleigh.

**Air Ambulance:** The Parish Councillors have agreed to go ahead with plans to enable the Air Ambulance to land at night. The landing site will be on the playing field behind Chittlehampton Village Hall. This will involve providing flood lights to the landing area. A survey is being carried out to confirm that this site is suitable. To fund this project

grants will be applied for and some fund raising will need to be done. Atherington Parish Council has agreed to support our application for funding from the TAP Fund.

**Correspondence:** A thank you letter was received from GO North Devon.

**Finance:**

**Payments made:** £ 97.50 Mr H Hooper. Registration fee for planning 64164.  
£ 191.96 Bernaville Nurseries. 4 Pots.  
£ 50.00 Go Devon. Donation.

Payments received: £191.96 from Scandal Productions for 4 pots.

**Any other Business:** There was no other business.

The meeting ended at 8.00 pm. The next meeting will be at 7.30 pm on the 4<sup>th</sup> April 2018 in the Methodist Hall, Chittlehampton.