

Hinton Parish **Council Full Meeting** held on
Tuesday 17th October 2021 at 7.00pm at St Andrews Church Sharpness

MINUTES

In Attendance -	District H Jones
P Marsh (Chair)	G Craig
D Beard	L Green
M Davey	County B Tipper
P Jenkins	
F Birnie	
A Billington	2 Members of the public from Purton

OPEN FORUM- One member of the public just wanted to reiterate what was said at last month's meeting regarding Purton precept, Clerk said next months meeting will be at Purton and this is on the agenda. Cllr Green reported on Hamfallow Court modernisation, and that she had a ward walk with Kathy O Leary, and she thanked the Parishioner for painting the phone box at Purton. Cllr Jones reported on a Severn Voice meeting, and the Stroud canal strategy. Cllr Craig reported on the meeting with Kathy O'Leary, and the Bridleways that will be cleared and the massive increase in Covid cases in the District. B Tipper mentioned that Cam are trying to re organizing the Community Bus, the build back better grant, parishioners should be clearing their own boundary hedges, pavements etc and the number of trees that are available for planting

1. **Apologies**- Received from Cllr Fryer and accepted by the Council (Cllr. Jenkins proposed, Cllr. Beard 2nd 5 for -1 abstention) Cllr Birnie would like clarification of the reason for voting on next months agenda. Noted by the Clerk
2. **Declarations of Interest** -None Received
3. **Minutes of the meeting held on September 21st 2021. were agreed** as a true account. Cllr Davey proposed, Cllr Jenkins 2nd. **All Agreed.**
4. **Committee meetings**- The minutes from the Finance meeting held on October 6th 2021 **were noted by all.**
5. **External Audit report- Was duly noted** by all members
6. **Remembrance Service**- After a brief discussion, Cllr Davey & Jenkins said they would attend, Cllr. Birnie proposed this, Cllr Billington 2nd.
7. **Jubilee celebrations-**
 - A) **It was agreed by all** that the L & R committee is re-established.
 - B) **It was agreed by all** to leave committee members & Clerk to produce Terms of reference for approval at next available Full Council meeting. (If TOR are completed)
 - C) Cllr Birnie, Davey & Jenkins will be members of said committee. Cllr Marsh proposed this, Cllr Jenkins 2nd **Carried.**
8. **Half pipe**- After a brief discussion it was proposed by Cllr Marsh that the Half-moon equipment is removed, but the half pipe in park is kept, and costs looked

into repairing it, subject to operational inspection report. Cllr Billington 2nd this. **All in favour.**

9. Half-moon- Lots of ideas were received around the table, things included vandal proof benches, and large concrete blocks and possibly graffiti wall. Cllr Billington was asked to obtain some quotes for vandal proof benches, the Clerk will look into graffiti walls.

10. Christmas Trees-

A) Cllr Jenkins proposed that Cllr Birnie re investigates the rooted Christmas tree for the community. Undergrown surveys have been sought and viewed. Cllr Marsh 2nd this. **Carried.** Clerk to get in touch with Highways and sent the RA and underground reports. This tree will be a visual amenity and the public will **not be** allowed to decorate it.

B) Cllr Marsh proposed we purchase the Christmas trees for the usual recipients, and the temporary tree in case the community tree falls through this year. Cllr Beard 2nd this, **Carried.**

11. Park Repairs -It was proposed by Cllr Jenkins that Cllr Birnie purchase the gate closures and fencing for the repair of the park fence (to the right by junior swings) and gates. The Council will reimburse Cllr Birnie's expenditure, Cllr Marsh 2nd this. **All in favour.** Cllr Jenkins said that he will be willing to help Cllr Birnie if needed.-.

12. Park Report

12.1 Cllrs noted the park report

12.2 Cllr Billington mentioned that there is fly tipping at the half -moon, the tennis court needs looking at, and the toddler gate needs a new clasp. Clerk mentioned that she will try and find someone to look at the tennis court.

13. Matters Pending list- Was noted by all.

14. Chairs Report- The Chairs report **was received by all.**

15. Clerks Report- The Clerks report **was received by all**

16. Cllr Reports –. Cllr Beard- mentioned that there is £5000 in the wind turbine pot, flyers will be advertising this shortly. **Cllr Jenkins** mentioned that could the Clerk organise some lanyards with badges and florescent jackets for when Councillors are doing the park report. **Cllr Davey** asked if we can get some more litter picking equipment, bags, bag ring. **Cllr Billington** asked the Clerk what land did HPC own. **Cllr Birnie** asked that since the PC have two vacancies would it be worth Councillors having dispensations on allotment items.

17. Date of next meeting November 16th at **St Johns Purton. Noted by all.**

With there being no other business, the meeting closed at 9.05pm