



Madron Parish Council

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23/24

Ordinary Meeting of Madron Parish Council held at Landithy Hall on Wednesday 02nd October 2024, at 7.30pm

Present:

Cllr C Roberts (chairman)

Cllr V Peake

Cllr S Clackworthy

Cllr E Cudmore

Cllr Richard Mann

Cllr H Eddy (Vice-chairman)

Cllr L Phillips

Cllr. A. England

Cllr Roy Mann

Clerk Mrs J.L. Ellis and one member of the public.

- 1. Apologies** – Were received from Cllr M Scoble, Cllr C Whitton and Cllr A Thomas (who was attending the CAP meeting on Madron P.C's behalf). Cornwall councillor A George was absent.
- 2. Acceptance of Minutes** - The minutes of the Ordinary parish council meeting held on the 05th September 2024 were unanimously agreed.
- 3. Declarations of interest in items on this agenda** – Cllr England in item 15 grant application for Madron church and Cllr Roberts in Item 9 planning.
- 4. Dispensations** – None Received.
- 5. Public Participation** – None.
- 6. Chairmans Comments** – Cllr Roberts advised the finger post at Gear was hit in a road traffic accident on the 27.09.24. Highways have been advised so they can contact the police for insurance details to arrange the repair.
- 7. Councillor's Questions and Comments** - (24 hour's notice to clerk advisable)
Cllr Eddy advised he will be standing at the Cornwall Council elections next May as an Independent.
A barn adjacent to Break me neck lane footpath, has a roof that appears to look as though it may slip and fall into the public right of way, clerk to report.
- 8. Comments from Cornwall Councillor** – Cllr Andrew George was absent and no written report has been received.
Cllr Roberts left the meeting.
- 9. Planning – Applications**
PA24/07171 - Bossinney Cottage Buryas Bridge Penzance - two-storey rear extension and associated internal alterations. The plans do not allow it to be determined if the proposal would affect neighbours. It was RESOLVED to support the application as long as there is no impact on the neighbouring properties.
Cllr Roberts returned.
Enforcement cases – CC enforcement team leader will be attending in November to provide an update.
- 10. Clerk's Report and Correspondence**
Badgers Cross – clerk gave an update to Councillors received from Cornwall Council.
Trafalgar celebrations – Sunday 20th October 2024. Cllrs Clackworthy and Eddy will be placing the road closure notice signs out this Saturday 05th October. Clerk will place the road closure notices around the village once received this week. Cllrs agreed to place the cones out on Saturday 19th October and Cllr Clackworthy will pick the cones up on Sunday 20th October after the event. Cllrs attending this year's event will be Cllr Roberts and consort, Cllrs England, Eddy, Peake, Philips, Cudmore, Clackworthy and Cllr Richard Mann. The W.I are kindly running the refreshments in Landithy. Councillors agreed that it would be fitting to the occasion to offer homemade cake, clerk will arrange for a local baker to make some cakes for the day.

Finger Post Great Bosullow – Clerk is in discussions with Iron Brothers and highways about transportation of the post.

Remembrance Sunday – It was agreed to support the poppy appeal with a donation of £200.

Internal Audit – The audit was carried out on the 17.09.24 with Cllrs Scoble and Richard Mann and no issues were reported.

Dog waste / litter bin request for Fore Street Madron – clerk advised Cllr Eddy has marked a suitable location and highways have been asked if the location is part of the highway.

Green waste bins – It was noted there are still three bins at Hellangove Lane, one in Trythall and one opposite Chynoey. Clerk to report.

Penwith Landscape Recovery project meeting in Landithy, the poster has been displayed on the website and Cllrs noted the event.

11. Public Rights of Way

104/59/1 – evidence forms for the DMMO are near completion.

104/36 – the countryside team have been out and inspected the hole and cropping on the path and contacted the landowner.

104/37/1 and 104/35/2 – Four blocked styles have been reported to CC.

It was noted there are some sections of 104/56/4, 104/55/1 and Mulfra that have not been cut, clerk to speak to the contractor.

12. Parc abnac allotment transfer – The allotments were discussed and it was agreed that due to other financial projects at present with King George V, the council would not take on the allotments at present but may re-visit in 18 months / 2 years time.

13. Payments - It was unanimously agreed and RESOLVED that the following payments be approved:

Mrs Jodie Ellis, clerk	Salary	£1202.60
Mrs Jodie Ellis, clerk	Office Allowance	£30.00
	Disbursements	£98.33
HMRC	Clerk Tax / NI	£357.69
Cornwall Pension Fund	Clerk LGPS	£286.75
Mr R Sanders	King George V Cut x 2	£360.00
Corserv Solutions Ltd	Trafalgar road signs	£58.20
Mr R Sanders	LMP	£5853.53
Audana – Cornwall Trade Network	Website accessibility report	£40.00
Mr B Whitton	Children's play area fencing repairs	£56.93
Playing Field Account		
EDF	Pavilion Electricity	£9.22

14. King George V – The vandalism to the children's play area fence was discussed and it was agreed for the time being the fence would be repaired through fencing offcuts available. Councillors expressed their thanks to Billy Whitton for all his hard work in the repairs. Going forward a perimeter grassed berm could work well as a Crime Prevention method through Environmental Design solution if the vandalism does not stop. The vandalism and CCTV footage has been logged with the police. Cllr Cudmore kindly agreed to look at the CCTV setup.

The funding secured through the movement fund crowdfunding campaign will be set up in the coming weeks for the Skate park and a total of £15,000 through crowdfunding is required to secure the match funding from the movement fund. The campaign can be set up as All or nothing or Flexible funding. It was agreed that we would run the campaign as All or nothing.

Cllr England left the meeting.

15. Grant application – Madron Church – discussions took place and Councillors agreed that unfortunately the budget for this year is committed to other projects. The church would be welcome to apply again in another financial year.

16. Any other Business for the next Agenda – none.

17. Time and Date of Next Meeting – Thursday 7th November 2024 at 7.30pm at Landithy Hall.