

Thelbridge Parish Council

Minutes of the meeting held on 20th March 2024 at Thelbridge Parish Hall

Present:

Cllrs. Boundy, Clements, Cowell, Grant, Kneller

In attendance:

Parish Clerk, 2 members of the public

23/42 Apologies for absence

Apologies were received and accepted from Cllr. Hayes.

Cllrs. Colthrope (MDC) and Squires (DCC) sent their apologies.

23/43 Minutes of previous meeting

The minutes of the meeting held on 10th January were agreed and signed as a true and correct copy.

Cllr. Gibson joined the meeting

23/44 Public Forum

Stuart and Amanda Cole gave the meeting information on the forthcoming Nomansland Beer Festival planned for 17th and 18th May and answered questions from the Councillors.

Members of the Public left the meeting

23/45 Declarations of interest

There were no declarations made.

23/46 Reports from County and District Councillors

There were no reports from the Councillors.

23/47 Planning

There were no new planning issues to discuss.

An application for the Erection of roof over manure store Location: Land and Buildings at NGR 278770 112180 Thelbridge Barton, Thelbridge, had been withdrawn.

23/48 Finance

- A Councillors approved the expenses of the Clerk in the sum of £22.21
- B The Budget monitoring spreadsheet which was unchanged since the last meeting was noted.

The Clerk reported that a letter had been received from PKF Littlejohn regarding the Audit timings etc., and contact had been made with last year's Internal Auditor who had agreed to continue this year.

23/49 Parish Newsletter

After discussion it was decided that there would be no Parish Newsletter this year, a saving of £137 on last year's figures which could increase by another £10 due to postage charge increases.

23/50 Parish Paths Partnership (P3)

Jane Simmonds has again volunteered to survey paths on the eastern side of the Parish but the Clerk was looking for a volunteer for the western side. The Clerk will contact Devon County Council.

23/51 Any other items of information

The Clerk reported that application had been made for a free, framed portrait of King Charles III, and delivery was awaited.

The meeting closed at 20.00hrs

Signed.....

Date.....

(Chairman)