

## ***Thelbridge Parish Council***

Minutes of the meeting held on 20<sup>th</sup> 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 10<sup>th</sup> 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 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> 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of roof over manure store Location: Land and Buildings at NGR 278770 112180 Thelbridge Barton, Thelbridge, had been withdrawn.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.....*W. K. Bannady*.....

Date.....*15<sup>th</sup> May 2024*.....

(Chairman)