

PILLATON PARISH COUNCIL
Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting 3/10/2023

ATTENDANCE Cllrs, Dolley, Ley, Johnson, Bunkum and Moore.

APOLOGIES ,Cllrs, Warne and Floyd

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST none.

PUBLIC FORUM

There were 3 members of the public present.

MINUTES

The minutes of 5th September 2023 Council meeting were accepted unanimously.

PUBLIC FORUM

none.

MATTERS ARISING

a) TELEPHONE BOX PAINTING

The Chairman reported that he had secured a contractor who would carry out the work in October at a cost of £275.

b) INSTALLATION OF SPEED CAMERA

Cllr. Johnson informed the Council that a data gathering device had been installed by D&C Police as requested by the Council on a 30mph post as you enter the Village. This device would record the speed, time and volume of vehicles through the Village. Once the data has been analysed it will provide hard evidence of whether or not the introduction of a Speedwatch set up (local volunteers trained by the Police) is justified. Separately in discussion with Cornwall Council Highways the installation of a solar powered speed indicator warning sign will be considered. Moving the siting of the current 30mph signs has been rejected by Highways but the introduction of a 20mph limit is expected in 2024 in place of the 30mph.

c) TELEPHONE BOX LIBRARY

The Council thanked the volunteers, namely M. Humphries and D. Jones who had offered to administer the library.

d) ABANDONED FURNITURE IN LAY BY

The Council agreed to report the abandoned furniture in the lay by to Cornwall Council in the absence of any action from the occupier.

It was noted that abandoned cars should be reported to Cornwall Council by residents concerned.

FURSLOW FARM SLURRY PIT.

Cllr Bunkum informed the Council that he had liaised with the owner of Furslow Farm and confirmed that the pit had been approved by Cornwall Council and that full provision had been made to comply with the necessary building requirements. There was therefore a negligible chance of any smells reaching Pillaton.

WREATH

The Council chose a circular floral wreath for Remembrance Day.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

The Council agreed that Cornwall Council should be requested to examine tree heights which were damaging vehicles on the lane between Pillaton Mill and Landrake and that Landrake Parish Council be informed of the request.

The Chairman thanked P. Ruby for repairing the commemoration plaque on the bend at the bottom of the Village by the seat,

The Councilors did not wish to be added to the subscriber list for Cornwall Council planning newsletter.

Chairman Mr. Dolley.....