Shillingford Parish Council Meeting

Minutes of meeting held on Sunday 16 July 2023 at 16.30, in the Village Hall.

Present: Cllr P. Barwell (Chair), Cllr P. Wareham (Vice Chair), Cllr. J. Taylor Cllr. C. Dummett.

Due to the resignation of the Parish clerk, Cllr Wareham agreed to take the minutes.

- 1. Apologies received from Cllr J Parrot.
- 2. **Declarations of interest** of items on the agenda none.
- Register of `asset of community value`. Cllr Barwell reported that our previous (now expired) registration of the Village Green as an "Asset of Community Value", has been deleted from the Teignbridge website. That we should re-register our interest in the Village Green was agreed unanimously.

Action: Cllr Dummett to look for our previous application on the laptop & use it to submit a new application. (NB: Cllr Barwell has since found it & referred it to Cllr Dummett for further action).

4. Speedwatch.

Clir Wareham has agreed to act as liaison with the local Police. Our application for a 20 mph speed limit through Shillingford St George sits as a very low priority on the overall number of applications from communities across Devon. Speedwatch equipment is soon to be available to us again, so consideration was given to the amount of time involved & doubts as to the value of the data from it. It was agreed to suspend further use of the monitoring equipment.

Action: Cllr Wareham will advise the Police that we plan to register our interest in the "20 is Plenty" national campaign, as advised by the Police, & obtain relevant signage. If necessary, we can request further use of the speed monitoring equipment in the future. The Police to be asked for advice on how best to implement "20 is Plenty".

NB: Cllr Wareham has advised the Police of our plans & they are happy to assist in any way they can.

5. Any Other Business

Cllr Vacancy. Cllr Wareham proposed a way forward to filling our vacancy which is consistent with advice given.

Action: Adverts to be placed on Notice Boards & Country News. Applicants to be asked for a statement as to why they think they are suitable. It was agreed that based on the current needs of the Parish council, ideally, we need someone with a financial background. Shortlisted applicants to be invited for interview.

Cllr Wareham to post adverts. Cllr Barwell to request a post through DALC.

Landfil Application. As there were no substantive reasons forthcoming it was resolved that the Parish council will not submit an objection.

Meeting closed at 17.20.