

LLANYMYNECH AND PANT PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the virtual meeting held on the 22.10.2020 via Zoom at 2.00pm.

Present: Councillors Dilys Gaskill (Chairman), Ken Allcock, Adam Brown, Peter McConville, Janet Smith, Mark Vickers, two members of the public and the Clerk Vivien Byrne.

20/056 Apologies received from Cllrs. R. Hitch, T. Mason, I. Pollitt, P. Roberts and B. Robinson (other commitments). These apologies were accepted.

The Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting and thanked Glyn Gaskill and the Clerk for setting up the meeting.

20/057 Police Report. None

20/058 Matters raised by the Public. Sean Bish was asked to pass on the thanks of everyone for the work the Pant Memorial Hall committee have done to make the Hall safe for opening.

20/059 Declarations of Interest None.

20/060 Planning 20/03829/FUL Rockwell Lane, erection of dwelling. Comments this must be in keeping with the scale of the other dwellings on the lane. The lane only adopted on one side and it is very muddy when it rains, could the lane be surfaced.

20/04151/FUL Talla, Pant extension - no comments.

20/00254/FUL Garden Cottage refusal was noted. The Council had not supported the application,

Tregarthen Lane dwelling on former Rhysnant Clerk to check planning permission whether the lane was to be widened.

20/061 Highway Matters. Rectory Lane, Llanymynech, request for safety measures due to more people using the lane since the housing development and vehicles exiting onto the A483 in preference to the Cross road junction. Agreed to request safety measures such as pedestrian/children signage and or slow on road surface at corners.

20/062 Minutes of the meeting held on the 24.9.20 were approved. It was Proposed, Seconded and Resolved that the Minutes be signed and ADOPTED as a true record.

20/063 Rockwell Meadow Clerk reported on the topping of the field and the lopping back of the hedge which had been untouched over time and had grown tall and spindly. Agreed to contact a person to lay the hedge to give a quotation and to apply for the free trees and hedging from Shropshire Council.

20/064 Street Lighting. A few faults had been reported and repaired. Scottish Power had still not removed their redundant poles despite reminders; one was leaning over and could be hazardous.

20/065 Village Maintenance. Kevin Jones had been contacted to repair the broken Heritage Lime Works notice board and had asked for a site meeting to decide on the repair. Cllr Pollitt had asked for two items to be raised – support for Llanymynech Village Hall costs with the hedge cutting and the use of the tennis courts by non members of the Tennis Club. Donations under s137 of the LGA were discussed and it was agreed to have this item on the November Agenda. The KGV field trees TPO application had been submitted and the percentage of the reductions had been queried, the Clerk would enquire of Shropshire Trees.

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A small tree near the entrance gate and aerial runway was leaning over onto the bench and needed to be removed. An overgrown hedge at Inglewood, Hillside, Pant was reported.

20/066 Rights of Way. Complaints had been received concerning the use of a tractor on the Tramway Bridleway. Cllr J.L. Smith Declared an Interest as a resident of the Tramway. Agreed to pass this to the Community Support Officers.

20/067 Correspondence. Request for the Parish Council to consider sale of a small parcel of land. This item to be on the next Agenda.

20/068 Financial Matters as Agenda.

20/069 Remembrance Ceremony. Due to the pandemic only 30 people would be allowed in St. Agatha's Church, without any singing and suitably distanced for the Service on Remembrance Sunday. The usual ceremony at the War Memorial in Llanymynech could not take place, but a wreath would be laid on the War Memorial. In lieu of the usual service in Pant Memorial Hall, a wreath would be laid by the Parish Council Chairman at the Memorial Tree and seat on Pant Village Green on Saturday afternoon. Pant Memorial Hall Committee would discuss their Remembrance arrangements at the meeting that evening.

20/070 COUNCIL IN PRIVATE SESSION. To resolve: That under Section 1(2) of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 the public and press be excluded from the meeting for the items of business numbered 12a and 12b on the Agenda, as publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the likely disclosure of commercial or personal information.

20/071 Shropshire Wildlife Trust Woodland Management Plan was noted.

20/072 Parish Council virtual meeting with Bidwells. Three dates were suggested to be forwarded for selection, 2nd, 10th or 12th of November.

Meeting closed at 3.36pm.

1668	Highline	225.36	Invoice 2688 from 2019
1669	Highline	196.32	" 2605 & 2641
1670	Highline	196.32	" 2732 & 2759
1671	Highline	129.36	" 2767
1672	Highline	180.96	" 2970
1673	G. Gaskill	156.10	Website hosting & Zoom charges.
1674	V E Byrne	36.00	Repayment for Poppy wreath
1675	M & T Pritchard	1,272.00	Grounds Maintenance Sep
	" "	360.00	Rockwell Meadow topping etc.
1676	S. Power	176.65	Electricity Inv, 107111237
1677	V E Byrne	790.66	Salary
1678	HMRC	197.26	Tax & NI
1679	S. Power	182.99	Electricity Inv. 106693519