



Minutes – Services Committee

Minutes of the meeting held at 7pm on Monday 10th October 2022

Present: Cllrs Lawrence (Chair), Arthur, Gaisford, Reynolds, Rogers and Silvey

In attendance: Tatiana Cant (Clerk), Cllrs Higgins and White

Public Participation

Cllr Higgins mentioned a Buddleia overgrowing the carriageway at St. Michael's Road. Members would investigate to determine what action was required.

032/22/S Apologies

Apologies had been received from Cllr Pentecost who had a personal commitment and the reasons were accepted by members.

033/22/S Declarations of interest and dispensations granted

There were no declarations of interest. No dispensations had been granted.

034/22/S Minutes of the last meeting

The minutes of the Committee meeting of 8th August were approved as a true and accurate record.

035/22/S EV Charging Update and Finances

It was reported that electricity prices continued to increase and that the council needed to respond by raising the tariff accordingly. It was AGREED to increase the tariff to 85p per kWh. The service was now entered on various online systems and it was hoped that it would remain popular and generate further income the following year. It was noted that EV charging provision would soon also be installed at Wheal Leisure car park by Cornwall Council.

The Chair reminded members of the invitation sent to all members of the council to attend the volunteer celebration event at the Memorial Hall on 21st October.

036/22/S Update on Footpath Maintenance

It was reported by Cllr Silvey that the footpath maintenance arrangements were working well with the exception of two ongoing issues. This would be escalated to the footpath team and Cornwall Cllr Arthur.

037//22/S Update on Planting

Cllr Silvey reported that he had four spare trees to be planted as needed and two of these would be used to replace Ash Dieback trees at Goonhavern Park. The triangle at the bottom of the SummerHouse steps would be planted up soon.

038/22/S Droskyn Toilet Provision

Cllr Lawrence presented options for a new touchless toilet facility at Droskyn. The next stage required the establishment of the sewerage outlet. Cllr Rogers to research and report to next committee meeting. The project would then need to be costed including demolition, groundworks and installation. Members unanimously AGREED in principle to proceed with the project and the designs presented.

Action: Establish details of sewerage at Droskyn toilets - Cllr Rogers

039/22/S Items of correspondence

There were no items of correspondence requiring attention.

040/21/S Date of the Next Meeting

The date of the next meeting was noted: Monday 14th November.

There being no further business the Chairman closed the meeting at 7.20pm.

Signed

Date: Monday 12th December