

Westonzoyland Parish Council Report

19 June 2023

Clerk's Report inc. Publications and Correspondence items Agenda Item 9 etc

1. Rattification of Vice-Chairman appointment (Min 02/23)

2. Minutes – arising from Annual Parish Council Meeting 15 May 2023 including ; i. (Min 04/23 i) Security review of website and rebuild - feedback; ii. (Min 04/23 ii) Meeting with Towens and SIDs acquisition (payment completed) and Road Safety concerns, Traffic matters and speeding through and within village reference 20mph at school (in place), other measures inc. speed monitors (SIDs) (confirmed type and locations as reviewed by Somerset Highways – additional pole to be provided located with chevrons coming into village - and renewal of road signage & infrastructure and planned Gateway entry features (completed) & flooding issues & fence on retaining wall at 39 Fore Street (dealt with) & Brown Signs replacement (completed) & Fingerpost @ Lakewall (representation at training event) – actions following meeting with SCC Highways (circulated by e-mail) – Posts recharge £200 estimate each, ElanCity signs 2 x solar, 1 x battery - obtained, inc. discount £2200 each (funding support from Towens - Paid). Grant from Police fund application in preparation for fourth SID ;

4. Ward Member reports - To include LGR items, Working Groups, and LCNs update – attendance confirmed at LCN Levels & Moors meeting 22/05/23 First meeting at Curry Rival this evening ;

5. Police/PCSO Report – Information (if any) received from PCSO Georgia Coles / Ben Simpkin / Ryan Catterall to be reported – Newsletter & Forum (previously circulated) ;

6. Finance update & Audit of Accounts 2022/23 – Sbmmission of AGAR

Bank statements & reconciliation ;

Expenditure : Paid or to pay

Clerk : Salary etc – Monthly – May 2nd month of new system - £604.58 - incs. Salary, Tax, and Programme for pay package

Water 2 Business -£22.44

RT Signs – B/field Boards - £426.22

Account Ability – Minutes & payroll – Inv 06 - £37.00

SWS Ltd – Wordfence Premium (Annual fee) - £118.80

Reed Engineering – Play area bench and slide -£1575.00

WAGs Rental payment to Notaro - £1000 (Yr 2 2023 of 5 year term)

Somerset Council – Dog bins (April to September) – 334.46
Clerk : outstanding expenses 2019/20 & 20/21 & 21/22 & 22/23
Income : Cemetery fees ; VAT recovery 2020/21 & 2021/22 & 2022/23 ;

7. Play area – RoSPA Safety Inspection and outstanding work

8. Planning Applications, decisions, enforcement and other matters:
Update report at meeting (as listed on Agenda and below) ; 53/21/00004 – Durston Products Airfield runway Folley Farm – storage & blending of horticultural growing media (still awaiting decision) ; ; SCC/4048/2023 – Messrs Towns – Development of Inert material storage facility at Springway Business Park TA7 0JS and SSSI Impacts ; App 53/23/00005 Notaro ! Broadstone - Refused ; App 53/23/00010 Single storey extension 1A Townswend ; App 53/23/00008 Single storey and dormer extension 6 Gelosia Close ;
Enforcement issues - Airfield (hangers and tipping - investigation update

9. Pubs & Corres

1. Somerset Council - Waste Services – Monthly briefings & newsletters
2. Parish UK Network
3. BDAS 60th Anniversary Celebration - 15 July 2023
4. Tree at Recreation field overhanging dwelling (Twose family)
5. Battlefield Boards - repair of Stone mushroom features
6. Magazines, newsletters, posters & product information
7. Airband Community Liaison Officer – Faye Cross - invite

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