TREVERBYN PARISH COUNCIL.

COUNCIL MEETING held on July 30th 2019.

Rockhill Business Park

Present : Councillors – Mrs A Roberts, L Bazeley, D Doyle, P. Highland, G Hooper, M Luke, Mrs M Rance-Matthews, Mrs S-A Saunders, M Shand, Miss K Sturtridge, MrsA Wills and the Parish Clerk, D Stevens.

Apologies : None

There were two members of the public present.

Chairman Mrs A Roberts commenced the meeting by again welcoming everyone.

There were no declarations of interest.

Min 68/19 Public Question Time

Mr R Coad enquired on the progress of enforcement at Ballarat House and what was the current position of the land at Molinnis Institute. The Clerk explained that it is now impossible to enquire about enforcement actions and the Council was awaiting a reply on ownership of the plot that housed the old Institute from Land Registry.

Mr D Donson wished to inform the Council and neighbouring Parish Councils about pollution in the river in the Lavrean area. It was recommended that Mr Donson wrote a letter to the Clerk giving full details of the complaint.

Min 69/19 Minutes of Meeting held on June 25th 2019.

The minutes of the meeting held on June 25th 2019 had been circulated and it was proposed by Cllr Miss K Sturtridge, seconded by Cllr Mrs S-A Saunders that they be accepted as a true and accurate record.

Min 70/19 Matters arising from the minutes.

The Clerk stated that most matters would be covered in agenda items and committee reports however he mentioned:

• Min 59 /19 (iv) The Clerk reported that the trailer had been moved from the Lower Molinnis play area.

Min 71/19 Matters of interest within the Parish.

(i) The Clerk reported on the progress of work to remove the Japanese knotweed at Hallaze Road site and stated that there was a need to purchase some temporary safety netting/fencing and signs to protect the 2 holes created to get to the roots. Councillors felt that the company needed to be contacted to establish when the areas needed to be backfilled and who was responsible for this work. Proposed by ClIr Mrs A Wills, seconded by ClIr M Luke to purchase safety fencing.

- (ii) The Clerk had been contacted by the owner of a property below Tregarth enquiring about the ongoing surface water problem on to the main highway. He had reported to Cormac and Simon Deverell (Cornwall Council) but and had not received a reply, he asked for Council's assistance.
- (iii) Street Closure Carn Grey A391 roundabout closed August 7 -9 between 07.30-18.00
- (iv) Enquiry from Katy Hawke looking for some land to keep her goats.
- Mark Best complaints about the state of highways and grass verges in the Penwithick area. The 2 ward County Councillors explained the new policy being used by Cormac.
- (vi) Correspondence from a local resident reporting damage to the cemetery wall on Treverbyn Road, Stenalees.
- (vii) An e-mail from Tracey Osborne with the message 'Planting a memory in Menacudlle Well gardens'.
- (viii) Correspondence with Mr C Mannell requesting dog waste bins at Higher Bugle and clay trail at Carluddon. The Clerk had written back to him asking for recommendations for suitable locations.
- (ix) Similar requests had been received for 2/3 bins on the entrances from Century Close on to distributor road. The Clerk reported that he had attended training together with the Chairman , Cllr P Highland on the new Cornwall Council initiative on tackling this issue and circulated the new incident reporting cards.
- (x) Cllr D Doyle enquired on the enforcement matter on the static caravans in the field on Roche Road,
 Stenalees stating as the closing date (December 6th) was many months overdue.
- (xi) He then spoke about the on-going congestion issues of traffic on Treverbyn Road, Stenalees outside the school at drop off/pick up times. It was agreed that contact and a complaint be made with the school and Community Hall on this matter.
- (xii) Cllr M Shand had been approached by the owner of Penwithick Stores to have a notice board and bin placed near his shop. It was explained that there had been a board erected on the wall by the shop for many years and the current owner removed it when making alterations.

Min 72/19 County Councillor's Report

County Councillor Mrs S-A Saunders reported on her recent work and issues within her ward:

- An update report was given on Cornwall Council business : controversial debate on increase in renumeration for committee Chairman/ Vice Chairman, improvement of Superfast broadband to increase potential economic growth, customer support services- users and resident's satisfaction, appeals panel for parents on school transport and also a digital advocate's panel who are investigating the possibility of re-vamping the IT workings of the Council.
- Contact with a resident of New Molinnis complaining about the tired/shabby state of properties on the Springfield/Stevens Court estate.

- Cllr Saunders then gave information on a recent meeting of the A30 Link road representatives and the Bugle group working on the complimentary measures for the village. It was disappointing that no residents attended.
- Various site visits and negotiations with representatives of the StARR project which had led to the presentation earlier in the evening.
- She was also pleased to be an invited guest at the presentation of the Queens Award to Partech, a company based on the Rockhill Business Park who specialise in making equipment that controls the purity of water.

County Councillor M Luke stated thanked Cllr Saunders for covering all the Cornwall council matters

- he had also been involved in a number of licensing matters and appeals.
- He was also part of the scrutiny committee in the new proposed waste review with a scaling down of waste collections to fortnightly.
- Assisting to resolve issues at Manor Caravan Park, Resugga Green.
- Asbestos awareness training.
- Attending Penwithick Community Hall AGM it is hoped that most of their issues can now be resolved.

Min 73/19 Finance

Councillors were presented with a list of Income & Expenditure Accounts for the month ending July 30th 2019 and a brief explanation of transactions was given by the Clerk. It was proposed by Cllr M Luke, seconded by Cllr D Doyle that the report be accepted and that the payments be made as per the schedule. All in favour.

Min 74/19 Correspondence

- Latest CALC newsletters (circulated).
- Letters of notice and thanks to the Parish Council from John Hodkin, Managing Director Eco-Bos on his forthcoming retirement on August 8th.
- Details of Cornwall Council Flood Forum training.
- Details of physical activity campaign being organized by Wellbeing and Public Health contact is Shevaughan.tolputt@cornwall.gov.uk.
- Contact from Ashling Ryan thanks for donation to assist in her visit to World International Jamborette in Holland.
- Enquiry from John Curnow who was trying to trace the graves of his grandparents who had lived locally. The Clerk had directed him to the records office Cornwall Council (01872 323127) and St Peters Church, Treverbyn.

- Request from Treverbyn Community Hall who have an opening for a young person to join the team as an apprentice working towards an NVQ2 in business administration.
- Offer from another telecom-service to change the current supplier (British Telecom) and reducing the current price of services.
- Invitation to St Austell Town Council Mayor's Civic parade and Church service on September 7th.
- Clay Community Network St Austell Bay Economic forum funding a free Brickfield workshop at Blackpool pit.

Min 75/19 Maintenance review

The Clerk thanked Cllr Mrs A Wills for completing the maintenance report. She commented that all of the area was looking really good and well maintained. Mention was again made of the notice boards that need some attention and it was suggested that it might be an opportunity to look at replacement of them with new equipment.

Min 76/19 Boundary Review

The Clerk read correspondence between him and the Clerk to St Austell Town Council re the minutes recorded at their Extraordinary Review meeting held on Monday June 24th. Treverbyn Parish Council's proposed submission have now been submitted and would be considered by the Cornwall Council panel for the Governance Review on July 31st. It was agreed that the Clerk approach CALC to investigate if the St Austell Town Council meeting was conducted in good practice.

Min 77/19 Neighbourhood Plan

Correspondence was read from Paul Webber re the composition of the revised questionnaire and it was also agreed to approach Eco-Bos re the possibility of using the drone survey that they had undertaken.

Min 78/19 Parish Website

Cllr L Bazeley was thanked for his work on the new Treverbyn Parish Facebook page and it was agreed that the information on the new litter/dog bin report cards and cold-caller sticker signs be put on the website.

Min 79/19 Emergency Items

Mention was made re the installation of the new salt bins in the area in particular Carclaze and it was felt that the maintenance man was currently busy with grass cutting and footpaths and the bins could be left until the Autumn.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 9.30 p.m

..... (Chairman) (date).