Forrabury & Minster Parish Council



Minutes: 12th April 2012

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Present Cllr Ferrett, Cllr Hockin, Cllr Findlay, Cllr Rodda, Cllr Smith

01.01 Apologies Cllr Jarvis, Cllr Irving Little, Cllr Day, Cllr Dawson, Cllr Brewer

01.02 Declarations of Interest – Non recieved

01.03 Public Participation – 5 members of the public present

<u>Valency River Management</u> - Mr Steege asked if the Clerk had received any response from the Environment Agency. The Clerk confirmed he had a copy of the recent survey report and associated documents.

Blowhole Article - Mr Steege was disappointed that the expected article re What's important to the Community did not materialise. This was due to editorial/publication issues outside the control of the Parish Council.

<u>Planning application PA12/02685</u> – A member of the public raise concern about this application in that it may encourage the potential sprawl of dwellings on any available land.

01.04 Minutes

<u>Minutes of the meeting held on 8th March 2012</u> – Proposed by Cllr Hockin the minutes be accepted as a true record. Seconded by Cllr Findlay. All in favour. **Resolved.**<u>Minutes of the meeting held on 29th March 2012</u> – Proposed by Cllr Smith the minutes be accepted as a true record. Seconded by Cllr Hockin. All in favour. **Resolved.**

01.05 Matters to report (only) from previous meetings minutes

01.06 Items from previous meeting

<u>War Memorial Maintenance</u> – The Councillors will continue with the tidying of the existing shrubs and once under reasonable control will consider the long term maintenance plan. The Council will also be considering options for future planting.

Whats's important to the Community – interviewing has begun in a few areas of the community, and will increase as time progresses.

<u>Diamond Jubilee</u> – Following several recent meeting the Clerk updated the council on the current situation of events planned or being planned.

<u>Save Vernazza</u> – Vernazza is a small village in Italy that suffered a similar flooding event to Boscastle in October last year. The council have responded in the positive directly to the Mayor of Vernazza, as yet no reply has been received.

<u>Flood Plan</u> – The Environment agency is asking the Parish Council to produce and print the Flood Plan. Cllr Findlay proposed the Council take responsibility for producing and printing the flood plan. Seconded by Cllr Smith. All in favour. **Resolved**.

<u>Campaign to Protect Rural England (CPRE)</u> – If the council took out membership of this campaign/lobbying organisation it would need to demonstrate the commensurate benefit to the community of the Councils subscription. Cllr Hockin proposed this item be left on the table. Seconded by Cllr Smith. All in favour. **Resolved**.

<u>Car Park noticeboard</u> – Cllr Findlay proposed that the any decision on the noticeboards usage be left for the time being. Seconded by Cllr Smith. All in favour. **Resolved.**

Adrian Prescott (Clerk)

Signed Chairman D. J. Ferrett