

**TRYSULL & SEISDON PARISH COUNCIL**  
**MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT THE**  
**VILLAGE HALL, TRYSULL ON WEDNESDAY 12TH DECEMBER 2018**  
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PRESENT:	Mr. P.W. Compson	Chairman
	Mr. S. Harrison	Vice Chairman
	Mr. N.D. Compson:	
	Mr. J.A. Tonkinson	
	Mrs. T. Clarke	
	Mrs. C.E. Lowe	
	Mr. R.Simonds	

APOLOGIES: Mr. M. Kelly  
Mr. A.L. Smith  
Cllr. Mrs. V. Wilson County Councillor

Four members of the public were also present.

**DECLARATION OF INTERESTS AND DISPENSATIONS**

None.

**MINUTES OF MEETING**

The Minutes of Meeting dated 14th November 2018 and Minutes of Finance Meeting held on 28th November 2018 were agreed and signed as a true record.

**PLANNING APPLICATIONS**

18/00989//FUL Erection of replacement building for storage of agricultural and domestic items (resubmission) The Gables, Fox Road Seisdon - Object on grounds of green belt, overdevelopment of the site. The proposed development would be an unnecessary visual intrusion and prejudicial to the openness, character and amenity of this part of the Green Belt.

Planning applications received from SSC for Parish Council observations: None

17/00522/UNCOU Permanent mooring of houseboats on the canal (enforcement) Cllr. Kelly is seeking further clarification from Canals and Rivers Trust.

**ACCOUNTS**

It was agreed the following accounts be paid :

Mrs. N. Walton (Salary Dec)	485.18
Mr. M. Osbourne (insp. Pl.Fld. Nov)	48.00
Ditton Services (Dec. instalment )	666.25
All Saints Church (Poppy Wreath)	20.00

**Receipts:**

Staffordshire County Council (C.Cllr. Community Fund for Flag)	123.99
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It was resolved the budget for 2019/20 be accepted. It was resolved the Precept for 2019/20 is £25,875.00. The Clerk to inform SSC of our precept requirements.

**CORRESPONDENCE**

E-mails forwarded to Councillors:

Feedback from 2018 Partnership Event.

Local Councillor Training Course at Stafford.

Council news round-up issues.

SSC posters re. election.

**NEW HIGHWAY MATTERS**

Three out of nine drains along School Road were cleaned but rainwater still very slow to drain away and flooding therefore still occurring. Clerk to inform C.Cllr. Wilson.

## **ANY NEW BUSINESS**

None.

## **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

It was reported that a large amount of leaves are present in Ebstree Road up to Fox Road. The Vice Chairman stated he would ask for the small sweeper to visit.

Two residents stated they are happy to tidy up areas and they are willing to plant up the pots around the garage in Seisdon. Councillors thanked the residents for their help in this way.

## **COUNTY COUNCILLOR'S REPORT**

None.

## **MATTERS ARISING**

### Play Area

Cllr. Neil Compson reported he has investigated the replacement of old signs on the Playing Fields and has a quote of £30.00 plus VAT per sign and there are 5 signs. Cllr. Compson will update the new signs and include no drone flying. It was agreed Cllr. Neil Compson go ahead and order signs. Vice Chairman felt the benches could be renovated.

### 1350 Footpaths

Path 17 - Large holes. Vice Chair will forward photographs to Paul Rochfort.

### 1477 Village Hall

Fence to be repaired/replaced.

### 1795 Neighbourhood Watch

No police crime and ASB report received.

### 2205 Seisdon quarry

County Council have agreed extraction to 31st December 2018.

### 2242 Wolverhampton Business Airport

The Vice Chairman reported the owners of the airport are unable to generate sufficient funds to update the airport and have stated they intend to develop an area of redundant land with housing and are pursuing this matter with the planning department.

### 2634 Landfill Site

The Vice Chair reported the site has been very busy and back filling has begun.

### 2642 Fly tipping

Please ring 01902 696200 to report incidents of fly tipping.

### 2671 Chairman's Board

In hand.

### 2677 Weight Restriction Request - Seisdon Holloway and Fox Road

In hand.

### 2683 Noticeboards

Cllr. Neil Compson reported he has received quotations for unglazed noticeboard. 6 x A4 size £338.00 plus vat and 8 x A4 size £425.00 plus vat. The supplier, Greenbarnes, allows for making up your own board. It was agreed Cllr. Compson obtain further details for the next meeting and it was agreed the noticeboard in Seisdon should be replaced.

- 2692 Gardenland, Bridgnorth Road - accident/signage  
County Highways agree signs interfere with visibility. Awaiting update from Enforcement.
- 2724 SID signs/Community Speed Watch  
Road Safety grant papers to be looked at in 2019 for a SID sign on Ebstree Road.
- 2737 New Gateway, Seisdon Road  
Awaiting reply from Mr. Dores on present position.
- 2742 Highway reduced budgets  
Highway matters needing attention to be listed. Clerk to contact Diane Firkin to find out convenient times for a meeting to discuss volunteer help.
- 2746 Telephone kiosks  
Kiosks now in ownership of the Parish Council. A resident has offered to look after the kiosk on Feiashill Road and Councillors expressed their thanks. It is to be confirmed who will be looking after the kiosk in Seisdon.
- 2750 Noticeboard, Seisdon  
It was agreed this noticeboard will be replaced as it is too damaged to renovate.
- 2752 Bridge, Post Office Road - Enquiry no. 4135665  
Damage to bridge be inspected by a structural engineer. Clerk to check.
- 2753 Entrance sign, Ovens End  
This is to be straightened. Some twinning signs have been removed and others will be removed shortly. Councillors stated they would also clean the signs.
- 2755 Street Scene - landscaping works  
SSC now have the large road sweeper and after drain maintenance SSC will sweep School Road in the vicinity of the School and Village Hall after drain maintenance. They will use the small sweeper on the footpath and will also collect debris from any maintenance work. Mr. Aston will provide a new bin for the play area.
- 2757 Pot Hole, Bell Road  
Clerk has reported this pothole again.
- 2758 Mud on verge, Seisdon Road  
Vice Chairman will speak to Andrew Aston about this.
- 2760 Light at Pavilion Garden Centre  
This has been reported to Planning Enforcement.
- 2761 Broken bollard, Ebstree Road  
A member of the public was concerned about the broken bollard on Ebstree Road and offered to take this out as it is dangerous and a tripping hazard. Cllr. Tonkinson stated he has a bollard and the resident will collect this and replace the broken bollard.
- 2762 Cyclists, Post Office Road  
It was felt the dangerous manner in which cyclists were riding is a matter for the Police. Chairman to inform resident who brought this to the attention of the Parish Council.

Highways

It was agreed all highway enquiries will be on the minutes for one month and then deleted.  
Highway problems can be reported electronically direct to Highways by Councillors and members of the public. Phone 0300 1118000 or web site [www.staffordshire.gov.uk](http://www.staffordshire.gov.uk) 'Report a Fault'.

Crime and Disorder Implications

Section 17 of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998 places a duty on a local authority to consider crime and disorder implications and to exercise its various functions with due regard to the likely effect of the exercise of those functions and to all that it reasonably can to prevent crime and disorder in its area.

Where relevant any decisions made at the Parish Council meeting have taken this duty of care into consideration.

**DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

Wednesday January 9th 2019, 7.00 p.m. at the Village Hall, Trysull

Meeting ended 7.50 p.m

SIGNED.....DATED.....