

Minutes of a meeting of Cartmel Fell Parish Council held by ZOOM on Thursday 12th November 2020 at 7.30pm.

Present were Councillors Alan Telford (Chairman), Chris Cannon, Helen Smith, Marian Smith and Mike Smith, District Councillor John Holmes and Parish Clerk Kevin Price.

20/25 Public participation: None.

20/26 Requests for Dispensations: None.

20/27 Declarations of Interest:

There were no Declarations of Interest made in respect of any matters on the agenda.

20/28 Minutes:

The minutes of the meeting held on 17th September 2020, having been circulated were accepted as a true record and signed by the Chairman.

20/29 Parish defibrillator:

There is nothing to report at present, largely due to the coronavirus pandemic.

20/30 Greening Campaign Meeting:

Councillor Marian Smith reported on her attendance at the Greening Campaign Meeting on 27th October 2020. This was an initial meeting (about climate change) and had not reached any major conclusions. A further meeting is to be arranged. Jeni McConnell, the organiser, is willing to attend a future Parish Council meeting if required. It was resolved to obtain the 'starter pack' at a cost of £25 and consider the matter further at the next meeting.

(PEAT (Peninsula Climate Action Together) is the new name for GCAN (Grange Climate Action Now). We connect with people from in and around this lovely South Lakeland peninsula to share knowledge of climate change and the wider planetary emergency we are facing. We look for ideas to share and engaging projects that will help us all to live more sustainably).

20/31 Parish Council website:

Councillor Marian Smith said the Council's laptop had recently been updated by Triarom.

20/32 Reports:

Councillor Holmes summarised his report in detail, which had also been circulated to all Councillors and will be appended to these minutes in the file. Informal discussion followed on the case for a Combined Authority, and the Consultation on the government's proposed new Planning Regulations. BT have now established an 'Outreach' Post Office at Cartmel Fell Parish Hall each Tuesday from 1 to 3pm.

The Chairman commented on the road closure planned on the A592 and the short notice received of this. This apparently was partly due to private landowners having to be contacted to obtain permission for the felling of trees on their land. The Clerk agreed to circulate any information he receives from County Councillor Wearing.

20/33 Finance:

- a. The cash and budget statements were noted.
- b. It was resolved to contribute £50 to the Royal British Legion, in respect of the remembrance wreath.

20/34 Planning:

- a. *The following decisions, notified to the Council by the Planning Authority, were noted:*

7/2020/5340 Park Cliffe Camping & Caravan Estate, Birks Road. Temporary 3 year year-round occupancy (to facilitate self-sufficient business recovery from the impact of COVID-19). Granted.

7/2020/5421 Winster Lea, Ghyll Head. Proposed garage with living accommodation behind, ancillary to the existing house. Granted.

7/2020/5488 Calm Waters, Newby Bridge Road. Erection of boat store. Refused.

- b. *The following applications were considered and approval was recommended, with the condition that each remain as single properties:*

7/2020/5614 & 5617 Winster House, Winster. Amendment to design to convert existing window opening into a single doorway, condition 2 (plans) on planning approval ref 7/2020/5100 - Conversion of lower ground floor domestic garaging / storage area of listed barn into a two bedroomed single storey dwelling.

7/2020/5567 Simpson Ground Farm. Conversion of traditional stone Lakeland barn, demolition and replacement of adjoining former cattle shed to provide ancillary studio buildings and installation of associated solar array.

20/35 Date of the next meeting:

***Thursday 14th January 2020 by ZOOM at 7.30pm
(this will be the Precept Meeting)***

The meeting closed at 8.40pm.

Signed:

Dated: