## THE COMPTONS, TOLLER and WYNFORD PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Assembly and Parish Council Meeting held on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2018 at Compton Valence Village Hall. Meeting started at 7.30 pm

**Councillors: Present:** Officer:

> Roger Simpson – Chairman Ruth Chipp-Marshall CLERK

Ashley Stewart – Vice-Chairman

Jeremy Russell **Members of the Public:** 

Charles Sclater None

## **MINUTES:- Annual Parish Assembly of Electors**

341. Welcome:- Chairman Roger Simpson welcomed everyone and explained housekeeping

342. Apologies:- John Wynford, Tim Keeping, Ralph Wykes-Sneyd, Adrian Cooper
343. Minutes of Annual Parish Meeting held Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2017:- Approved and signed the same

344. Matters arising for information only:- None

345. Election of Chairman of Council:-Roger Simpson was unanimously elected as Chairman of the Parish Council and accepted his role. Proposed Cllr Jeremy Russell Seconded Cllr Charles Sclater

346. Election of Vice-Chairman:-Ashley Stewart was proposed as Vice-Chairman of the council and accepted his role. Proposed Chairman Roger Simpson Seconded Cllr Jeremy Russell

347. County Cllrs Report Keith Day:- None

348. District Cllrs Report Jill Haynes:- None

349. Chairmans Report:- Chairman Roger Simpson read his annual report including ongoing issues of roads, communications and responsibilities and costs being passed down to Parish Councils. See attached full report.

350. AOB:- None

## **Parish Council Meeting**

351. Apologies:- As above

352. Declarations of Interest and Grants of Dispensation:- None

353. Approve the Minutes of the last meeting 18.1.18:- Approved as an accurate record and signed the same

354. Matters arising for information only:- Road conditions poor - Compton Valence is poor and washed away at the edges. West Compton road is disintegrating in many areas and residents are complaining about the whole PC area in general.

355. Planning Applications:- WD/D/18/000047 Land from Winterborne Abbas to Friar Waddon – Application to put Overhead Pylons underground – Cllrs agreed they were all in favour of this application

356. Correspondence previously circulated:- Nothing to comment

**357. Finance** –

Payments -

Clerks Wages for Jan, Feb, March, April + Travel = £222.37

HMRC = £49.60

Village Hall Hire = £20.00

Internal Audit of Account – Mrs M Harding = £45.00

Payments approved and signed as above

Annual Return approved and signed – Chairman RS

358. GDPR:- the Clerk had previously circulated all correspondence received regarding the new GDPR legislation and also reported that Blandford Town Clerk has done a lot of work on this subject and has produced some template documents that may be of use. This is a job that needs further work to conform to new legislation ACTION Chairman and Clerk

359. PC Meeting Dates for Coming Year:- Thurs 6th Sept 2018, Thurs 15th Nov 2018, Thurs 17th Jan 2019 and Thurs 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2019.

360. AOB:- 1) Cllr Jeremy Russell reported that Compton Valence needed a new grit bin. Cllrs all voted in favour of this - Cllr JR to order. 2) The Clerk gave her resignation from her job and was unanimously thanked for her efforts over the last 3 years. An advert will be placed accordingly. 3) Chairman RS noted a poor attendance at this meeting despite 1 years advance notice of the date.

361. Items for Next Meeting:- to discuss gathering quotes for next years Insurance in advance

Meeting closed 9.02 pm

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