



## **Lostwithiel Town Council Tuesday 3 October 2017**

### **Public Participation**

The Council was addressed regarding the following:  
Lostwithiel Football Club representatives expressed concern regarding the cutting of the football pitch area and how it could be improved.

### **Cornwall Council Report**

Councillor Hendicott and Councillor Ross left the room.

Cornwall Councillor Martin addressed Council regarding planning application PA17/02521 and the Town Council request that the application be considered by Cornwall Council's Planning Committee.

Cornwall Councillor Martin advised that he has met with Mr Wombwell regarding the application and that following this meeting Cornwall Councillor Martin is of the opinion that all the issues identified by the Town Council have or are being addressed; including the provision of an area for a railway footbridge if required.

In this instance Cornwall Councillor Martin does not think there is a strong case to take the application to Cornwall Council's Planning Committee.

Councillor Hendicott and Councillor Ross re-joined the meeting.

### **Meeting Minutes**

A meeting of the Town Council was held in the Church Rooms Lostwithiel on Tuesday 3 October 2017 at 7pm.

**Councillors Present**

Mayor Jarrett, Deputy Mayor Hughes  
Councillor Anders, Councillor Beedell  
Councillor Duffin, Councillor Guiterman  
Councillor Hatton, Councillor Henderson  
Councillor Hendicott, Councillor Hensman  
Councillor Jarrett, Councillor Lindley  
Councillor Park, Councillor Risner  
Councillor Ross.

**In attendance**

3 members of the public were in attendance.  
Town Clerk Mrs Harris was in attendance.

**176/17 Apologies for Absence**

Apologies for absence were received and accepted from the following  
Councillors:- Councillor Sweeney

**177/17 Declarations of Interest**

Councillor Ross declared an interest in agenda item 8 – Sherryl Murray MP  
Lostwithiel Train Station Improvements.

**178/17 Minutes of 19 September 2017**

It was **resolved** that the minutes dated 19 September 2017 are accepted,  
approved and duly signed by Mayor Jarrett.

**179/17 Planning Applications**

None

**180/17 Pill Walk Lostwithiel**

It was noted that South West Water's application to Cornwall Council under  
the Town & Country Planning (Development Management Procedure)  
(England) Order 2010 Notice under Article 11 of application for planning  
permission to provide a timber clade finish to the proposed sheet steel piling  
has been withdrawn.

**181/17 Pill Walk**

It was noted that the proposed works to clear the areas of scrub adjacent to the river bank will start on Wednesday 4 October and finish on Friday 6 October. Access to Pill Walk & Shire Hall Moor will not be possible during the works,

**182/17 External Audit year end March 2017**

It was **resolved** to note the report from the External Auditor.

**183/17 Sheryll Murray MP Lostwithiel Station Improvements – Initial Scoping Meeting**

Councillor Ross left the meeting room.

Deputy Mayor Hughes advised Council that the proposed timetable changes will mean that Lostwithiel has at least as many trains as now and it is highly likely the new timetable will provide an increase in service.

Lostwithiel's level crossing is the busiest crossing this side of Exeter. Under the new timetable the improved barriers will be down for less time but down more often.

Deputy Mayor Hughes further advised that Network Rail have agreed to consider refurbishing St Austell's foot bridge for Lostwithiel.

National Rail have asked when Lostwithiel residents would like to see train stopping. Sheryll Murray MP has agreed to fund a survey to every house in the community.

Councillor Ross re-joined the meeting.

**184/17 Thomas Bullock Trust**

It was **resolved** to appoint Councillor Ross and Councillor Beedell as Parish representatives.

**185/17 Church Rooms**

It was **resolved** to book the Church Rooms for bi-monthly meetings from November 2017 – April 2018

**186/17 King George V Playing Field**

It was **resolved** to instruct the clerk to arrange a meeting with representatives of the Football Club, Councillor Hendicott and the Council's grass cutting contractor to discuss ways to improve the football area surface. The Football club were asked to monitor the maintenance this season and to provide reports to the Town Council office.

**187/17 Social Media Training**

Councillor Hensman gave a report to Council on the social media training attended in May.

It was **resolved** appoint a working group to make recommendations to Council on a social media strategy. Whilst preparing these recommendations the working party should also give consideration to how these social media recommendations will complement a wider Town Council communication strategy.

It was decided that this group should report back to Council on Tuesday 7 November.

Council members appointed to the working group were Councillor Hatton, Councillor Hendicott, Councillor Hensman, Councillor Jarrett and Councillor Park.

**188/17 Accounts and Finance**

It was **resolved** that cheques 100761-100768 totalling £4267.97 are authorised for payment.

**189/17 Notices**

Visit to Duchy of Cornwall Monday 9 October 6pm.

Edgcumbe House working party meeting Tuesday 10 October 2.30pm at Lostwithiel Library

CALC Conference, Saturday 14 October 10am – 4pm, New County Hall, Truro.

**190/17 Correspondence**

Cornwall Air Ambulance – request for donation

Project Griffin Awareness Sessions

Your invitation to the launch of 'Let's End Street Homelessness in Cornwall'

Grandparent Carer project at Eden

War Memorials News 19th September 2017

Emergency Road closure - Millham Lane, Lostwithiel

Urgent closure - Castle Hill to B3269

Road closure A390, Par

CALC Conference - Saturday 14th October 2017

2017 Get Active Cornwall Challenge

Neighbourhood Planning E-Bulletin August 2017

**191/17 Items for Next Agenda**

Lostwithiel Town Council Meeting - Tuesday 3 October 2017

A390 walkway progress

Healthy Eating

Toilets

Meeting closed at 8.35pm.

Chairman:

Date: