



Minutes of the Meeting of St Nicholas with Bonvilston Community Council, on Monday 13th February 2023 at 18.30

The meeting was held remotely in accordance with the Local Authorities (Coronavirus) (Meetings) (Wales) Regulations 2020.

PRESENT: Cllrs I Perry, A Harris, J Griffiths, A Rackley, S Clarke.

Members of the Public: 5

Minutes: Mrs C L Cotterell (Locum Clerk)

Meeting started at 18.30

1. Chair's welcome and introductions

The Chairman welcomed all to the meeting.

2. To receive apologies for absence

Apologies were received from Cllrs Derbyshire and Sexton. Cllrs Halsey and Glasson were absent.

3. To receive declarations of interest

None received.

4. To consider

- a) St Nicholas Village Green Improvements – one quotation received for paving around the memorial is approx. £20,000, agreed suggested to investigate which grants are available, perhaps including National Lottery and Coronation. **Resolved** to set up a working group with Cllrs Perry and Clarke and add other members later – Proposed Cllr Perry, seconded Cllr Griffiths. **Resolved** to ring fence £4,000 of the community project budget for 22/23 for the improvements – Proposed Cllr Perry, seconded Cllr Clarke.
- b) Response to Community Boundary Review Consultation – Cllrs discussed whether to set up a working group to look at the review. Cllrs agreed to make contact with 6 neighbouring community councils – Action: Cllr Perry to draft letter.
- c) Asking Vale of Glamorgan Council to re-consider the decision on the school frontage – A discussion was held and members of the public expressed their views. **Resolved** to send a letter to the Minister of Welsh Government and Vale of Glamorgan Council to ask why changes have been made to the approved plan and to request that the greenery and large trees are retained – Proposed Cllr Harris, seconded Cllr Griffiths – Action: Cllr Perry to draft letter.

- 5. To consider** installation of additional defibrillators, unit provided by NHS free of charge, approx. installation cost £600.00 per cabinet – cabinets cost between £450-£500 plus approximately £100-£150 for installation – likely locations are the areas of Station House, Cottrell Gardens and possibly Aubrey Arms, electricity supplies will be required and honorarium payments to



residents may be needed - **Resolved** to install up to 3 defibrillators with cabinets – Proposed Cllr Clarke, seconded Cllr Rackley.

6. **To consider** necessary improvements to Bonvilston noticeboard – It was noted that magnets and notices have been disappearing - 2 options were discussed - one to provide a lock at approx. cost of £80 – the other to provide snap frames to hold notices securely – **Resolved** to purchase snap frames, £7-£12 per frame – Proposed Cllr Griffiths, seconded Cllr Clarke.
7. **S106 monies** for Sustainable Transport, St Nicholas, 2023 – Update received, there is £178,000 for sustainable transport improvements at St Nicholas – a discussion was held around sustainable transport and where money could be spent.
8. **Announcements and Next Meeting** – 13th March 2023 at 19.00

Meeting closed at 20.32