

# **SOUTH POOL PARISH COUNCIL**

**A meeting of The Parish Council was held on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> December, 2016. in the Church Village Hall at 6.30pm**

**Present** – Cllrs. T. Hirst, J. Milne, B. Perrett, M. Warren, P. Wotton and F. Green in the chair. Cllr. J. Brazil.

- 1. Apologies** – Cllr. P. Evans and PC. Gerrard.
- 2. Declarations of Interest** – Nil.
- 3. Cllr. Brazil's Report** – Cllr. Brazil reported on the Highways meeting he and Cllr. Green had attended; there are monies available to pay contractors to repair roads if Parishes are not adopting the Road Warden Scheme.  
**Saltstone Caring AGM** – this is a mainly voluntary organisation giving much needed support to the community.  
**Salcombe/Kingsbridge Harbour Authority** – are looking to take over responsibility for assets from SHDC, i.e.:- the fish quay, Bowcombe, the slipway at Kingsbridge, Jubilee Pier.  
**SHDC** are currently setting up their Local Company.
- 4. Public Participation** – It was reported to a Councillor by a Parishioner that works had been carried out on a willow tree in The Conservation Area without permission, would the Parish Council report please.
- 5. D & C Police Report** – PC. Gerrard reported via email – no crimes in the past month, last crime reported was theft of badger sets. There has been a spate of burglaries at Chillington , warning to Parishioners to take extra care over the Christmas period.
- 6. Minutes** – The minutes of meeting 07.11.16. were approved and signed.

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**7. Chairman's Report – Slip Way** – Chairman and Cllr. Wotton had met with Adrian Wotton at the slipway re the work needed to be carried out. Adrian will submit a quotation after advice sought on materials to be used. Chairman has contacted SHDC, it was suggested he also contact The Duchy for advice.

**Farnacombe Hill** – Chairman contacted Steve MacFaddon who has visited the site and Gunstile Lane and spoken with Cllr. Evans. Work on Farnacombe Hill will be carried out after the winter as rain water will be piped onto Cllr. Evans field before work can begin on the hill, this will be in the new financial year.

**Gunstile Lane** – Mr. Luckes will carry out work on the part of the hedge which obstructs the hedge trimmer at present.

**First Aid Kits** – Shelia Hirst will order the three first aid kits for the Emergency Plan first aiders.

**Road Signs** – Chairman has spoken with Cllr. Evans re wording on Tidal road sign, he has been to Torr Quarry, met Adam Keays, there are no finger signs belonging to South Pool at the depot, as it is now the responsibility of Parish Council to replace these signs if needed, it was agreed to put this item on the next agenda when we have more information re cost to hand. The warning sign at Lee Lane End, has been repaired and replaced.

Vice Chairman reported on the AONB meeting he and Chairman attended on 02.12.16.

Chairman had also attended a SHDC Cluster meeting 30.11.16.

## **8. Finance/Clerk's Report/Sign cheques –**

Current Acc. – 131.83

Business Acc - 11757.56.

Sign cheques – J. Green – laminating pouches – 14.58.

Adrian Garden Services – Grass cutting – 675.00

Adrian has kindly donated the new Cherry tree and his time in clearing the buddle holes this autumn, thank you to be sent to Adrian.

**ICO** – Parish Council has received Certificate of Registration.

## **9. TAP FUND** – A discussion was held on projects for the coming year.

It was proposed by Cllr. Milne, seconded by Cllr. Wotton to apply for 1500.00 towards the cost of repairs to the slipway and Parish Maintenance, passed unanimously.

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- 10. History Society** – Cllr. Perrett reported contact had been made with The History Society, it will be happy to place documents in the care of The Parish Council, this will take place in the New Year.

**Date of the next meeting Monday 9<sup>th</sup> January, 2017 at 6.30pm.**