

# PRIDDY PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting  
held at the Hunters Lodge Inn at 7:30pm on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> July, 2016

**Present:** Cllrs Kate Greet (Chairman), Alan Butcher, Chris Dyke, Robin Maine, Barry Wilkinson

**In attendance:** William Newton Newey (Clerk)

PPC16/120

## **Apologies for absence**

Apologies had been received from Cllrs Bath and Coles.

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## **Declarations of Interest**

*Members are required to act in accordance with the Priddy Parish Council Code of Conduct dated 1<sup>st</sup> August 2012 (clauses 10 – 14) where a matter arises at the meeting in which he/she has a disclosable pecuniary interest or other interest as detailed in the Code. Unless a dispensation has been granted the member shall not participate in the discussion or vote on the matter or shall withdraw from the meeting as required by the Code.*

Nil

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## **Planning**

- a) **2016/1609/FUL** - Erection of agricultural building for storage of fodder and machinery (not livestock) - Higher Eastwater Farm East Water Lane Priddy Cheddar BA5 3AX  
The Council was concerned about the viability of the business case submitted in support of the application. It was also concerned about disruption to Barn Owls and thought that the provision of roosts in any new building would be a reasonable condition.

**At a vote, the Council resolved to remain neutral in terms of the application but asked that the Clerk report its concerns about viability and Barn Owls.**

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- b) **2016/1692/HSE**—Altered roof and flues, Leeford Lodge, Pelting Drove, Priddy Wells, Somerset

**At a vote, the Council resolved to support the application.**

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## **Matters of Report**

- a) **PARC Committee**

It was noted as the next meeting of the PARC Committee was to be held after the Council meeting.

- b) **Mendip Farmers' Hunt**

Cllr Dyke reported that she had met with the Chairman of the Hunt, Mr Tim Pullen. Cllr Bath had apologised to Cllr Dyke for not attending the meeting.

Cllr Dyke gave a brief report of the meeting and points discussed. Mr Pullen had agreed that the Hunt will email the Clerk to book both Meets gathering on the Village Green, ask prior permission if they wish to sell refreshments or other items, aim to recruit more marshals to help with traffic control and parking, and contact the Council if there are any problems.

Mr Pullen asked if, at meets starting on the Village Green, the hounds could be held in front of New House, as they had been previously. Cllr Maine said that this area still suffered from poor drainage and that it would be a case of conditions on the day.

- c) **Training by the Monitoring Officer (Mendip District Council)**

The Chairman said that the Monitoring Officer had asked to meet with the Council to deliver some training in respect of the Members Code of Conduct. This was being arranged to coincide with the Council meeting scheduled for 3<sup>rd</sup> August.

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- d) **Village Cricket Match**

It was reported that the Village Cricket Match would take place on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September, 2016

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## **Date and Time of Next Meeting**

The next scheduled meeting: Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> August, 2016 at 7:30pm

The meeting closed at 7:50pm

Signed .....  
(Chairman)

3<sup>rd</sup> August, 2016

William Newton Newey, Parish Clerk, 24<sup>th</sup> July, 2016