Minutes of the Meeting of Trimingham Parish Council held on Monday 22nd August 2022 at 7pm at Trimingham Village Hall

Present: Elizabeth King (Chairman) Patrick Carpmael Daniel Gotts Chris Harrison Tony Lyons Catherine Moore, Locum Clerk

Also present: 2 members of the public.

1. Apologies for Absence

There were no apologies for absence from Parish Councillors. County Councillor Ed Maxwell had sent his apologies.

- 2. Public Forum
- a) <u>Public</u> None.
- b) <u>County Councillor</u> Not present.
- c) <u>District Councillor</u> Not present.
- 3. Declaration of Interest for items on the agenda None.
- 4. Minutes of the meeting held on Monday 4th July 2022 The minutes of the meeting were agreed, proposed by Tony Lyons, seconded by Liz King, all in favour, and were signed by the Chairman.
- 5. To ratify the appointment of the Locum Clerk It was **agreed** to ratify the appointment of Catherine Moore as Locum Clerk until a new Clerk was recruited, proposed by Tony Lyons, seconded by Chris Harrison, all in favour.
- 6. To note Councillor resignations

The resignations of Terry Brown and Keiren Haynes were **noted**. Once the period of electors rights to call a by-election had passed, the Council would look to co-opt, provided no election had been called.

7. Election of Vice Chairman

It was **agreed** to move this item to the September meeting, proposed by Patrick Carpmael, seconded by Liz King, all in favour. **ACTION: Clerk**

8. Finance

a) Review Budget and Spending To Date 2022/23

The Clerk presented the financial documents. It was **agreed** to set earmarked reserves for Election (£2,000); Staffing (£2,000) and a General Reserve of £6,000, proposed by Liz King, seconded by Daniel Gotts, all in favour.

b) Payments

It was **agreed** to pay the following, proposed by Chris Harrison, seconded by Liz King, all in favour:-

Stuart HutchesonWebsite Support and Domain Renewal£55.00Steve's Landscape GardenVerge Cutting June and July 2022£120.00Community Heartbeat TrustDefib Pads£51.60

9. Other Matters

a) Additional Works at Pilgrim Shelter

Two quotes had been obtained for additional works at the Pilgrim Shelter. It was **agreed** to go with the quote from Wilkinson Electrical Services at £240 plus VAT, proposed by Liz King, seconded by Chris Harrison, all in favour. **ACTION: LK** It was noted that all doors should fit and close properly, the Chairman would speak with the builder about this. **ACTION: LK**

b) Recruitment of Parish Clerk

The recruitment documents were considered. It was **agreed** that the Council would only consider experienced clerks at this stage, with CiLCA a desirable criteria. It was **agreed** to advertise at SCP21 – 24 (£14.02 - £15.16 per hour). Maintenance of the website would be added to the job description. It was **agreed** that candidates would be interviewed, then the whole council would consider the candidates and made a decision at the November meeting. The interview panel would consist of all councillors, with shortlisting over Zoom. **ACTION: Clerk**

10. Public Forum

a) <u>Public</u>

The issue of Gimingham Road was raised, it was confirmed that the enforcement notice should have been served but it did not have the necessary signatures. The Clerk had contacted the Enforcement Officer for an update, however he was on leave until 30th August. **ACTION: Clerk**

11. Other Matters

c) <u>Website Hosting</u>

The Clerk showed examples of different websites that could be built on different platforms, together with annual hosting costs. It was **agreed** that the Locum Clerk would build a new website on Wix, hosting cost £90/annum, with 10 additional hours authorised, proposed by Liz King, seconded Chris Harrison, all in favour.

ACTION: Clerk

12. Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting would take place on Monday 5th September 2022 at 7pm at Trimingham Village Hall. The meeting closed at 8.10pm.

CHAIRMAN