ROCHE PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD IN THE MAIN HALL OF THE ROCHE VICTORY HALL ON MONDAY, 8^{TH} JULY 2024 AT 6.30PM

Present	Cllr. D. Inch (Chairman)	Mrs. J. Burdon (Parish Clerk)	Cllr. B. Kretowicz (Vice-Chairman)	
	Cllr. Mrs. S. Tippett	Cllr. M. Edyvean	,	
	Cllr. D. Yelland	Cwll. Cllr. P. Guest		
166/24	Apologies for non-attendance Mrs. L. Harrison.		·	
167/24	Public Forum:- There was or members of public attended earlie followed up by the Clerk with Traceived a copy. We now await a	er and discussed land at egothnan and Natural E	Belowda, which is being	
168/24	Members Declaration of Interestor Dispensation: Councillor Name respect of a memorial plaque app	est on items raised on Mrs. S. Tippett declared	a pecuniary interest in	
	Councillor M. Edyvean non-regis PA24/00651/PREAPP – Mr. Rob	•		
	Councillor G. Rowe declared a no from Rosemellyn to Criggan to be	e raised under footpaths	this evening.	
169/24	Monthly Cornwall Councillor Ra report and Chair suggested as until next month for a full update. Tatlow of Cormac will be held at shave been noted to inform her Chairman thanked Cornwall Couthe meeting this evening.	there was nothing in related the road to the road to the point and all suggest and he would inform notillor P. Guest for his be	ation to the Parish to wait rip meeting with Rachael stions and problem areas the date when known. orief report and attending	
170/24	Confirmation of the Minutes of 2024:- Resolved the Minutes of the as circulated were confirmed as a Chairman (Proposed: Councillo Kretowicz)	the Monthly Meeting hel a true and accurate recor	d on the 10 th June 2024 d and duly signed by the	
171/24	Matters Arising from the Mont June 2024:-	thly Minutes of the Me	eeting held on the 10 th	
	Page 1 Min.134/24 Vacancy of notice from Cornwall Council is Council can then advertise to commence approaching anyone Clerk/Councillors.	due to expire on the 1° o-opt and will inform Co	1 th July, then the Parish uncillors when they can	Clerk/ Clirs.
	Page 4 Min.310/23 HGV Sign Cornwall Councillor P. Guest report Rachael Tatlow of Cormac. Action	orted this would be dealt	with on the site visit with	Cwll. Cllr. P. Guest
	Page 4 Min.323/23 Fibre Broad reported he is still awaiting a date Councillor P. Guest.			Cwll. Cllr. P. Guest

	Page 4 Min.323/23 Resident in Caravan at Victoria Industrial Estate:- Cornwall Councillor P. Guest reported a welfare check was carried out successfully, Cornwall Council are working with the resident and are not giving out updates.	
	Page 4 Min.89/24 Signage for the Playing Field, Skatepark:- Chairman reported this was in hand and quote had been accepted. Agreed Chairman and Councillor D. Yelland to action Action: Chair/Councillor D. Yelland.	Chair/ Cllr. D. Yelland
	Page 10 Min.164/24 Speed Sign:- Clerk reported the sign had been re-set and was now working correctly.	
172/24	Planning Applications/Results/Correspondence/Any Letters received for or against any Planning Applications:-	
	Planning Applications Received:-	
	PA24/01459 – Mrs. L. Wills – Demolition of blockwork stores and stables. Proposed 3-bedroom house, Land North of St. Marys. Criggan, Bugle – Request site visit with owners, to be able to make a decision (Proposed: Councillor D. Inch; Seconded: Councillor B. Kretowicz)	Clerk
	PA24/00651/PREAPP – Mr. Robert Hawke, Mrs. Dorothy Trudgeon – Pre application for the construction of a housing development scheme totalling 32 units of which 7 will be self-build plots, Land Adjacent to Health Surgery, Victoria Road, Roche – Support in principle but do not agree to the installation of a pond (as who would maintain this afterwards), could any water in this area be directed to the main sewer system of Roche; on the map which properties are the affordable dwellings; Do not wish to see an exit into Finsbury but may consider a footpath, do not agree with parking at the back area as this is next to other housing estates and could be noisy with traffic going to and fro at all times of the day and night; we are overall in favour but these matters need addressing (Proposed: Councillor D. Inch; Seconded: Councillor B. Kretowicz)	Clerk
	PA24/04804 – Miss Ashleigh Boyce AMP Clean Energy – Construction and operation of a micro energy storage project, Victoria Business Park, Roche – Next Agenda – Extension of Time requested	Clerk
	PA24/04961 – Mr. Paul Jones J. J. Jones and Sons Ltd – Application for Non-Material Amendment to C2/06/01776 for 'Residential development of 81 new dwellings consisting of a mix of 2, 3, & 4 bed houses, 2 bed bungalows and 1 & 2 bed flats. Reserved matters application for Phase 4C of ongoing residential development.', namely 1) Amend the position of windows, doors and porches, Land to The South of No. 8 St Michaels Way, Roche - Next Agenda – Extension of Time requested and granted	Clerk
	PA24/02608 – Mrs. Pam Perring – Official paperwork received but comments had been submitted at the last meeting.	

Planning Results Received:-

PA24/03637 – National Grid Electricity Distribution (South West) Plc – NGED have been requested to provide a connection to a new sewage pumping station at three phase, to facilitate this request NGED will install a third wire from pole 43X55 to 43XJ4, for approximately 295m (highlighted in green), at pole position 43XJ3 a lazy leg pole will be erected beside the existing pole to carry a three phase pole mounted transformer (highlighted in yellow), from this point underground earth wires (approximately 120m) and an underground cable (approximately 90m) will be installed to provide the connection (shown as brown lines), there will be a requirement to replace three poles 43XJ1, 43XJ2 and 43XJ3 due to their age and condition on a like for like basis, the proposal plan CE5037342ROCHE details the work, Ruff Patches, Cleers Hill, Cleers, Roche – **No Objection**

(PA23/05639 – Gridserve Sustainable Energy Ltd and C – Construction of a photovoltaic solar farm, retention of electrical compound, landscaping and associated works, Land to the East of Cornwall Gateway Trunk Road Service Area, Victoria, Roche – Approved

PA22/03216 – Mr. Graham Entwistle – Works to Farmhouse: replace and enlarge the PVC bathroom roof window, replace the two existing doors with double glazed doors. Add a two-rail wooden fence to the top of the garden wall. Changes outside of the curtilage: dismantle and relocate one existing greenhouse and remove the other, erect a new greenhouse, provide new concrete hardstanding for livestock, install a small garden summerhouse, Lower Colbiggan Farm, Roche – **Approved**

PA22/03391 – Mr. Graham Entwistle – Listed Building Consent for alterations including replacement of bathroom roof window, replacement of doors, addiction of two rail wooden fence, relocation of current greenhouse and erection of additional, addition of livestock hardstanding and erection of summerhouse, Lower Colbiggan Farm, Roche – **Approved**

PA24/03461 – Mr. Andrew Bartlett – Application for Certificate of Lawful Development for an Existing Use of No. 6 The West Dry as an unrestricted dwelling, inclusive of residential curtilage, for a continuous period in excess of 10 years in breach of Condition 23 of App. Ref 02/00552, Mica6 The West Dry, Carbis, Roche – **Granted (CAADs, PIPs and Lus only)**

PA22/04846 – Mr. & Mrs. Buckland – Extend the existing affordable housing site to the south providing an additional sixteen units (four 4-beds, eight 2-beds and four 3-bed units), Wheal Rose, Roche Road, Bugle – **Approved**

PA23/10387 – Mark Upton – Erection of employment units for a mix of uses including Use Class B8 (Storage & Distribution/Trade Counter) B2 (General Industrial) and Eg (Offices, R&D and Light industrial) on land at Cornwall Gateway Services, Land at Cornwall Services, Victoria, Roche – **Approved**

PA24/05044 – Clare Eddy – Electricity Act 1989: Overhead Lines (Exemption) (England and Wales) Regulations 2009, Street Record, Roche, St. Austell – **Closed – Advice Given**

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	Planning Correspondence Received:- Cornwall Council – 5 day protocol for			
	PA23/00807 – Bre Tregarrek, Land off Edgcumbe Road, Roche (comments sent			
	agree to disagree).			
173/24	Monthly Accounts for Approval, including n	•		
	budget monitoring:- It was proposed that the		-	
	accounts for payments as circulated on sch			
	agreement with the bank reconciliation and	•	•	
	(Proposed: Councillor D. Yelland; Seconded: C			
	Salaries, Pensions, National Insurance, Income Tax and Expenses	£2,335.81	July 2024 	
	Crystal Clear Limited Annual Pressure Wash	£350.00	Play Equipment	
	Lanhydrock Garden Services Grasscutting		May 2024	
	Rospa Play Safety	·	Annual Inspection	-
	Computers to the Max		Remote Log-in	-
	British Gas – Electricity for Toilets		5/5/24-4/6/24	-
	Crystal Clear Limited Bus Shelter Cleaning		June 2024	-
	Hiscox Insurance	•		-
			July 2024	-
	Crystal Clear Limited **		Play Equipment	
	Lanhydrock Garden Services		LMP Footpaths	Clerk
	Crystal Clear Limited Waste Bin Emptying	•	June 2024	Cicik
	Roche Victory Hall – Post Office Cont.		July 2024	
	Roche Victory Hall – Hire Hall		July 2024	
	Duchy Cemetery's Limited – Interment		Knight	
	DMC-IT – Website Updating		June 2024	
	Biffa Waste Services Limited – Cemetery		June 2024	
	Lanhydrock Garden Services Grasscutting	·	June 2024	
	Receipt: Lloyds Bank – Interest		June 2024	
	Receipt: HMRC VAT Reimbursement		Up to May 2024	
	Receipt: Cornwall Council – Interest	£1,535.48	-	
	Receipt:- Paul Bourton Funerals	£247.00	Knight	
	**Note – Invoice paid twice, invoice sent to rei	mburse overpa	yment.	
174/24	Contribution to Roche Newsletter for advert	ising:- Resolve	ed to support in the	
117/27	sum of £360.00 but we would ask for a business plan for 2024/2025 and what the			
	future plan for this publication in the next two ye	ears (Proposed	: Councillor Mrs. S.	Clerk
	Tippett; Seconded: Councillor M. Edyvean) Act			
175/24	Letter of Engagement for Internal Auditor S			
	engagement received from Barbara Goraus for			
176/24	Cemetery Matters (Including any app			
170/24	inscriptions):- Application received from Dr			
	inscription for the late Mair Knight on plaque in G		•	
	as per our Rules and Regulations (Proposed:	: Councillor G.	Rowe; Seconded:	Clerk
	Councillor B. Kretowicz) Action: Clerk.			
	Application received from Kerrow Memorials for			
	and Susan Osborne. Resolved to accept as	•	•	Clerk
	(Proposed: Councillor G. Rowe; Seconded:	Councillor B. I	Kretowicz) Action:	Clerk
	Clerk.			
	Application received from Kerrow Memorials for a new memorial and pot for the			
	late Ivor Rex Nicholls. Resolved to accept as	•	•	
	(Proposed: Councillor G. Rowe; Seconded:	Councillor B. I	Kretowicz) Action:	Clerk
	Clerk.			

	Application received from Kerrow Memorials for a new memorial, cover slab and vase for the late Ian Mizen. Resolved to accept as per our Rules and Regulations (Proposed: Councillor G. Rowe; Seconded: Councillor B. Kretowicz) Action: Clerk.	
	Councillor Mrs. S. Tippett declared a pecuniary interest in respect of the following application and abstained from voting:- Application received from Kerrow Memorials for a new wall plaque for the late Reginald George and Isa Winifred Tippett. Resolved to accept as per our Rules and Regulations (Proposed: Councillor G. Rowe; Seconded: Councillor B. Kretowicz) Action: Clerk.	
177/24	Minor Repairs/Works in the Parish that may arise:- Clerk reported our maintenance contractor has the following items remaining to action – second coat of stain on benches, wishing well and noticeboard depending on weather and also the building up of the hedges in the playing fields.	
178/24	Roche Park Recreation Area:- Clerk reported Maverick had been in touch advising they had visited the skatepark and undertaken some minor remedials needed on what we call a TLC visit. The only work necessary was re-galving of weld joints.	
	Chairman reported on moles in the playing fields again Action : Clerk.	Clerk
	Chairman reported that after liaising with our Grasscutting Contractor there are two beech trees to be removed next to the skatepark as they are damaged and need to be replaced with something windproof and we are waiting for a quote.	
	Chairman reported on the trampoline area as the harris fencing was damaged and pulled down and the section was now dangerous to the public. Chairman and contractor agreed for safety reasons it needed to be covered and this was agreed to be actioned to make safe.	
179/24	Roche Public Conveniences/Bus Shelters:- Chairman noted on the new bus shelter outside the Clays Practice, which is looking very nice with plants on the top. Councillor G. Rowe left the meeting for the discussion on the footpaths:-	
180/24	Footpath Signs/Matters:- Email received in respect of additional cutting of the Bridleway from Rosemellyn to Criggan. Quote received from our contractor in the sum of £480.00. Resolved to accept quotation for additional work to be carried out. Councillor M. Edyvean to meet with Contractor and David Edwards to establish future cuts on this bridleway (Proposed: Councillor Mrs. S. Tippett; Seconded: Councillor D. Yelland) Action: Clerk.	Clerk
181/24	Duck Pond and surrounding Land & St. Michaels Way:- Discussion held on future work on the duck pond, noting that when work is carried out we inform the public via the newsletter and Facebook as to why this is needed.	
	Cornwall Councillor P. Guest arrived at 7.21pm.	
182/24	Village Regeneration Works/Working Party for the Village:- No update.	
183/24	Roche By-Pass Scheme and related projects:- Councillor G. Rowe can we make sure if there is still a shortfall of funds for complimentary works if this could be followed up with the new MP. Chairman was unsure if Metro project would help with shortfalls either Action: Clerk to find email received and send on to Chairman.	Clerk
184/24	Rural EV Charging – Electric Vehicle Chargers in the Town/Parish:- Clerk reported there was no update as yet, they did say `could be up to 8 weeks for a response Action: Agreed to remove from agenda until a response is received.	

Roche Football Club Second Pitch - Requests to take over:- Councillor M. 185/24 Edyvean reported along with the Chairman, Councillor G. Rowe and Mike Morcom recently we observed there is quite a lot of Japanese knotweed which is ongoing. The area of ground that we are responsible for, especially behind the houses at Trezaise, there is 32 meters of wasted ground including brambles, etc which is of no-good quality. We would need to speak to someone regarding the cutting of this area, for the biodiversity and legal side. Mr. Morcom suggested a consultant that works for Griffiths. If the area was pushed back perhaps the football and cricket pitch could be side by side, pitches could slightly overlap due to times the pitches would be used. There are power lines overhead some of the area. There is wire fenced section and part of the area could be used for dog walking, there were at least 20-30 people walking dogs, so it would be well used. A request for an Clerk ecological survey could take about 6 months. Action: Clerk to email Mr. Morcom and Rebecca Edmonson to ask for details of the person who may carry out an ecological survey, so we can obtain a quote. Quote received to treat the Japanese knotweed in the sum of £520.00 plus vat. Resolved to accept quote (Proposed: Councillor M. Edyvean; Seconded: Councillor G. Rowe) Action: Clerk. Clerk to Clerk send a copy of the map of the area to all Councillors without the remainder of the Clerk deeds Action: Clerk. Clerk to email Veterans and Roche Football Teams and ask if they could get together and start discussing sharing and supporting each other on the main football field (Councillors M. Edyvean and G. Rowe would be happy to attend any Clerk meeting arranged) Action: Clerk. Clerk Clerk to inform all parties involved the Parish Council are going through motions of costs involved and ecological surveys on the land **Action**: Clerk. Articles for Parish Council Website/Newsletter:- Monthly newsletter report to 186/24 Clerk be submitted Action: Clerk. Correspondence - Clerk listed correspondence and actions required:-187/24 1. NALC – Events 2. Ethos Consultants - Introducing a new road safety partnership 3. Office of the Police & Crime Commissioner – Making sure you are connected to your local policing team 4. Cornwall Council Planning - Webinar opportunity: Compliance demystified: Planning and Development for Businesses - Thursday 11th July 2024 5. NALC - Chief Executives Bulletin 6. Hiscox Insurance - Hiscox Risk Academy: access to documents, templates, and training at your fingertips 7. England Illegal Money Lending Team - Stop Loan Shark Newsletter 8. Office of the Police & Crime Commissioner – High visibility policing is what our communities want - and it works - this week's column from the Commissioner 9. Office of the Police & Crime Commissioner – Summer Public engagement opportunities 10. NALC - Newsletter 11. Cornwall Council - China Clay Area & Luxulyan Community Area Partnership AGM - Monday 24th June at Rockhill Business Park, Bugle 12. CALC – Upcoming Events & Training Opportunities Summer 2024 13. Cornwall Council – Speak Cornish Week: 22nd to 30th June 2024 14. NHS Cornwall & Isles of Scilly - Cornwall together: June 2024 15. Cornwall Council - Webinar: Compliance demystified: Planning and Development for Businesses - Thursday 11th July 2024 16. The Clean Cornwall Newsletter Issue – 10th June 2024 17. CALC – Star Council Awards 2024

	18. Cornwall Council Pensions – Employer Newsletter – June 2024 19. Cornwall Council - Discussion Paper on Renewable Energy Provision/Capacity in the China Clay Area & Luxulyan CAP Area - Agenda Item 10 at Monday's	
	meeting 20. CALC – News Found Up 25 th June 2024	
	 21. Cornwall Council – Small Business Day 2024 22. Office of the Police & Crime Commissioner – Read up on the latest phase of Operation Scorpion - an initiative involving the South West's five police forces 	
	 23. Office of the Police & Crime Commissioner - The Commissioner's weekly news column - creating change with collaboration and hotspot policing 24. Royal Cornwall Hospitals Trust – Research Charity Spring Ball 11th April 2025 25. Cornwall Council – Review of Gambling Policy 	
	26. Cornwall Council - Draft Housing Decarbonisation Strategy - Public Consultation	
	27. CALC – Training Update – Nimble E-Learning Modules 28. CALC – Membership Survey 2024/2025 29. Cornwall Council – 20mph China Clay Meetings – Update	
	30. Natural England – Harnessing the Herd - Grazing with Ben Thomas & The Belties Tickets, Wednesday 10 th July 2025 at 1.30-m Evenbrite 31. Cornwall Council – Supplier Update	
	32. Clerks & Councils Direct Magazine 33. Adrian Wilson – Update on walk in the Parish and thanks to the Parish Council for use of the toilet facilities beforehand and the car park	
188/24	To arrange any Sub-Committee Meetings required:- None.	
189/24	Any Urgent Matters the Chairman considers relevant for this meeting:- Clerk to send an invitation to the new MP to our next meeting.	Clerk
190/24	Date of next Meeting:- Monday 12 th August 2024 at 6.30pm to be held in the Roche Victory Hall Large Main Hall, Roche Victory Hall.	
	There being no further business to discuss the meeting closed at 7.46pm	

Signature:	
	Chairman

Date: 12th August 2024