GULWORTHY PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of Gulworthy Parish Council held on Tuesday 10 January 2017 At 7.30pm in the Parish Hall

Present J Chalcraft (Chairman)

D Daniels

G Lister

R Pike

D Sellis (Devon County Council)

M Benson (West Devon Borough Council)

R Musgrave (West Devon Borough Council)

Apologies Apologies were received from J Hamilton, K Royston and D Whitworth.

- 2017.1 **Declaration of interests/Register of interests** J Chalcraft declared an interest on the Precept.
- 2017.2 **Minutes** The minutes of 8th November 2016 were agreed, all in favour.

2017.3 Matters arising from the minutes

- **a.** R Pike had attended the memorial service.
- **b.** K Royston and G Lister were to attend the planning training event at Lamerton.
- **c.** The drains at Gawton had been cleaned by Devon County Council.
- **2017.4** Council update reports from Devon County Council and West Devon Borough Council The joint local plan was ongoing. D Sellis congratulated the council on working with Devon County Council to get the drains cleared. An event had been arranged in Tavistock Town Hall on the 3rd February with a question time at 7.30pm and another meeting had been arranged for 25th February from 10am 3pm concentrating on Mental Health, debt, social issues etc..

2017.5 Correspondence

- a. Tavistock & District Local Transport Partnership request for a donation. It was agreed to donate £25.00, all in favour.
- b. BT removal of telephone box at Mill Hill.
- **2017.6 War memorial** progress Due to illness at Pascoes monumental masons the work on the war memorial had been delayed and was now due to be done in 2017.
- **2017.7 Air Ambulance** landing location The proposed site had been looked at and was perfect except for the overhead cable which would cost £15000.00 plus VAT to remove, the total cost of the project was approximately £30,000 and was felt to be too much for a parish such as Gulworthy to provide.

2017.8 Cemetery

a. General maintenance A quote had been received from P Badge for the general maintenance of Gulworthy Cemetery, it was agreed to place a further advert in the Tavistock Times for more quotations.

2017.9 Planning

- a. Applications received since 8th November 2016 None.
- **2017.10** Computer/broadband facilities for the Clerk There were problems with the clerks computer/broadband facilities and it was agreed to allocate £350 towards the total cost of £700 for a joint computer with Lamerton Parish Council.

2017.11 Finance

- a. Appointment of Internal Auditor A quote was received from Auditing Solutions for £130 plus VAT, it was agreed to accept this quote, all in favour.
- b. Precept A budget was circulated and R Pike proposed that the precept including grant be set at £5,000, all in favour.
- c. Accounts for payment
 - i. Gulworthy Parish Hall £15.00
 - ii. Perfect Pastures £1560.00
 - iii. S A Cole salary £417.80
 - iv. Lamerton Parish Council £25.50
 - v. Tavistock & District Local Transport Partnership £25.00
 - vi. The above accounts were authorized for payment, all in favour.

2017.12 A O B None