

Minutes 21st November 2024

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Present Cllr Hockin, Cllr Yates, Cllr Simmonds, Cllr Bridges, Cllr Edwards, Cllr Peyman, Cllr Anderson.

10.01 Apologies – Cllr M Smith,

10.02 Declarations of Interest – Cllr Yates declared an interest as he wished to advise the council on a possible situation involving the Boscastle Community Interest Company and the Car Park. Cllr Simmonds proposed the council grant for this meeting dispensation so Cllr Yates can speak and vote Seconded by Cllr Peyman. All in Favour.

Cllr Anderson declared an interest in a particular line in the budget 'environment'. Cllr Yates proposed the council grant for this meeting dispensation so Cllr Anderson can speak and vote. Seconded by Cllr Simmonds. All in favour.

10.03 Public Participation – one members of the public present.

One member spoke regarding the Paradise Triangle and asked if the wildflower area could be expanded and the zone around the outside which is currently mowed (to stop the plants from encroaching onto the road and paths) tapered back with a strimmer instead? They gave each councillor a diagram of their proposal.

10.04 Planning – To consider planning applications received – none

10.05 To consider other planning applications received by time of meeting. – none

10.06 Finance

Budget – the councillors went through each line of the budget and adjusted as necessary.

Clerk to provide a copy of the revised budget, with the inclusion of additional lines and those lines to be removed, at next meeting for approval.

Precept – Cllr Yates proposed the council increase the precept for 2025/26 from £42000 to £45500 an increase of 8% which using the Cornwall Council precept calculator results in an 8% reduction on a band D property due to the increase in Council tax for second homes. Seconded by Cllr Simmonds. All in favour.

10.14 Agenda items for next meeting –

Boscastle Community Interest Company

With no further business the Chairman closed the meeting at 20.15pm

Date of next monthly meeting Thursday 12th December 2024 in the Village Hall

