

# Minutes for Thornbury Parish Council AGM

6<sup>th</sup> May 2021, at 8.00pm via Zoom (online & telephone)

Those present: Keith Hutchings (KH), Gaye Tabor (GT), Liz Priest (LP), Paul Taylor (PT), Ken James (KJ, for Torridge DC)

- 21/001. Apologies for absence: Lisa Serra, Chris Ward
- 21/002. Election of officers:  
Chair: KH was proposed by LP, seconded GT, unanimous.  
Vice-Chair: LP was proposed by PT, seconded by KH, unanimous.  
KH thanked GT for her service as vice-chair over the past years.
- 21/003. Public discussion period  
K Chandler-Ross spoke on behalf of the church and looked forward to welcoming TPC meetings back to the church, and for opportunities to work together for community events.
- 21/004. The minutes of the previous meeting were approved (GT/LP)
- 21/005. Disclosure of Interests - none
- 21/006. The audited accounts for 2020-21 were approved (LP/KH)
- 21/007. The AGAR Governance Statement was approved (KH/GT)
- 21/008. The AGAR Accounting Statements were approved (KH/GT)
- 21/009. The AGAR Certificate of Exemption was approved by the Chair
- 21/010. The dates for exercise of public rights were set as 140621 to 230721
- 21/011. Clerk's Report: Agreed to renew DALC membership (£65.48)  
First half of precept received (£2100)  
Agreed to retain Covid-19 fund (£212.20)
- 21/012. Planning:  
1/0589/2018/OUT, Thornbury Parish Hall, Application is being considered  
1/1151/2020/OUT, Land at Oaklands Park, 1-2 dwellings, refused  
1/1071/2020/FUL, Bungalow near Ashleigh, refused  
1/0425/2021/AGMB, Class Q for barn at Windy Cross Farm, Application is being considered
- 21/013. Road Warden Report: Investigating with Highways replacement of missing fingerposts and signs. Resurfacing planned for Lashbrook road and New Road Cross area.
- 21/014. Neighbourhood Watch Report: £100 grant received for new signage.
- 21/015. Village events 2021: agreed to support Fun Day & Dog Show on 17<sup>th</sup> July, subject to Covid restrictions permitting. Check PLI with Church (PT & LP)
- 21/016. Report from District Councillor: KJ updated the meeting on Covid business grants paid to date (£41M), the proposed revamp of Bideford centre, the 'Northern Futures' initiative and a variety of other projects.
- 21/017. Date of next meeting: **12<sup>th</sup> August, 8pm at St. Peter's Church.**

The meeting closed at 8.47pm