

## SPETISBURY PARISH COUNCIL

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### Minutes of the Spetisbury Parish Council meeting held on 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2020 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall

Cllrs present: A Cummings, K Adams, S Woodford, S Hall, N Houghton, K Bew, S Dunhill

Members of the Public: 2

#### Agenda:

1. **To Receive Apologies:** Cllr Kerby (DC)
2. **Declaration of Interest and Grant of Dispensation:** None
3. **Open Forum:** Cllr Hall raised the issue of the damp walls in the committee room. The Village Hall Management Committee are to install a dehumidifier as a temporary measure. To be added to next month's agenda.

#### Items for Decision:

4. **Minutes of the Meeting Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2020 were agreed and then signed by Cllr Cummings.** Proposed Cllr Adams, seconded Cllr Bew.
5. **Proposed Purchase of Hedgehog Warning Signs:** It was agreed that the parish Council would purchase these. Cllr Woodford to progress. Proposed Cllr Hall, seconded Cllr Woodford.
6. **Speed Indicator Device:** The device has been ordered and a further survey is taking place at the North End of the village to ensure that that site meets Highways criteria.

Signed

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7. **A350 Community Group:** The Parish Council agreed to continue to support this group who lobby Dorset Council and other bodies to ensure that traffic issues on the A350 are kept in the forefront of any planning. The financial contribution remains at £100.  
Proposed Cllr Woodford, seconded Cllr Adams.
  
8. **To Receive Financial Statement and sign the same:** A copy of the accounting statement was displayed and signed by Cllr Cummings. Proposed Cllr Bew, seconded Cllr Dunhill.
  
9. **Correspondence and Clerk's Report:** A list of all emails and letters received and circulated to councillors was displayed.  
Defibrillator Training – booked for 9<sup>th</sup> March at 7pm. All places filled.  
Roof Repairs – complete.  
Hearing Loop – installed but not yet operational.  
Planning Applications – Suvla Bay proposal has been withdrawn.  
The Council's email address is being withdrawn at some stage this year and a new domain will be needed. This will also affect the website. Clerk to progress.
  
10. **Date of Next Meeting:** Monday 6<sup>th</sup> April 2020 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall Committee Room.
  
11. **Matters of Information and Interest:**  
VE Day Celebrations – clerk to contact Clive Tory to discuss  
Litter Pick – to take place on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> April at 10am.  
Dorset Best Kept Village – it was decided not to enter this competition  
Play Area – Cllr Houghton advised that this was still ongoing and was looking for volunteers to assist with installation once it had all been agreed.  
The Meeting closed at 8.12pm.

**Signed**

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