IDDESLEIGH PARISH COUNCIL

Prior to the meeting commencing the Chairman invited the following people to address the meeting:

There were no public present at the meeting therefore the Public Session was closed.

Minutes of the Iddesleigh Parish Council Meeting that took place on Monday August 8th 2022 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

Present: Chairman Councillor E Sweet, Vice Chairman Councillor J Moore, Councillor J Davidson, Councillor G Ward, Councillor B Down, Councillor G Reddaway.

Also present:

- 1. To receive apologise for absence and consider if the reason for the absence should be formally approved by the council: Borough Councillor B Ratcliffe
- 2. To receive any Declarations of Interest from members:

Councillors are reminded to declare any personal or prejudicial interests they may have in any agenda items: none declared

3. To receive the Minutes of the Previous Meeting held on Monday June 13th 2022:

Copies of which have been previously circulated to members and are to be agreed and signed as a true record of the previous meeting held on June 13th 2022. All in agreement and the Minutes were signed by the Chairman.

4. Report by West Devon Borough Councillor:

Not in attendance

- 5. Past Subject Matters for further discussion:
 - 5.1 [5.2] Village Green: After receiving the Parish Council letter the pub landlord again contacted Lord Iddesleigh to circumnavigate the wishes of the custodians of the green; the Parish Council. He now has permission to place tables on the green for the next couple of years to the detriment of the area. However, the Parish Council have two new memory benches on order and these will be concreted into position [as the others are] when received.
 - 5.2 [9.2] War Horse statue: The clerk had phone calls from the Jennie Scott asking where the finished statue will be sighted. She wanted a meeting with the Borough Councillor to discuss this. I explained that the Parish Council had already made arrangements with Councillor Ward that it would be sited at the War Horse Museum. She has not got her funding through yet and as the council agreed she should not have begun the work until she had received the funding. The clerk will contact the Borough Councillor who is supposed to be sorting the grant.
- 6. Clerks Report and Correspondence received:
 - 6.1 War memorial: Contact Andrew Gist again to ask for a report on the state of the memorial and the cost of cleaning and repairing if required.
 - 6.2 Trees on the Green: The Council are concerned about one of the trees and has already contacted a tree surgeon but have not received a reply. The clerk will write again.
 - 6.3 Temporary Prohibition of Through Traffic: The pub has received permission to close the road outside for their August festival.

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- 6.4 WDBC [My place my views]: WDBC have launched a new consultation asking residents what they like about their neighbourhood.
- 6.5 Latest Crime Figures: These show that Devon & Cornwall continue to be one of the safest places to live and work in the country with the second lowest total crime rate in England.
- 6.6 Village Signs: The village sign by the church needs a sign under it saying: Please drive slowly through the village. The clerk will contact the Locality Officer.

7. Planning:

7.1 North Hall 1012/22/HHO and 1013/22/LBC has received Conditional Approval.

8. Finance:

- 8.1 Statement of Accounts: Current Account £10,356.25 Reserve Account £6,051.19
- 8.2 Clerks Salary & Expenses: these were presented and approved.

9. Matters for further reporting:

- 9.1 Salt for the winter: we have enough stored
- 9.2 Parish Links Northern: items for the agenda can be sent ready for the meeting in December.
- 9.3 Tavistock to Plymouth Railway reopening; information received. The council feel this is not relevant to this area.
- 10. Confidential Discussion:
- 11. Date of next meeting: October 3rd 2022

There being no other business the meeting closed at 8.45pm

Signed:	Dated: 3 rd October 2022