

BEVERSTON PARISH COUNCIL
Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held via Zoom on 1st December 2020

Present: Miss C Lowsley-Williams (Chairman), Mr D Morris, Mr D McMeekin, Mr O Preston, Mr J Rixen-Osterbro, Miss F Gunn (Clerk).

1 Apologies: None

2 Minutes: The minutes of the meeting held on 24th September 2020 were approved and the Clerk will visit the Chairman to get them signed.

3 Matters arising not on the agenda: None

4. Planning Applications: There were no planning applications to report.

5. Road and traffic: Councillors discussed the contents of an email that John Crownshaw had circulated prior to the meeting about the safe-speed community safety system. All were in agreement that this is an interesting scheme and it should certainly be considered further when the Parish Council decide to have another “push” at getting the speed limit reduced from 40mph to 30mph.

Caroline Lowsley-Williams said that Chavenage are trying to get a 20mph speed limit from Tetbury to Chavenage.

6. Precept. After a discussion on the level of the precept for the next financial year 2021/22 it was agreed that the precept should remain the same as the last financial year - £6,000.

7. Financial: The Clerk reported that there is £24,533 in the bank account. There had been one payment made since the last meeting to James Morris for tidying up the War Memorial.

8. Any other business

Winter weather: It was noted that Chavenage, Beverston and Babdown have enough rock salt for the forthcoming winter. The Clerk will ask if anyone needs some salt.

Village access to Beverston Farm track: Dermot McMeekin informed the meeting that he had written to Phil Kinch about allowing villagers to use the link track between the Macmillan Way and the footpath that runs north from the village Church. He is waiting for a response.

9. Date of next meeting: 13th April at 6pm