

# CHOLSEY PARISH COUNCIL

**Minutes of the meeting duly convened and held on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> August 2022 at 7.30pm at The Pavilion, Station Road, Cholsey**

**Present were** Cllrs D. Bamford (Chair), K. Pomlett, V. Bolt, J. Finch, P. Jenkins, I. Neill and S. Park.

**Also present** the Clerk and District Cllr Simpson

## **72. To receive apologies for absence**

Apologies were received Cllrs Hope-Smith, Herbert, Smith and Ford.

It was noted with sadness that Mrs Dyer-Lynch has been unable to complete her Register of Interest forms and has therefor forfeited her place on the council.

## **73. To hear questions or comments from members of the public (max 15 mins)**

There were none.

## **74. To receive any reports from County and/or District Councillor**

District Cllr Simpson reported that there is currently a five-year housing land supply. Councillor grants are still available.

The appeal was discussed.

The promised report from the County Councillor was not received.

## **75. To receive Declarations of Personal and Pecuniary Interest for any agenda items**

There were none.

## **76. To approve and sign the minutes of the meetings held on 20<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> July 2022**

It was **resolved** to approve the minutes of the meetings held on 20<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> July 2022 and they were signed by the Chair.

## **77. To discuss path around the recreation field**

Cllr Bolt outlined the proposals for the path. It was **resolved** to apply for preplanning permission advice and permission from the EA for the path and to hopefully go ahead with the original 1.5 m wide scheme. Materials to be agreed.

## **78. To discuss signs for the Agatha Christie Trail.**

It was **resolved** to purchase a finger sign for the Agatha Christie Trail for a maximum of £300.

## **79. To discuss hedge cutting**

It was agreed to investigate the best way to manage the hedges.

## **80. To note report on planning appeal**

Cllr Pomlett gave a report on the progress of the planning appeal which starts on 31<sup>st</sup> August. It was resolved that Mrs Guiver can speak on behalf of the council. It was noted how much work the residents group have put into the campaign.

## **81. To note the Neighbourhood Plan update**

The examiner has been chosen for the Neighbourhood Plan examination

## **82. To review Action Point Register**

Deferred to next meeting.

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### **83. Items for report or inclusion on next agenda**

- Cllr Neill mentioned how important the defibrillators are. The Tesco defib needs to be checked. Procedures for inspection needs to be reviewed. Training sessions to be agreed.