

## HYDE LEA PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the remote Parish Council meeting held on Tuesday 9th March 2021.

Present -Via Zoom -Parish Councillors; Mr J Eaves [chair]-Mr R Edwards-Mr G Denny-Mr R Pitt.

Via telephone link-Mr W Mason.

Mr D Jones, clerk to the council [via Zoom].

1; The chairman welcomed those present and the meeting started at 2pm.

2; No interests were declared by councillors in respect of any agenda items.

3; The minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 9<sup>th</sup> September 2020 were accepted as a true record.

4; The clerk reported the following actions taken since the last meeting;

He has reminded the County Council about running a camera under the road on Hyde Lea Bank to establish the state of the drain. Nothing has been done to date.

5; Financial matters;

The following invoices had been paid since the last meeting on the chairman's authority. The meeting agreed to the payments as follows.

Cheque No	Item	Amount
001173	G Denny	38.46
001174	Autela Ltd[payroll]	51.25[4 months overdue]
001175	PAYE	148.00
001176	Salary/expenses	591.95
001177	Autela Ltd[payroll]	51.25
001178	Helping Hands [litter picking	169.20

The precept rise of 6% was agreed in January via email, this equals a rise of £1.91 per annum on a Band D property. The meeting formally agreed the precept of £6231.85

Clerk advised that the annual accounts will be prepared shortly for agreement at the May meeting.

6; Planning applications;

All applications have been dealt with to date. It was pointed out that, currently, no documents will be received for applications, they will all come via email, and possibly this procedure will continue indefinitely.

The trench on Green Lane has been dug by Western Power to provide electricity to land owned by Mr Tatton.

7; Correspondence

All relevant emails have been circulated to the councillors.

8; Highways matters;

- Surface dressing. Hyde Lea bank is scheduled for surface dressing at some time during the next 6 months. As this was a disaster last time, the councillors volunteered to observe the works on this occasion.
- Litter picking; the volunteers are doing a great job as the amount of litter has increased during lockdown. One has just been provided with a trolley to help with the volume he is collecting.
- Barn Bank Lane is currently closed as Highways England are working on the motorway bridge as part of the smart motorway programme.

9; The next meeting was provisionally agreed for Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> May. However, until the current lockdown regulations are relaxed it is not known at this stage whether it will be in the village hall or on line.

Meeting ended at 2.35pm

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MEETING AGREED AS A  
TOWN RECORD