

# Lewdown Grouped Parish Council

## Coryton, Lewtrenchard, Marystow and Thrushelton

### Minute No 748

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2022 held at Lewdown Victory Hall commencing at 7.30pm

These minutes are provisional until they have been agreed and then signed by the chairman at the next Parish Council meeting.

Present Cllr Harrop (Chair), Andrews (vice chair), Dawe, Southcott, Vanstone, Wilkinson  
P van Delft (clerk).

Meeting opened 7.33

1. The chair welcomed all those present and stated that we were all living in a period of extraordinary times and asked for a minute silence for those affected by the conflict in Ukraine.
2. Apologies – Cllrs Crocker, McSmythurs, Metherell, Perkins, Yeo, Cllr Mott (WDBC)
3. Members of the public open forum – one member present, no issues raised.
4. Declarations of interest - none
5. Minutes of previous meeting 747 being a true reflection of that meeting was approved and signed Proposed by Cllr Andrews, seconded by Cllr Wilkinson, motion carried, Cllr Dawe abstained.
6. Tamar Energy Community – A presentation by Jeff Evenett for Warmer Healthier homes provided details of how T.E.C. could help householders with in-depth energy advice and support including where appropriate improvements to the home can be made, this service is aimed at people renting or house owners that may have poor health and/or poor or underheated housing, fuel poverty etc. For more details visit their website <http://www.tamarenergycommunity.com/>
7. Planning – Ref 0209/22/HHO – Householder app. For alterations to dwelling with associated works  
Site 2, Woods Field, Lewdown, EX20 4DG  
Council decision – Object- proposed by Cllr Andrews, seconded by Cllr Dawe, motion carried, Cllr Southcott abstained.
8. Emergency plan – Update and emergency equipment from DCT grant - application request. After deliberation it was considered that the list items needed for use in an emergency should be purchased using a grant from Devon Communities Together. Cllr Southcott proposed an application to purchase equipment totaling £1221.93 this sum would come from a grant from D.C.T. Motion seconded by Dawe. Cllr Vanstone abstained, motion carried. Storage of equipment to be considered after consultation with interested parties.
9. Reports from councillors – Cllr Andrews asked if the current council's 'Covid 19 safety precautions could be lifted. Cllr Vanstone reported on the D.H. website highways problems in the Thrushelford area, ref - W221493290, also Cllr Perkins reported on the DH. website highways problems in Coryton area, ref- W221493257.
10. Rampsonwillis recreation ground – Cllr Southcott suggested that planning should now become more urgent due to time restraints.
11. The Queens Platinum Jubilee 2022 – Insurance to be confirmed – action clerk
  - 11.1 Committee members + collaboration partner arrangements.
  - 11.2 Jubilee bench - it was considered that a wooden bench was more suited to the area.
  - 11.3 Beacon site – insurance – action - Cllr Dawe & clerk.
  - 11.4 Celebration arrangements – Road closed for street evening party on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup>, clerk to apply to D.H. for a license.
  - 11.5 Lunch – at Victory Hall on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> a service to be held prior to the lunch.

*Peter van Delft*

*Lewdown Grouped Parish Clerk*

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12. Correspondence - including letter of appreciation from Thrushelton PCC for a grant received. A request from the chair of Lewdown Recreation Ground asking that the LRG is also considered in any current and future planning applications with S106 commitments. Cllr Southcott suggested a register of S106 agreements is kept. Cllr Southcott to provide details of all 106 agreements to the clerk.
13. Statement of Internal Control – After due consideration the document it was resolved to adopt the statement, proposed by Cllr Andrews, seconded by Cllr Southcott, all in favour.
14. Items to be included in the next meeting: Lifting of the Council Covid 19 precautions, V.A.S. signs in the vicinity of the school, flags and flag pole for the village – location and costs.

Date, place and time of next meeting 28<sup>th</sup> March 2022 at Lewdown Victory Hall, 7.30pm

Meeting closed 9.22pm

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