

**MINUTES** of ALL PURPOSES COMMITTEE meeting of 11 November 2021 at Euxton PC Community Centre Annexe, School Lane, Euxton.

Councillors present:

Cllr C Jones (Chair)	Cllr I Hamer	Cllr V Thornhill
Cllr A Oddy (Vice Chair)	Cllr R Peers	Cllr H Tune
Cllr N Hall	Cllr K Reed	Cllr J Williamson

Officers present: D Platt

1. Election of Committee Chair

**Resolved:** Councillor C Jones was elected to be Chair.

2. Election of Committee Vice Chair

**Resolved:** Councillor Oddy was elected to be Vice Chair.

3. Apologies

Cllr P Fellows, Cllr B Williamson.

4. Public participation - none present

5. Minutes of the last meeting

**Resolved:** Minutes of the Meeting held on 10 March 2021 were agreed to be an accurate record and to be signed by the Chairman.

6. Grant application as circulated

Members discussed the application but raised a few questions which the information did not answer. The Committee is minded to make a contribution but did ask for further information to help decide.

Clerk to ask about other funding and grants, exact location for the board and neighbouring properties reaction.

7. Review of the electric sweeper hire and look at other products

Clerk updated on the large electric sweeper and the two small version machines on the demo videos circulated. Discussed purchasing over renting and the advantages and disadvantages.

Clerk to obtain quotations for renting the large sweeper for 3 months and the small machine for 3 months.

Clerk to ask caretakers on the use of the trailer and report back.

8. SPID update on 4 sites installed, consider if more are required and positions

Discussed the four positions and other possible new positions.

Clerk to have LCC investigate new positions at Euxton Lane adjacent to Brook House Grove, Runshaw Lane near to School turn in for Primrose Hill Road and zebra, before the M6.

9. Christmas plans update and discussion

Clerk updated on the arrangements for the 20<sup>th</sup> December. All hands welcome to assist with the event.

## 10. Budget setting

**Resolved:** Members agreed to submit the following precept requests:

<b>2021 / 2022 BUDGET SETTING</b>	PRECEPT <u>21/22</u>
Communications	4250
Grants	6000
Christmas Celebrations	3000
Euxton Gala	1500
Road Safety/SPID	2500
ECO/Trees/Footways/Cycleways	9000
Community Engagement	250
Heritage Projects	3000
Defibrillator Project	4000
Monarch Passing	500
War Memorial	500
Gardens/Planting/Competitions	10000
All Purpose Committee	2500
Street Machines	<u>4000</u>
	51000

Clerk to write to Chorley Council about the footpaths to the south of the village accessed from the farm track past the Cricket Club – need to know if they will be repairing, if they could allow the parish to repair parts.

Discussed the CBC Dog Control Order and agreed to write to CBC to ask for signage in these areas – Cllr Oddy to supply ideal locations for the signage.

## 11. Any other items which need attention or research

Members discussed an email from a resident asking for the Council to carry out actions to help with climate change – members went through the Clerks responses as most of the items are out of this councils control – such as roads, pavements etc. The resident and Councillors were asked for suggested projects the parish council could do, and to submit them.

Members discussed a project, green roofs ie, on bus stops and possibly at the allotment site on the cabin roof.

## 12. Date for next meeting

A meeting will be scheduled for early January, possibly 13<sup>th</sup>, subject to the availability of agenda items and venue.

Chairman closed the meeting.

End 20.26