

MAIDEN NEWTON PARISH COUNCIL

21/01-8 To consider the Climate Change consultation from Dorset Council

The original consultation had been received and was circulated to all. The consultation questions are 26 pages, and the draft plan is 71 pages long. This needs to be submitted by the 20th Jan 21. The Clerk had sent the comments from another PC to SF. SF explained there is also a pressure group meeting and circulating their documents and many Dorset Councillors are attending these meetings. It will take a lot of time to comment on this extensive consultation, but some topic areas are of specific interest to Maiden Newton.

Tony Alford explained that the Council would be happy to receive comments on areas that matter to the PC. This being an in-depth consultation it was agreed that the Councillors will read the comments from another parish and use this as a basis for comment. It was noted that it is difficult to disagree with the Dorset Council view. All Cllrs will consider the other PC submission and a response to the consultation will be submitted prior to the closing date.

Proposed RG

Seconded JE

21/01-9 Council Property:

i. **To receive the monthly risk assessment reports-** all visual inspections carried out.

RG commented on the need for a new volunteer to maintain the flowers at the war memorial, the previous volunteer will be thanked and a notice on the board and a note in the Herald.

RG needs to carry out some maintenance in this area. The PC wreath has been removed from the war memorial and will be reused and a donation made to the RBL, it was suggested that the one for the fire service was also removed RG to let the fire service know.

ii. **To consider the removal of the Bus Shelter on Dorchester Road**

The Council considered this and decided to leave this until this next lockdown is over, given the costs to remove it with all the current regulations for working on the highway and deferred to a future meeting. JE will continue to inspect the bus shelter.

21/01-10 Planning Consultations-

i. **To consider all planning applications:** - None in circulation

ii. **To consider and other planning matters or enforcements-** No response for an update on the planning at Land West of Cattistock Road for 9 dwellings

21/01-11 Finance-

i. **To consider all receipts and payments**

All payments due were authorised to be paid in line with the necessary internal controls and contracts. The PC are now making their payments online. The reports of payments were circulated prior to the meeting:

Payments	Detail	Amount
M Harding	Salary /Exp	£523.31
HMRC	PAYE	£116.00
DAPTC	Training	£23.00
J Carver	Grass contract	£341.66
L Baker	Muga Contract	£100.00
Vision ICT	email	£21.60
L Goff	Notice Board- Allotments	£258.00
SSE	Electric at MUGA	£10.68

