

Crediton Town Council

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Minutes of Crediton Town Council's Parish Paths Sub-Committee Meeting, held on Tuesday 25 October 2022, at 14.00, at The Bungalow, North Street, Crediton

Present: Cllrs G Cochran, J Downes and E Brookes-Hocking

In Attendance: Emily Armitage, Administrative Officer

One member of the public (part meeting)

Absent: Cllr Cairney

1. To elect a Chairman for 2022-23. It was **resolved** to elect Cllr Cochran as Chairman. (Proposed by Cllr Brookes-Hocking)

- **2. To elect a Vice Chairman for 2022-23.** It was **resolved** to elect Cllr Brookes-Hocking as Vice Chairman. (Proposed by Cllr Cochran)
- 3. To receive and accept apologies

None received.

4. Declarations of Interest

Cllr Downes and Cairney declared that as members of more than one authority, any views or opinions expressed at this meeting would be provisional and would not prejudice any views expressed at a meeting of another authority.

5. Public Question Time

The following questions had been sent to the Administrative Officer prior to the meeting:

- Given the Pedlers Pool development, can we look at extending and improving path 24 and has the landowner been asked about this issue.
- Cllr Brookes-Hocking agreed to speak to Laura Conygham regarding any previous conversation with the landowner.
- Have we 106 monies from the Tarka View development that could be used in buying this field and planting trees etc as well as providing a much-needed multi-purpose path
- Cllr Brookes-Hocking advised there is no Section 106 money available to improve footpath 24.

6. Order of Business

There were no changes to the order of business.

7. Chairman's and Clerk's Announcements

There were no announcements.

8. Parish Paths Committee Minutes – To approve and sign the minutes of the Parish Paths Committee Meeting held on 05 April 2022, as a correct record

It was **resolved** to approve and sign the minutes of the Parish Paths Committee Meeting held on 05 April 2022 as a correct record. (Proposed by Cllr Cochran)



- 9. To receive an update on the Parish Path Scheme from Ros Davies, Devon County Council
 The Administrative Officer reported that Ros had not been able to attend the meeting due to
 being on leave. She had updated her with the following information:
 - The £350 allocated for resurfacing footpath 2 in 2020 was stalled, due to the landowner denying permission to access his land. The cost to transport the material along Tinpot was considered too high.
 - P3 workshops were a success.

(Chairman)

- Annual P3 survey forms will be circulated shortly.
- Budgets are completely spent and the financial forecast for next year is not great.
- **10.** Financial Report To receive the financial report relating to Crediton parish paths The Administrative Officer advised there is just over £3,500 available in the budget.
- 11. To discuss extending the handrail on footpath 29 to the bottom of the steps.

 Further information had been issued with the agenda. Councillors agreed for Cllr Cochran to visit the site to measure the length of handrail required.

12.	To agree the date of the next meeting – Tuesday 21 March 2023 The meeting date was noted. The meeting was closed at 14.38.	
	Signed	Date: