

- 22/23/58 **PRESENT** - Cllrs Heale (in the Chair), Olive and Welch.
- 22/23/59 **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE** - were received and accepted from Cllrs Tilbury and Gilbert.
- 22/23/60 **ALSO PRESENT** - 3 members of the public and SCllr (Somerset Councillor) Munt.
- 22/23/61 **IN ATTENDANCE** - the Clerk to the Council
- 22/23/62 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND CONSIDERATION OF ANY DISPENSATIONS REQUIRED** - none declared.
- 22/23/63 **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING** - were confirmed and signed.
- 22/23/64 **UPDATES ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS AND NOT LISTED** - none.
- 22/23/65 **SOMERET COUNCILLORS' REPORTS** - SCllt Munt reported that everyone is still getting sorted out and being assigned their specific responsibilities. Either he or SCllr Martin would try to get to all our meetings and they would be pleased to give any assistance they can.
- 22/23/66 **HIGHWAYS**
- a. Any updates on previous problems - The Clerk reported that she had written requesting a representative from Traffic Management walk along the Broadway with village representatives but had heard nothing as yet. SCllr Munt offered to try to get this happening and the Clerk would send him the details.
- b. Speed Indicator Device - it was agreed that Highways be asked to install the poles. The Clerk would endeavour to get an install date from them.
- c. Signage At Nidon Bridge - no update. The Clerk said she would chase this up.
- d. Broadmead Lane - Unsuitable for HGVs - no update. The Clerk said she would chase this up.
- e. Problems Arising and Any Other Highway Matters -
- i. Broadmead Lane and Edington Road are in need of repair.
 - ii. Broadmead Lane - it was reported that the verges on both sides at the top of the road are very overgrown and need cutting back. The Clerk was instructed to contact the householders concerned as vehicles are forced out into the centre of the road.
 - iii. Other areas requiring cutting back - Vicarage Cottage (Clerk to contact Tamlyns). The top of Manor Road (Cllr Olive would try to trim)
- 22/23/67 **PLANNING** -
- a. 26/21/00006 - erection of dwelling on site of existing stable to be demolished at Broadway Cottage, Broadway - no update at 06/06/22 (the Clerk's electricity and modem had failed so she had not been able to check the status of applications immediately prior to the meeting.)
- b. 26/21/00007 - erection of one self-build dormer style bungalow on land to East of West Close, Church Road - no update at 06/06/22.
- c. 26/22/00003 & 26/22/00005 Full application and listed building application - erection of dwelling with works to existing gardener's hut at Edington House, Broadmead Lane - no update at 06/06/22.
- d. 26/22/00004 Nidon Land application - no update. The Clerk reported that although she had submitted the application for the land on both sides of Edington Road the application was still listed as being on the West side. She had reported this to SDC and asked for it to be corrected.
- e. Any other planning matters - Edington School Room - it has been confirmed that no listed building application is required for this although an application has been submitted.

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22/23/68 **GRASS CUTTING** - the specification of the work was amended with regard to frequency and areas requiring attention. It was agreed to ask for quotes for each cut and that the work should be carried out reasonably promptly following a telephone call.

22/23/69 **NEW LGA CODE OF CONDUCT** - It was agreed to adopt the new Code of Conduct as provided by SALC, SDC and SCC.

22/23/70 **HM THE QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE** - Cllr Heale reported that Cllr Tilbury had asked him to thank all those involved for their efforts including all the other councillors. The events went well and the street and Church were decorated. The festive feeding arrangements were set up in the Church because of the rain.

22/23/71 **EMERGENCY PLAN FOR THE VILLAGE** - no update.

22/23/72 **HOLY WELL** - on hold.

22/23/73 **RIGHTS OF WAY, FOOTPATHS** - nothing to report.

22/23/74 **PUMPING STATION** - no noticeable problems following recent rain. (This also applied to the telegraph pole at the end of Chandlers Lane.)

22/23/75 **NIDON LAND** - is being kept tidy. Some of the trees have been blown askew. A villager offered stakes to help their recovery.

22/23/76 **BIKE STAND** - on hold.

22/23/77 **LAPTOP AND BACKUP FACILITY** - on hold.

22/23/78 **FINANCE**

a. Accounts check - statements and accounts had been sent out with the agenda and were approved.

b. Cheques for signature - were approved as follows:- Chq.956 J Marshall (salary and expenses) £354.66; 957 J Welch (Jubilee provisions) £8.39. The Clerk had contacted Gallagher regarding the insurance to ensure that the SID would be included. She had not yet heard back but would contact them again. It was agreed that a cheque for the insurance could be signed between meetings if this proved necessary. Another outstanding sum to be paid is for Cllr Olive's strimmer training for the footpaths.

c. Jubilee Grant received - A grant of £200 had been received from SDC. This would be put towards the costs of the plaques and the commemorative board.

d. New Bank Mandate - no update.

e. Any Other Finance Matters - none.

22/23/79 **ITEMS FOR INFORMATION, CIRCULATION, DISTRIBUTION** - none.

22/23/80 **URGENT CORRESPONDENCE** - none.

22/23/81 **ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING(S)** - Broadway walk with Highways representative.

22/23/82 **DATE OF NEXT MEETING** - Thursday 14th July 2022 in Edington School Room at 7pm

The meeting closed at 7.59pm

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