

BISHOPSTEIGNTON PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES

OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL HELD 7.00PM TUESDAY 4TH MAY 2021 VIA ZOOM

PRESENT: Cllrs. Merritt (Chair), Benham, Gateshill, Gill, Grimble, Head, Lambert, Shaw, Tucker & Watson (10/11).
Clerk to the Council Mrs. K. Ford, County Cllr. Peart and 2 members of the public.

APOLOGIES: Cllr. Moore (1/11)

DOI: NONE

2644 ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

It is proposed by Cllr. Lambert, seconded by Cllr. Gateshill, that Cllr. Merritt be nominated as Chairman of Bishopsteignton Parish Council. Agreed unanimously therefore it is **RESOLVED** that Cllr. Merritt is duly elected and proceeded to sign a Declaration of Acceptance of Office for this role.

Cllr. Merritt thanked his fellow councillors for their support over the previous year and was grateful and honoured by the nomination.

2645 ELECTION OF VICE CHAIRMAN

It is proposed by Cllr. Merritt, seconded by Cllr. Lambert, that Cllr. Gateshill be nominated as BPC Vice Chairman. Agreed unanimously therefore it is **RESOLVED** that Cllr. Gateshill is duly elected as Vice Chairman.

2646 COMMITTEE & WORKING PARTY MEMBERSHIP: The membership below is agreed by all members:-

ASSET MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE Cllr. Kate Benham Cllr. Robert Gateshill (Chair) Cllr. Reg Gill Cllr. June Grimble Cllr. Keith Lambert Cllr. Henry Merritt Cllr. Nicholas Shaw Cllr. Martin Tucker	PLANNING COMMITTEE Cllr. Kate Benham (Chair) Cllr. Robert Gateshill Cllr. June Grimble Cllr. Jo Head Cllr. Keith Lambert Cllr. Henry Merritt Cllr Richard Moore	FINANCE & PERSONNEL COMMITTEE Cllr. Kate Benham Cllr. Robert Gateshill Cllr. Reg Gill Cllr. June Grimble Cllr. Henry Merritt (Chair) Cllr. Martin Tucker
CLIMATE & ECOLOGY ACTION working party Cllr. June Grimble Cllr. Henry Merritt Cllr. Jonathan Watson Cllr. Nicholas Shaw	OBJECTIVES & PRIORITIES working party Cllr. Kate Benham Cllr. Henry Merritt Cllr. Jonathan Watson Cllr. Nicholas Shaw	TEIGN ESTUARY TRAIL Joint steering group Cllr. Kate Benham Cllr. Jo Head Cllr. Keith Lambert Cllr. Henry Merritt (Chair) Cllr. Richard Moore
BERT COMMITTEE Mrs. Elaine Cawthraw (Chairman) Mr. Roger Gallagher Mr. Alan Gillespie Mr. Peter Head Mrs. Liz Kirkland		TEIGN ESTUARY TRAIL Joint steering group Cllr. Kate Benham Cllr. Jo Head Cllr. Keith Lambert Cllr. Henry Merritt (Chair) Cllr. Richard Moore

2647 REPRESENTATIVES: The following members were agreed to represent BPC:

BISHOPSTEIGNTON COMMUNITY CENTRE: Cllr. Merritt

TEIGN ESTUARY PARTNERSHIP: Cllr. Merritt

ST JOHNS CHURCH MAINTENANCE: Mrs. K. Ford (Clerk)

DCC HIGHWAYS LIAISON: Cllrs. Benham, Lambert & Merritt

TALC: Cllrs. Lambert & Merritt

POLICE LIAISON: Cllr. Richard Moore

THE CHAIRMAN CLOSED THE MEETING AT 7.20PM

APPROVED BY THE COUNCIL & SIGNED BY THE CHAIRMAN: 21.06.21