

St Ive Parish Council
Minutes of the Parks & Opens Spaces Committee Meeting
Held at 11.a.m. on Friday 25th March 2022 in the
Committee Room, Millennium House, Pensilva

**Item
No.**

1. **Those Present:** Cllrs. I Vaughan (Comm Chairman) M Carr, N Libby, P Dipper, M Corney

2. **Apologies:** J Hoskin (Parish Clerk)

3. **Public Session:** Two members of the public attended voicing their concerns re ownership, access and responsibility of Goodman's Lane which also gives access to private homes. A lengthy discussion followed with information being given by the 2 members of the public and information from members of the committee re the Lane not being officially named, as to whether it is a Public Right of Way, Bridle Path etc., Many questions and answers need to be sought from Cornwall County Council to clarify this ongoing situation. Committee Members were able to assure the home owners that they would be kept informed of any information received.
Goodman's Lane has been used constantly by the public, dog walkers And horse riders for over 20 years

4. **Declaration of interest on items on the Agenda** None declared.

5. **Minutes:** To approve the Minutes of the meeting held on Friday 25th February 2022. Proposed Cllr N Libby, seconded P Dipper. All in Favour. The Minutes were signed by Cllr I Vaughan (Comm. Chairman)

6. **Matters Arising/ Matters outstanding not included on this agenda**
Item 7 on Agenda:
 - a) To receive information on the situation of Shute Lane – no feedback from Parish Clerk
 - b) To receive information on the situation of Piggy Lane – the fallen debris has now been fenced off.
 - c) **Item 9 in Minutes dated 25th February 2022** Consideration of complaint regarding misuse of public footpath at the Parish

boundary: Cllr N Libby – No feedback from Parish Clerk.

7. Cllr M Corney informed that Merryhue Farm were creating tables And chairs for St Ive
8. **Item 9 on Agenda.** The setting up a working party of volunteers To help clear roadside verges. A discussion followed re liability etc If working as a volunteer group. Enquiries to be made to clarify the The situation eg risk assessment, to specify where and when, register of volunteers. Does Parish Liability Insurance cover? To identify type type of work, put forward plan of action. P Dipper advised that acting without authority from Cormac/County Council would be unwise. We as a Parish Council must work within the Authority. Proposed P. Dipper, seconded Cllr M Carr and all in favour that approval be sought to tidy up roadside verges in St Ive Parish.
9. **Millennium House Garden Tidy –** Defer plans until May Meeting
- 10 **Playground Safety Inspection –** a suggestion was put forward as to whether a safety consultant be requested to carry out independent checks of the Sunflower Play Area. Martin Green, Millennium House Supervisor does regular checks. P Dipper to make enquiries re Structural Consultant. Matter to be deferred until May Meeting.
11. **Local Maintenance Contract for 2022/23.** Due to receiving no payment For past years Cllr I Vaughan (Comm. Chairman) put forward not to Continue to enrol for 2022/23. It was agreed to request update from The Parish Clerk before decision is made. Deferred to May meeting.
12. **Confirm date of next Committee Meeting** 29th April 2022

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