

# *Deviock Parish Council*

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## **MINUTES of the EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of DEVIOCK PARISH COUNCIL held at the METHODIST CHURCH, MAIN ROAD, DOWNDERRY at 1pm on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2022**

**PRESENT:** Parish Cllrs. Mr. M. Gibbons (Chair), Downderry Ward  
Mr. J. Candy, Seaton Ward  
Mrs. A. Thorpe, Hessenford Ward  
Mrs. A. Robinson, Hessenford Ward  
Mr. D. Cormack, Hessenford Ward  
Karen Pugh (Parish Clerk)

### **1. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS & REQUESTS FOR DISPENSATIONS TO SPEAK ON ITEMS ON THE AGENDA**

- 1.1. To receive declarations of interest from councillors on items on the agenda  
None were received.
- 1.2. To receive requests for dispensations for disclosable pecuniary interests (if any)  
None were received.
- 1.3. To grant any requests for dispensations as appropriate.  
None were granted.

### **2. TO ACCEPT APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE:**

Apologies had been received from Cllrs J Millidge, S England, M Wiseman and J Croft (who had declared an interest in advance for Item 3.2). No apologies received from Cllr H Brockbank. Acceptance for apologies for absence was **proposed** by Cllr J Candy, **seconded** by Cllr A Robinson and **agreed unanimously** by the meeting.

### **3. FINANCIAL ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION**

#### **3.1. PROW quotation 2022**

The quotation of £2,370 (an increase of £210 over 2021) for public rights of way works, small works and memorial garden cuts was discussed by Councillors. Works would begin mid-May. Cllr J Candy **proposed to accept** the 2022 quote. This was **seconded** by Cllr D Cormack and **agreed unanimously** by the meeting.

#### **3.2. Grant application – Deviock Activities Group (operating from the Zone)**

Councillors discussed the £965 grant request from Deviock Activities Group, a start-up group of activities for local residents to support their health and wellbeing. Funding would cover rent subsidies and resources.

Cllr J Candy **proposed to support** the grant request in full. This was **seconded** by Cllr A Thorpe and **agreed unanimously** by the meeting. It was noted that while the Parish Council was happy to help fund the start-up as part of a post-pandemic recovery, ongoing expenses were not usually grant-funded.

#### **3.3. Any other urgent financial items**

None.

**There being no further business, the Meeting closed at 1.06pm.**