MINUTES OF THE ORDINARY MEETING OF CLEATOR MOOR TOWN COUNCIL

HELD ON TUESDAY 13th June 2023 AT THE TOWN COUNCIL OFFICE At 6.30pm.

Present:

Cllr P Burns

Cllr L Jones-Bulman

Cllr C Campbell

Cllr N Ford

Cllr D Hully

Cllr J Hully (Chair)

Cllr M Messenger

Cllr D Riley

Mr S Richardson.

(Clerk/Finance Officer)

204/22. To receive and accept apologies for absence.

Apologies from Cumberland Councillor M Eldon received and noted.

205/22 To approve and sign the minutes of the meeting held on 16th May 2023.

Approved and signed.

206/22 Declarations of interest of items on the agenda.

Cllr Ford declared an interest in Healthwatch and Dave Farrell. Cllr J Hully declared an interest in Dave Farrell, RNEC and Blueskies.

207/22. Applications to the Clerk for dispensations.

None received.

208/22 Public/Elected Officer participation.

Cumberland Councillor L Jones-Bulman informed members that the new Cumberland community panels were up and running it's a new process which they are hoping to move forward. %00K has been allocated across Cumberland community panels with 64K allocated to the South Copeland panel. The community panels will have a panel which can co-opt up to 3 people who can bring ideas forward and also a network panel with the intention of having business

involvement which can be utilised to grow the funding, the priority for the panels initially being to identify their key priorities.

209/22 To review planning applications.

- 4/23/2147/OF1. Proposed dormer to the front elevation 4 Todholes Road Cleator Moor.
- 4/23/2129/OF1. Four bedroom detached Bungalow and garage, Churchside 1 Cricketers view Cleator.

210/22 To discuss the letter received from Egremont Town Council re Sellafield parking.

Resolved to forward some advisory comments regarding the issue of inconsiderate parking in Egremont but a meeting was not felt to be beneficial at this point. Clerk to forward.

211/22. Land at Big Hill.

Members informed that the artists painting the wall will be back on site 21^{st} and 22^{nd} July. Resolved that the Clerk will prepare an updated landscape works plan for presentation at the next meeting.

212/22 Update on the Planting for Pollinators and Coastal Forest projects.

Members were updated on both projects; we are currently awaiting some plans from Cumbria Wildlife Trust regarding PFP. Members informed that with Cumbria County Council previously being the lead partner on the CFP Cumberland Council were now not the lead partner and as such can only help on projects on Cumberland Council owned land. Resolved that the Town Council take over responsibility for the application to the Coastal Forest project.

213/22 Prospect Row playpark.

Resolved quotes for the essential maintenance be sought also quotes for ongoing improvements. Clerk to arrange and present options for annual maintenance of equipment be built into the landscape budget for the park.

214/22 To discuss concerns raised regarding parking at the Birks Road junction.

Members were informed of more concerns raised by residents regarding parking on high st near the junction with Birks Road. Enforcement officers have been patrolling and moving cars on however this is not stopping the issue. Clerk to write to Highways again to update them on the concerns raised and ask for potential solutions.

215/22. Finance.

To approve a schedule of payments for June 2023. Approved.

To note the bank reconciliation's up to end of May 2023. Noted and approved.

216/22 To discuss quotes for work.

Resolved this item be deferred to another meeting as 2 of the requested quotes are still outstanding.

217/22 Items for inclusion on the next agenda. Please note that decisions cannot be taken on these items until formally included on an agenda. 218/22. To approve the date of the next meeting to be held on the 11^{th} July 2023 at 630pm.

Approved Meeting closed 8.10pm. Signed

Dated