

East Donyland Parish Council
Maintenance Committee Meeting – 19 February 2020
RCRC Hut, Lion Quay
MINUTES

Present: Cllrs P George, R Helliwell, N Crouchman, D Myers, P Case, Water Bailiff J Brett, Clerk E Nelson-Hayes & 2 members of the public

- 052/19 To receive and accept apologies and to note absences:** Cllrs Clay & Guy are absent.
- 053/19 To minute disclosable pecuniary & non-pecuniary interest of members:** None
- 054/19 To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 19th December 2019:** RH proposed, PG 2nd – all agreed.
- 055/19 Public forum - to receive information or queries from members of the public relevant to Maintenance Committee business:** none
- 056/19 To receive a report from the water bailiff Julian Brett.** Very good & clear report. Notes from the report; Pics have been sent to the Clerk to identify abandoned boats & it will feature in the weekly email before being destroyed at the end of March. *-Action the Clerk* Volunteers are needed for the river clear up at the end of March, advertise *-Action the Clerk* Quotes for the ladders will be worked on and sent in time for March Full council meeting *-Action JB & RH*, questions raised about suitability of the ladders and who can safely install them. Rafting; extra signage, wording to be finalised, deterring rafting, boats being monitored and reported to the harbour master. Excluding rowing vessels from the no rafting rule *-Action the Clerk* The quayside near Thanet walk, the underneath has erosion-needs to be investigated. Levelling of the mud to accommodate barges, check the rules for mud moving *-Action the Clerk*
- 057/19 To receive a report from the Footpath rep Julian Brett.** Another well written report, thanks to Julian for this. Notes; The Towpath ask CBC when they will be finishing it *-Action the Clerk*
- 058/19 To receive information and agree expenditure to replace old ladders on the quaysides & floating pontoon.** Covered under agenda item 056/19
- 059/19 To review the updated Action List pertinent to the Maintenance Committee:**
- Delete completed items – *Action the Clerk*
 - Circulate tree survey quotes *-Action the Clerk*
 - Burial Ground Gate is with Fabian
 - Update Pearson Quay item to add Lion Quay & proposed cost *-Action the Clerk*
 - Surfacing under tables, speak to contractor for up to date quote *-Action the Clerk*
 - Add Burial Ground tidy up date, with detail – *Action RH & DM*
 - Strimming Heath Rd, completed Tuesday 25th Feb *-Action DM*
 - Chipping churchyard branches Tuesday 25th Feb *-Action DM*

Note; tarmac & reinstate the memorial tree footpath (FP 22) as suggested by a resident. The ecological impact is not in line with the ethos as voted by the Council in the latter part of 2019. The widening of the path on the school side is being done.

- 060/19 To note time and date of next meeting as 15 April 2020, 7pm RCRC Hut;** Noted.

The meeting closed at 7.35pm. Agreed as a true record.

Signed:.....

Date:.....