

**MINUTES OF THE TREGONY WITH CUBY PARISH MEETING HELD ON MONDAY, 11<sup>th</sup>**  
**APRIL 2022 AT TREGONY VILLAGE HALL**

The Chairman of the parish council, Mr Bob Egerton, welcomed everyone and chaired the meeting.

**PRESENT** 9 parish councillors and 14 members of the parish.

**APOLOGIES** – from Cllr Floyd Norris and Des Mennear

**MINUTES** of the Tregony Parish Annual Meeting held on Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> April 2019 were read and agreed.

**MATTERS ARISING** – none

**REPORT FROM CHAIRMAN OF THE PARISH COUNCIL**

Cllr Egerton, Chair of Tregony with Cuby Parish Council gave his report:

Tregony with Cuby Parish is a new parish formed from the amalgamation of Tregony Parish and Cuby Parish after Cornwall Council undertook a community governance review in 2019-2020. It came into existence on 1 April 2021.

The first elections for the 10 seats on the council were held on 6 May 2021 and the first meeting of the council took place on 18 May. Since then, the parish council has met on the second Monday of each month.

The new parish council inherited the bank balances of its predecessor authorities, Tregony Parish Council and Cuby Parish Meeting. The parish council's main source of income is from the precept raised on council taxpayers in the parish. In 2021/22 and again for 2022/23, the precept has been set at the sum of £25,000 equivalent to approximately £58 per annum for a council tax band D property. Other income comes from the council tax grant from Cornwall Council, a contribution from Cornwall Council towards the costs of maintaining public footpaths, grant money from Tregony Windfarm, and cemetery fees.

The main items of expenditure of the parish council comprise:

Salary to the clerk who is responsible for the administration of the council's affairs

Grass cutting of the public open spaces, and street cleaning and minor works

Cutting of the rural footpaths and bridleways

Maintenance of the clock tower

Electricity supply and maintenance of 6 street lamps that have not been adopted by Cornwall Council  
Tyller Teg play area

Maintenance of the cemeteries

Capital projects from time to time, e.g. the improved access from Back Lane to Tyller Teg and the sports field, Maintenance of the parish council website

Total expenditure in 2021/22 and 2022/23 will exceed the annual income by about £10,000 in each of these years but will be adequately covered by the monies accumulated in the council's reserves.

I was privileged to have been elected as chairman of the parish council for 2021/22. In May 2022, at the council's annual meeting, there will be an election for chairman for 2022/23 (this in accordance with council procedures of electing a chairman each year). I will not be putting myself forward for the position this time as I feel that it is right and proper that other councillors should have the opportunity to take on the role.

**REPORT FROM CORNWALL COUNCILLOR**

Cllr Julian German gave his report to the meeting.

He was previously Cornwall County Councillor for the Roseland from 2005-2009.

Progress has been made with Housing and Highways and he is also helping make tentative progress on the hydro electric project in the parish. Extra parking has been made within Roseland Crescent, and funding from the Truro & Roseland Network panel will see the junction to the Primary School by

St Cuby Church made safer with the addition of yellow lines preventing cars parking and blocking the junction / obstructing vision and safety.

The parish is experiencing challenges with the pandemic/ climate change/ Ukraine situation but the great community spirit that lies within the village will help any changes.

**POLICE REPORT** – no police were present

**PARISH REPORTS**

Reports were received from the following parish organisations:

Tregony WI

Tregony Seniors

Tregony Village Hall

Hugh Boscawen Charity

Tregony Clockhouse Players

Tregony Bible Christian Church

St Cuby Church PCC

Members present gave their reports.

**QUESTIONS & REPRESENTATIONS FROM PARISHIONERS**

- 1 Mr Colin Brown requested that the Parish Notice Board on Fore Street be replaced. Needs to be larger and more accessible
- 2 Warm Homes – Energy Plus – the Almshouses took the info offered by the parish council a while ago and has been able to apply and get funding.
- 3 Some members of the public voiced their observations about the parking experiment on Fore Street. The parish council will be reviewing the situation at the next meeting.

**As there was no further business** the Chairman thanked everyone for their attendance and declared the meeting closed.

Note: these minutes are draft until they have been ratified at the next annual parish meeting