PAINSCASTLE COMMUNITY COUNCIL

MINUTES of the MEETING of PAINSCASTLE COMMUNITY COUNCIL 19th May 2014

The Chairman, Cllr Mrs T Davies, opened the meeting and the following were present: Cllrs Mr PJ Lewis, Mr M Graham, Mr GD Jones, Mr R Ball, Mrs J Smith and Powys C Cllr Mr C Davies.

Apologies were received from Cllrs Mr R Tyler and Mr DA Nicholls

As there were no other objections to the minutes of the meeting held on 17th March and 1st May 2014 these were signed by the Chairman.

- PLANNING: a. 3 Begwyns View, this application was for a circular garden shed and although objections had been put forward, regarding its size and location, planning had been granted.
 - b. Upper Pengarth, Painscastle this application was for the erection of a single wind turbine 48.3m to the tip. Planning had previously been granted for this application but later withdrawn due to an error. This new application had been discussed at our previous meeting but planning had still not been granted.

FINANCE: a. Accounts (i) Current a/c £1519.36

- b. Audit, this had been completed and audited by Mrs Maureen Lloyd our internal auditor. Section 1 and 2 of the Audit was approved by the Council and duly signed by the Chairman and Clerk. This would now be sent to the external auditor for checking.
- c. Insurance, £ 243.80 was now due for payment and this was agreed by the meeting.
- d. Clerk's remuneration, it was proposed by the Council to raise the expenses for the Clerk by £50, this was agreed by all the members.

HIGHWAYS: a. Mill Bridge, near Painscastle, this would now be closed until August.

- REPORTS: a. County Councillor, Chris Davies gave a short report again highlighting the cuts in Powys's Budget and changes to the staff at County Hall. The state of the road from Rhydspence to Dolycanney would be looked at, part of which was in Herefordshire.
 - b. Rhosgoch school, this was now officially closed and would be advertised for sale. No local group had come forward to take on the repair and upkeep of the multi-court and gardens.

CORRESPONDENCE: a. PAVO would be holding outreach sessions during 2014, date and time can be found on the PAVO website.

b. Queens Baton relay, the baton would be passing through the area on its way to the Commonwealth Games in Glasgow.

Signed by the Chairman Cllr Mrs J. Smith 18.8.2014