# Germansweek Parish Council

Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting of Germansweek Parish Council (246)

Held at 7:30pm on Wednesday 19th February 2025 in the Village Hall

Present: Cllrs: J Jones, L Moyse, H Millgate, S Watkinson, WDBCllr T Southcott, Clerk R Ward

## Minutes - Ordinary Meeting

Public Open Session: To receive comments and questions from members of the public (restricted to 15 mins)

1. Apologies: Cllr Morris and WDBCllr Mott sent apologies.
2. Report from West Devon: (Councillors Mott/Southcott) Cllr. Southcott explained that the WDBC budget had been approved. There was some discussion about devolution.
3. Declaration of interests: Councillors to advise of any interests in agenda item/s and to remind councillors to keep their register of interests up to date with WDBC and the Clerk.
4. Minutes: To agree and sign minutes 22nd January 2025 (245) ***Agreed***
5. Planning: None
6. Finance:
   1. Bank reconciliation, Budget monitoring (RFO Report): Clerk ***Agreed***
7. Roads and Ditches: update Cllr Jones will report the pot holes on the corner at Boldventure
8. Saxon cross in Graveyard: P Allen /clerk: The PCC are not going ahead with this renovation at this this. The PC agreed that they would rather support repairs to the fabric of the church at this point.
9. Hi speed broadband: (Cllr Watkinson). There was a discussion about lack of planning ermission for the poles that have gone up in Eworthy. Airband are still leaflet dropping and advertising heavily but Cllr Watkinson ordered a dish from them in November and is still waiting for installation
10. Footpaths P3: (– update ) A parishioner has complained that his gates, across the foot path past Bidlake Farm are being left so the foot path is clear (gates are left “open”)*.* Clerk will seek advice, from the rights of way officer, about this as it seems that leaving them closed across the path could be blocking the right of way.
11. Correspondence: None
12. Items for future agenda: as raised: Flower show

Date of next meeting: 19th March 2025 at 7:30 in the Village Hall