



Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Tuesday 17 February 2026

Present: Councillors J Greville (Chair), P Lightfoot, L Luxton, D Northcott, P Pinches, M Potter, R Smith, R Taper, Parish Clerk, Councillor J Candy (CC)

020/26 Open Session

PCSO S Cocks had sent in the following report. Please accept my apologies for my nonattendance at this month's Community Council meeting. From 01/01/26 – 31/01/26 there were 3 crimes in the public domain inc. 2 criminal damages & 1 harassment crime. Both the criminal damages involved hedges being cut down or trimmed on neighbouring properties. We have also had reported a case of sheep worrying which is being dealt with but would remind all dog owners to make sure they have control of their dog at all times especially if there is livestock in fields. If you have CCTV or video doorbells such as Ring then please register on NICE Investigate, I've attached details with the report. I've been made aware of ASB around and in the Crumplehorn toilets which has been reported and under investigation. Numerous patrols have been conducted around the area, and all was found to be in order. If there are any questions or matters arising for my attention, then please contact me in the usual manner.

Councillor J Candy raised the following points:-

- A) Parking consultation is now closed. Note the Just Park app gives significant discounts.
- B) I have got some information from Cllr White re evening buses.
- C) Highway Improvement: Are there any projects to express an interest for funding?
- D) NDP; I followed this up with officers. Some policies are still valid, it is mainly those policies re site allocation which are no longer relevant, due to increased housing numbers required by government. The PCC will need to wait until CC local plan is in place to update site allocation policies in line with new housing numbers
- E) The consultation re Tamar Tags increases to Account Fees will be announced soon
- F) A request to improve the bus stop at Ten Creek is being followed up
- G) The budget for CC is next week.

A parishioner raised concerns about a blocked drain on Landaviddy Lane outside Beach House on the Hill that has been reported numerous times that is causing flooding further down the road. Councillor Candy offered to follow up.

021/26 Closed Session

Apologies for Absence – Councillors A French, S Morton, M White, PCSO Cocks

022/26 Declarations of Interest

None

023/26 Minutes of the Meeting held on 20 January 2026

It was resolved to approve the minutes of the meeting held on the 20 January 2026 which were confirmed as a true and correct record.

024/26 Matters Arising from Last Meeting's Minutes (not addressed in the agenda)

None

025/26 Finance

It was resolved to approve the financial statements that had been circulated including expenditure totalling £5204.53.

026/26 Planning Applications

Applications

There were no objections to the following applications:-

- PA26/00369 Chequets The Warren Works to trees in a Conservation Area, a large Monterey Pine, to reduce the end weight of around 6 branches.
- PA26/00733 Kit Hill House Talland Hill Works to Tree(s) within a Conservation Area (TCA) Namely remove T3, T5, T6, T7, T8, and T9 - damaged Monterey Pine group left vulnerable after storm. Remove T30, T31 and T32 - all Monterey Pine
- PA26/00436 Farm Buildings North West Of Porthallow Farm Porthallow Siting of agricultural machinery building on existing yard at Porthallow Farm
- PA26/00444 Polperro AFC Sports Ground Killigarth Retention of the hardcore covered access and car parking area

Approved

- PA25/08466 Crabbers Rest Lansallos Street Change of use from residential (living room) to commercial (small clothes shop) no change to existing layout

Planning required

- PA25/08328 The Kitchen The Coombes Prior approval for conversion of a commercial business to a single dwelling containing double bedroom, bathroom, kitchen, utility, lounge/dining room with no external Alterations

Appeal

It was agreed to review the PCC objections relating to the appeal and forward on:-

- Appeal Notification PA25/08533 The Pallace, Quay Road

027/26 Reports

None

028/26 Bus service Polperro

The working group had met with the R Stevens MD of Go Bus South West. The following suggested timetable had been put forward. Polperro Centre 19.30 then hourly to 23.30 Returning from Tregoad 20.00 hourly to 23.00 It would run from the village centre in Polperro to the Trelawne Manor turn, the junction of Tencreek then through Looe via West Quay terminating at Looe Tregoad. R Stevens had agreed to look at the figures and feedback if it was viable.

029/26 Public Toilets update

The insurance claim had been approved for the damage to the Crumplehorn ladies toilets. A contractor would be starting work shortly. There had been further ASB in the mens toilets and the Police had been informed and are monitoring the situation.

030/26 Big Green mural

No further progress.

031/26 Lansallos Church - Grant Towards Graveyard Maintenance

It was resolved to make a donation of £600.

032/26 Appointment of internal auditor

It was resolved to appoint L Coles who had been confirmed as independent.

033/26 Village Hall update

It was agreed to organise a meeting with the VHClO date TBC.

034/26 Correspondence for action

- Cornwall Beaver Project letter of support wanted. Further information to be requested.

035/26 Clerks Report

- Nothing to report

036/26 Correspondence for information

- Anna Gelderd MP's Weekly Update
- Neighbourhood Priorities Statements (NPS)
- Youth Transformation Pilot launches Support Fund
- Planning News for Local Councils and Agents - latest quarterly newsletter now published
- Response to Storm Chandra
- South East Cornwall CAP climate change network - meeting dates
- New CIL fund 2026
- Kilminorth Klipping update
- CCFW Winter Newsletter
- Polruan Shuffle 14th March

037/26 Time, Date and Venue of Next Meeting – 7.00pm on Tuesday 17 March 2026 in the Village Hall

Signed **Date**