WINSFORD PARISH COUNCIL

DRAFT Minutes of the Extra-ordinary Meeting of Winsford Parish Council Held on Monday 1 June 2020 at 2.30pm virtually via Zoom

PRESENT: Councillors: Colin Wilkins (CW) – Chair, Kevin Connell (KC), Sarah Little (SL), David Luscott (DL), Mel Mileham (MM), Patrick Watts-Mabbott (PWM), SWaT Cllr Steven Pugsley, (SP), one member of the public (developer of new website), and Parish Clerk Nic Kemp (NK)

CW opened the meeting at 2.30pm

31.1 Queries submitted by members of the public – None

31.2 Apologies for Absence – John Bray

31.3 Declaration of Interests - None

31.4 To determine the way forward for the new website, including a) ownership and responsibility, b) inclusion of village information, and c) editorial control

CW explained that due to misunderstanding over ownership of the new website, and the advice from SALC regarding the presence of a forum, the trial period of the website had not proceeded. The website designer indicated that domain name ownership would generally indicate website ownership.

1. KC prop, DL sec, welcoming the new independent village website, and doing what Council can to support it. Agreed - 3 for, 0 against, 3 abstain.
2. KC prop, MM sec, retaining the existing website for holding Council information and look at modernising and replacing as necessary. Unanimously agreed.
3. CW prop, PWM sec, leaving all forwarding links, and content, as at 1 June 2020, in place until further decisions are made with regards to the Council website. Unanimously agreed.
4. CW prop, KC sec, that DL investigate specialised parish council website developer, and NK request information from neighbouring parish council also investigating new website. Unanimously agreed.

CW will confirm if previous editor is still updating the old website.
Council to meet again to consider next steps from above actions at 2.30pm on Monday 29 June 2020.

SL left the meeting at 4.10pm
There being no further business, the CW closed the meeting at 4.15pm

Date……. Signed…….