

Crowan Parish Council

MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC RIGHTS OF WAY COMMITTEE MEETING HELD IN THE PARISH ROOMS, CROWAN ON THURSDAY, 26th APRIL 2012 @ 7.30pm

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Present:	Cllr. Dr. Jenkin (Chairman)	Cllr. Mrs Muriel	Cllr. Trevan
	Mr Les Hudson		
In Attendance:	Mr Bob Sanders (Contractor)		
Apologies:	Cllr. Roberts (ex officio)	Cllr. Hosken	Mrs Thompson (Clerk)
	Mr Colin Bayes (CC)		

Ref.	Agenda Item	Action
	<u>Chairman's Welcome and Public Forum</u> – the Chairman welcomed those present. In the absence of the Clerk, Cllr. Muriel took the Minutes.	
PR17/2012	<u>Apologies for Absence</u> – see above.	
PR18/2012	<p><u>PROW Issues</u> – Members to receive an update, regarding:</p> <p>a. <i>PROW/207/16</i> – Minute PR15a/2012 refers. Members considered a possible project to install a boardwalk over the boggy area on this path. Mr Sanders to provide a quote. The cost to be funded from any surplus in the 2012 fund.</p> <p>b. <i>PROW/207/21</i> – it was reported that the land is owned by Mr Treloar. The land extends to 111/21 in St Erth Parish and needs rerotovating as Ms Holloway from CC opened this last year. The Clerk to advise Ms Holloway</p> <p>c. <i>PROW 207/38</i> – possible direction sign on the footpath opposite going through Clowance Wood Farm. Noted it is signed at the other (western) end and the footpath was moved with a diversion order several years ago. Mr Wills does not want a directional sign, However a new sign would be useful to make the diversion route clear for the public. The Clerk to advise Mr Colin Bayes. Diversion is not shown on up-to-date map so possibility of putting diversion signs on verge. The Clerk to liaise with Highways.</p> <p>d. <i>PROW 207/68/2</i> – CC has been asked to install an extra directional sign by the small gate on Little Borthog Farm, Praze.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Type/condition of existing signs. • Directional signs – Mr Dan Senior, CC advises that the larger rectangular signs should only be used where a Highway meets a PROW. So a small directional sign is appropriate on this site. <p>Deferred to a future Meeting.</p> <p>e. <i>PROW 207/100</i> – it is impossible to get through by Hr. Buscaverran Farm Mr Sanders and Ms Holloway met to identify the route; and the path has since been re-opened. Photographs are available. Mr Sanders reported Royal Fern has been found. No further action.</p> <p>f. <i>PROW/207/104/1</i> – has sheds, bird cages, etc. built over it. Mr Sanders reported this matter is ongoing.</p> <p>g. <i>PROW/207/124</i> – Ms Holloway advises that the asbestos on the bridleway is being investigated by the Police and her Department. It appears that asbestos is still being deposited but due to budget restraints they are not in a position to remove it. Cllr. Jenkin to clarify, as this may be a hazardous waste</p>	<p>Mr Sanders</p> <p>Clerk</p> <p>Clerk Clerk</p> <p>Cllr. Hosken</p> <p>Mr Sanders</p> <p>Cllr. Jenkin</p>

	<p>h. <i>PROW/207/136</i> – a site visit was made on 5th March 2012 by Mr Ricky Williams CC's Environmental Protection Officer and Mr Brian Edgeler from CC's Commercial Food Team. They saw no evidence of crab processing as previously alleged. They will maintain a watching brief. The Environment Agency appear satisfied that there are no issues regarding possible contamination to the watercourse that they need to follow up.</p> <p>The situation appears to have stopped as there have been no further complaints. To be reviewed in 6 months.</p> <p>i. <i>PROWs 207/50, 207/53, 207/101, 207/105 and 207/110</i> – Ms Holloway advises that s.130A notices have been served on Cornwall Council and are still live. The Clerk to clarify the detail at the next Meeting. If the issue is the styles, these are CC's responsibility and they need to be notified.</p> <p>j. <i>PROW/207/30</i> – the path needs clearing. Mr Sanders to action.</p> <p>k. <i>PROW 207/3/c</i> – Cllr. Trevan and Mr Sanders will visit and discuss with the landowners plans, including issue regarding the stone steps on the east side.</p>	<p>Clerk</p> <p>Clerk</p> <p>Mr Sanders</p> <p>Cllr. Trevan / Mr Sanders</p>
PR19/2012	<p><u>PROW Cutting</u> – programme of walks completed for 2011/12.</p> <p>a. <i>Programme of Walks</i> – Members to set up a programme for 2012, once the scale maps have been issued (see PR20/2012 below).</p>	
PR20/2012	<p><u>2012 Cutting Regime</u> – Cllr Jenkin has 6 copies of the CD, showing all the PROWs, in PDF format. Members were asked to contact her, if they wished to have a copy.</p> <p>Cllr. Trevan and Mr Sanders to complete the regime; 60 of the 142 are already done. Some savings have already been made and cutting has started. When the gold cuts start in Townshend, Mr Sanders to contact Cllr Trevan to meet with Mr Tilley.</p>	<p>All Members</p> <p>Mr Sanders / Cllr. Trevan</p>
PR21/2012	<p><u>Meeting Dates</u> – future meetings to be held on 4th Thursday of each month. The Amenities Committee to be asked reconsider their meeting dates, so as not to clash.</p>	
PR22/2012	<p><u>Agenda Items for next PROW Meeting:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Circular routes, • Points of interest, • Long distance routes, <p><u>Agenda Items for Full Council Meeting</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Possibility of putting on PC website, • Cutting regime budget. 	<p>Clerk</p> <p>Clerk</p>
PR23/2012	<p><u>Meeting Closed</u> – 8.40pm.</p>	

Signature: (Cllr. Roberts)
Chairman

Date: 10th May 2012