



BEMBRIDGE PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of Bembridge Green Town Steering Group meeting held on **12th September 2018 at 4.00pm** in the Parish Office 5 Foreland Road Bembridge

Present: Mr J Lever (Chairman), Cllr S Weedall, Cllr M Donlon, Mr I Graham, Mrs B Clough, Mr T Freeman, Mr J Doolan and Mrs J McDade (Assistant Clerk) **Members of the Public:** 1

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive apologies for absence
Apologies from Cllr Sullivan

2. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING

To receive for approval minutes of the Green Town Steering Group meeting held on 13th June 2018
RESOLVED: Approved minutes of the Green Town Steering Group meeting held on 13th June 2018 and duly signed by the Chairman

Still issues with the rubbish at the Lifeboat, Lane End Road, Chairman to write to Island Roads.
Please note wrong category entered for Wight in Bloom.

3. BEACH CLEANS/LITTER PICK

To discuss beach clean and Autumn Litter Pick
Would like to purchase gardening gloves for the litter picks, these would be more environmentally friendly than the disposable ones issued. IW Day Beach Clean on 23rd September usual starts and Autumn Litter pick 20th Oct starting at Steyne Park. Heavy rubbish needs to be removed from the beach, John, Ian and Tony to sort.

4. WAR MEMORIAL RESTORATION PROJECT

To discuss War Memorial Restoration Project
Work starting any time.

5. VILLAGE TREES

- To discuss Steyne Park Trees audit actions required
Need to order trees to plant Nov-Dec.
- To discuss tree next to bus stop in the War Memorial Gdn needs replacing
Need to ask Arthur Robinson about new tree and costs

6. RIGHTS OF WAY

- To discuss BB19 extension SW
Sheila to draft letter to RSPB regarding footpath to Harbour Farm.
- To discuss Wildlife verges
Island Roads have a policy of rural area's becoming wildlife verges, and the verges around the village are more urban. Steve Warburton through the Welcome Store has raised £913.90 for bulbs around the Village. Sheila will ask Island Roads if we can plant along Lane End Road and Barbara will ask if bluebells can be planted in the wooded area up Kings Road.

7. BONFIRES

To discuss anti-social garden bonfires in Bembridge

PC has information on bonfires but there are no byelaws. Ask IWC Environment Officer to attend a GTS meeting to discuss issue of bonfires.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

To confirm date and venue of next meeting
TBA

Meeting Closed: 5pm

Signed:

Dated: