MINUTES OF THE TURNERS HILL PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 5th MARCH 2024 AT THE ARK

- PRESENT: Cllr B Forbes (Chairman) Cllr S Hughesdon (Vice Chairman) Cllr P Coote Cllr J Forbes Cllr I Gibson Cllr C Jarvis Cllr B Theobald, and Mrs L Bannister (Clerk)
- 189 Apologies Cllr G Marsh
- 190 <u>Declarations of Personal and Disclosable Pecuniary Interests</u> None
- 191 <u>Public Participation</u> No members of the public were present.
- 192 <u>Chairman's Announcements</u> Tulleys Farm has offered to buy and install the notice boards on behalf of the Parish Council, and Cox Skips has offered to dispose of the waste free of charge.
- 193 <u>The Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting</u> held on 6th February 2024 were approved, and signed by the Chairman.
- 194 <u>Matters currently being pursued by the Clerk</u> The Armed Forces Veterans Breakfast Club has been confirmed to speak at the Annual Parish Assembly however the representative from Operation Crackdown is unavailable. The flooded gulley on Church Road is being jetted at the end of March, but they

The flooded gulley on Church Road is being jetted at the end of March, but they believe the pipe to the ditch is broken. The temporary traffic lights are expected to be there until the work is complete.

- 195 <u>Planning Applications</u> It was RESOLVED that MSDC be informed that:
 - DM/24/0106 1 Mountfield Court, Lion Lane No objections
 - DM/24/0230 Land to East of Balcombe Road & south of M23 The Parish Council strongly objects to this application for the following reasons: Turners Hill already has three dog walking fields, and councillors dispute the need for an additional one. This would be the loss of an agricultural field which brings no benefit to the village; Turners Hill already has 3 of these businesses and can't support them. The site is outside the built up area of the village.
 - DM/24/0368 Trees adjacent to 12 Blackbird Hill, Turners Hill Park Defer to Officer

- DM/24/0298 Millwood, East Street The Parish Council objects to this application because it is contrary to DP12 and THP8, as it is new development in the countryside.
- WSCC/006/24 Burleigh Oaks Farm Waste Transfer & Recycling Centre No objections

196 Report on Previous Applications

DM/23/2185	Land east of East Street	Permitted
DM/24/0030	Shamrock Cottage, North Street	Permitted
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- 197 <u>20mph zone</u> It was agreed to write to the Highways Manager to express the Parish Council's disappointment with the decision, to point out inaccuracies in the moderation document and to ask if a 20mph sign posted limit would be more likely to be approved. It was noted that assessments by the Transport and Network Operations and the Road Safety Group are due to take place, and the Clerk will ask for the feedback and when this will take place.
- 198 <u>D-Day</u> It was RESOLVED to purchase the D-Day 80 Flag of Peace at a cost of £28.80. This will be raised by Cllr Theobald on 6th June. The school will be invited to attend.
- 199 <u>Accounts Due for Payment</u> It was RESOLVED that:
 - a The Accounts shown on the schedule as being due for payment be paid;
 - b The Accounts shown on the schedule as being paid since the meeting held on 6th February, be approved; and
 - c The Accounts schedule be duly signed.
- 200 <u>Correspondence</u>

The London 2 Brighton Challenge (walking/running event) will be taking place over the weekend of 25th/26th May. One of their stops will be at Tulleys Farm and they will be using public footpaths as the route. More information can be found at www.ultrachallenge.com/london-2-brighton-challenge.

It was noted that Ms Stanbridge has now stopped collecting cans for recycling; she has raised over £2,000 for the school. A letter will be sent to Ms Stanbridge to congratulate her on this huge achievement.

Meeting closed at 8.12 pm

SignedChairman

2nd April 2024