



# Brean Parish Council

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## Minutes

Minutes of the Brean Parish Council held on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2007  
in the Brean Village Hall at 7pm.

### PRESENT

Councillor Mrs Jackman Chairman  
Councillor J Harris Vice Chairman  
Councillors H Guy, D Scott, T Hicks.  
Electors of Brean totalling 1 persons

In attendance B Hunt, Clerk of the Council  
By Invitation Cllr A Ham (SCC),

### APOLOGIES

Apologies were received from the following:--  
Cllr D Petrie

### ELECTORS OF BREAN ADDRESS THE COUNCIL

The following issues were raised by the electors of Brean :-  
NONE

### MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING

The minutes of the last meeting held on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December 2006  
were approved without amendment by the members and signed by the  
Chairman

### MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

The following issues arose from the last meeting :-

#### RIGHTS OF WAY

There was discussion regarding the rights of way questionnaire requested  
by SCC and the response by the Chairman.

It was confirmed that Cllr David Scott would be our representative for  
Rights of Way

#### SUBMERGED VEHICLE

It was confirmed that we had been unable to obtain the registration number of the vehicle from the police or the beach warden and it was agreed that Cllr David Scott contact the Coastguard to agree a course of action.

ACTION 010107

#### GOVERNMENT WHITE PAPER & UNITARY STATUS

Cllr Alan Ham gave a presentation on the background to the decision by SCC to apply for unitary status and the opposition of the Conservative Group.

Each Councillor had received a questionnaire from SDC to establish their views on this proposal and this should be submitted individually by each councillor ASAP.

#### PLANNING

The following applications were reviewed by members and following responses sent:-

NONE

#### MATTERS DEALT WITH BY SEDGEMOOR DISTRICT COUNCIL

The following applications were reviewed by SDC

NONE

E mails sent to establish status on current applications, SDC database will be reviewed prior to each meeting.

#### BEACH MANAGEMENT 2006

Cllr Harris advised of the Christmas beach clean and of a visit by the Environment Agency subsequent to aq comment from the public re “dumping” on the beach. This was in fact the work on cleaning the beach and movement of sand.

Cllr Mrs Guy advised that there continued to be motor bikes , mini bikes and quad bikes being brought onto the beach in vans.

All councillors (and residents) should attempt to take the number of these vehicles and ensure they are reported to the beach warden and the police.

#### OTHER CURRENT MATTERS

The following current matters were reviewed by the meeting :-

Report from POLICE – to attend next meeting with new PCSO

Report from SALC – Cllr Mrs Guy gave a report on the SALC meeting, details of which will be in the circulation file.

## CORRESPONDENCE

The following correspondence was reviewed for action/filing or circulation

### NEWSLETTERS – CIRC

Somerset Highways – temporary Road Closure Coast Road

SDC – White Paper & Unitary Status

## ANY OTHER BUSINESS

The Members raised the following issues for attention

Cllr Mrs Guy raised the following issues:-

Confirmation that the Lottery Grant of £5k had been fully spent on the car park and that no more grants would be forthcoming.

Cllr Harris to discuss boundary fence with Mr H Allen

## DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be held on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2007 at 7pm in the village hall.

## ACTION LIST

The list of outstanding actions is attached to the current copy of the minutes