

BECKINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Council Meeting held on Zoom
(videoconferencing) on: Tuesday 16th March 2021 @ 7:00pm

Present:

Councillors; Mr Mark Wilson (Chairman), Mrs Paula Fox, Mrs Elizabeth Wright, Mr Roland Kelly, Mr Clive Winterbourne, Mr Kevin Bishop.

In attendance:

Fiona Boobyer, Rory, Dave, Tim

Public participation:

To listen and understand BPC's response to the MDC LPP2 Additional Main Modifications Consultation

County & District Councillors reports:

(None)

Agenda Number:	Agenda Item:
109	<u>Apologies for absence:</u> Simon Pritchard.
110	<u>Declarations of interest & dispensations to participate:</u> None
111	<u>MDC Local Plan Part II – Consultation Response:</u> Cllr Kelly presented Beckington Parish Councils draft response to the Mendip District Council Local Plan Part 2 Additional Main Modifications Consultation. It was suggested to include an item about the traffic around the A36/A361 roundabout. It was proposed by Cllr Fox to approve BPC's response to MDC's LPP2 Additional Main Modifications Consultation and seconded by Cllr Winterbourne.

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112	<p><u>SCC Climate Emergency Fund Application:</u></p> <p>(a) Cllr Fox presented an update. SCC has granted BPC £6k. SCC will let BPC know which part of the application the grant does not cover.</p> <p>(b) As BPC does not know what it can spend the £6k on it was agreed to postpone resolving the next steps.</p>
113	<p><u>Confidential Session:</u></p> <p>It was proposed by Cllr Winterbourne to exclude the Press and the Public from agenda item 114 as it relates to governance and staffing matters, seconded by Cllr Fox.</p>
114	<p><u>Governance and staffing Matters:</u></p> <p>Cllr Bishop presented his verbal report about current HR issues.</p> <p>It was proposed by Cllr Kelly BPC engages an independent Human Resources consultant to undertake an investigation into the issues reported by Cllr Bishop, seconded by Cllr Winterbourne.</p>

End of formal meeting: 21.30

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