**TINTWISTLE PARISH COUNCIL**

 **Extraordinary Meeting held on Monday 1st November 2021 at 7.30pm**

Councillors Present: M Stevenson Apologies: E Scriven

 A Dyer N Naz

T Owens S Grace

P Jenner

**9676 APOLOGIES**

Apologies were received from Cllrs Naz, Scriven, Grace and the Clerk, B M Lowrie. Cllr Dyer taking Minutes

**9677 ALLOTMENT COMMITTEE INSPECTION REPORT**

Cllr Jenner outlined the latest draft Allotment Inspection Report. The Report was accepted by Cllrs subject to it being discussed fully by the Allotment Committee, with recommendations for actions in readiness for the next Council Meeting on 15th November.

**9678 DERBYSHIRE WILDLIFE TRUST / HOLYBANK QUARRY REPORT**

The extensive and comprehensive Report on Tintwistle Quarry, prepared by Hollie Fisher was reviewed and discussed. Considerable help and support is available from DWT. The recommendations is to create a “Friends of Holybank Quarry” group and a resident has been identified as an unpaid Quarry Warden. This post, coupled with other wardens could ensure that all the recommendations contained within the Report can be implemented, including incorporation into the Climate Change Plans for the Village.

It was proposed that Holybank Quarry be added as an Asset of Community Value. Proposed by Cllr Jenner, seconded by Cllr Owens.

Cllr Jenner to establish the owner of the land to the right of the Quarry entrance and immediately behind the high wall on the left of Old Road and just before its junction with Woodhead Road. Proposed by Cllr Owens, seconded by Cllr Dyer

**9679 DCC RESPONSE / TINTWISTLE FOOTPATH 2 (CINDER PATH)**

Cllr Stevenson has been in contact with DCC and specifically with their PROW (Public Rights of Way) Team. PROW have visited the site with Cllr Stevenson to review the matter and we await their response. A Petition has been set up by a concerned West Drive resident and this has gathered some considerable support from the community.

Four residents have offered to survey, identify, and list all the public footpaths in Tintwistle. A proposal was made to have a “Footpaths Meeting” in Spring 2022 by Cllr Owens, seconded by Cllr Jenner.

**9680 WEST DRIVE TREES**

A resident of West Drive has approached the Council about the matter of planting trees along west Drive. Cllr Stevenson has been in touch with Monica Gillespie (HPBC Arborist) who has confirmed that DCC own the verges and if trees are to be planted, all residents need to be consulted as some may not be in favour.

It was proposed that Karon Mee should survey West Drive residents to ascertain the level of interest and assuming there is, Cllr Stevenson will take the matter up with the DCC County Councillor, Becki Woods. Proposed by Cllr Stevenson, seconded by Cllr Jenner.

**9681 CLIMATE CHANGE ACTION PLAN**

Our ultimate Plan must be made up of things that can be done. It was proposed that we find a resident in Tintwistle who would be prepared to form a group of Climate Activists, to pursue and develop actions in partnership with residents and key stakeholders in the village and guided by the Parish Council. Proposed by Cllr Stevenson, seconded by Cllr Dyer.

**9682 TINTWISTLE CHRISTMAS MARKET**

It was agreed that the Council can issue cash for £200 as advance payment for the marquee hire for the Christmas Market on 12th December 2021. Proposed by Cllr Jenner, seconded by Cllr Owens. All in favour.

**9683 DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting will be held on Monday 15th November at 7:30pm

The meeting closed at 8:45pm