Wield Parish Council

Meeting – Thursday 15 August 2019

7.30pm in the Village Hall

Those present: Alwin Hutchinson, Kate Gibbons

Robert Grande, Bob George, Catherine Simons and Jean Frost (Clerk).

Apologies:

Nick Lailey

1. Minutes of last meeting

Were signed as a true and accurate record

1. **Matters arising**

None that don’t appear on the agenda

1. **Financial report**

* The accounts for the 2018/9 financial year were presented.

Acceptance of the accounts was -

proposed by Alwin Hutchinson

seconded by Kate Gibbons

The proposal was carried

* It was agreed to award grant of £75 to Victim Support

1. **Planning issues**

A planning application to install Solar panels on the roof of an agricultural building on Land South of Ashley Road and East of, Wield Road was noted.

1. **Footpaths**

The application to change the direction of the footpath at Wield Wood has been approved.

All other footpaths are in good condition and present no problems.

1. **Roads**

* The drain clearing outside Home close appears to have been successful and no flooding has occurred since completion.
* Cllr George mentioned that white lining and 30MPH signs at Pound Close are faded and need re-painting.

1. **Any other Business**

* HGV signs – HCC have agreed that the road in Lower Wield from Hattingley Valley Winery towards Bradley is unsuitable for HGVs and are to erect suitable signage.
* The PC approved a proposal to trial four “ Unsuitable for HGV” signs in Wield – subject to HCC approval ( which has now been sought).
* The salt bin on the Preston Candover Road has been removed – it is assumed that it was taken at the same time as some fly tipped rubbish was removed. Cllr Lailey will be asked to source a replacement.
* Cllr Simons submitted her resignation from the parish council, due to pressure of work. The procedure to replace her was implemented. The meeting expressed its thanks to Cllr Simons for her work over the past years.

**Date of next meeting** Thursday 21 November 2019, 7.30pm at the village hall