SUTTON WEAVER PARISH COUNCIL Minutes of Sutton Weaver Parish Council held on Tuesday 1st March 2022 at 7.30 p.m. at St Peter's Church Hall, Sutton Weaver

Present	B Starkey (BS), J Hancock (JH), R Hancock (RH) S Richards (SR) H Bullock (HB) Clerk-T Whitlow (TW) 1 members of the public (MOP) Sg Andrew Davies			
22/31	Apologies for Absence were received from: T Spencer			
22/32	Declarations of Members' Interests –JS- Church Hall -regarding Queens Jubilee			
22/33	The minutes of the Parish Council meeting on Wednesday 2 nd February 2022 were approved as a true and accurate record and signed by the Chair.			
22/34	Police Update —. Apologies received from PCSO D Netherton —Area Report received including theft from a vehicle on Aston Lane, Frodsham			
	BS welcomed Sg Andrew Davies to the meeting: Sg AD explained he had only taken over this area in December 2021 and was currently reviewing neighbour policing. Explained that it is not possible to have a police presence at every meeting due to the large area that they cover. SR advised that the PC do not expect a presence at all meetings, but an update report would be helpful, particularly after any incidents in the locality. Sg AD agreed that this was something he would expect and has been reviewing, PC should now receive a monthly report			
22/35	Ward Councillor Update. Apologies received from Phil Marshall. No report received			
22/36	Items raised by the public – MOP gave a written report to BS regarding the trim trail in the playground, outlining the fact that some posts were rotten. BS referred to the playground inspection report from November that confirmed this was noted but it was low risk. Although it appears that the recent storms may have caused some further damage. Agreed clerk to contact insurance company regarding storm damage, if unsuccessful to investigate costs of replacement posts from Pentagon Play (supply company)			
22/37	Matters arising / Actions from Previous Minutes (1) Notice Board Area – Clerk advised correspondence from Northwich Town Council- they have rectified the possible trip hazard with tarmac, it is not possible to put edging stones in (as requested by MOP) as this was not in the agreed scheme of works. Agreed to sign works off.			

	(2) speed limits A56: Clerk advised following email to CWaC to continue consultations to reduce the speed limit, the only correspondence received to date was to acknowledge the email (3) parking issues on A56 Clerk advised that a letter of apology had been received.	
22/38	New Planters for the Village Clerk advised planter had been ordered from Gleave's, and that she will collect when it is ready. SR offered compost to fill	TW
22/39	Playground update – SR advised that he and TW had had 2 meetings since the last PC meeting, TW has been in discussions with Spacehive regarding reducing the total figure to take out the VAT element. It is not possible to reduce the total figure. Nothing from Network Rail Email campaign not working. Discussion followed on not wanting to lose the CWaC contribution, but the chances of raising £50K in 1 month was impossible. Decision to continue with the Playground plan but for SR & TW to have a meeting to discuss an alternative way forward with Spacehive.	TW SR
22/40	Village plan Deferred until the next meeting.	
22/41	Queens Jubilee Celebrations JH confirmed that the Vicar would like a combined church/village event, but this may be held at Little Leigh, if this is the case both JH & RH will be assisting at Little Leigh so unable to contribute. Councillor's keen to organise but will need help. To be held on the afternoon of Sunday 5 th June. afternoon tea/BBQ or similar, to be held on the St Peters Church Hall car park. Clerk to Facebook again as no volunteers have come forward. Without volunteers, this can't go ahead	TW
22/42	Boundary review – Boundary review has been received, which has no impact on Sutton Weaver. Purpose of the review is to ensure similar numbers of electorates in each boundary	
22/43	Correspondence- Invoice received for the VAT element of insurance claim included on the payments schedule Village issues Nothing raised	
22/44	To Approve Clerks Mileage/Expenses - February expenses approved for payment	

22/45	Payments for authorisation					
	100728	T Whitlow Wages	Wages Feb 22			
	100728	T Whitlow	Mileage/expenses	36.17		
	100729	HMRC	PAYE			
		Northwich Town				
	100730	council	Noticeboard area work	4920.00		
	100731	Beachcroft	Vat on insurance claim	59.00		
22/46	Items for Next Agenda					
	 Update on A56 speed proposals, 					
	 Village Plan, 					
	 Update on Playground, 					
	Jubilee Celebrations					
22/47	Date of Next meeting					
	Wednesday 6 th April 2022 at 7. p.m .					

The meeting closed at 9.10 p.m.

Signed:	Dated: