


**WARBSTOW PARISH COUNCIL
MEETING
21st September 2021
7.30PM
CANWORTHY WATER SUNDAY SCHOOL**

1. Present	<p>Present: Lynette Hutchinson (Chair) Jan Carter (Vice Chair) Lesley Bain (Clerk) Terry Luckwell Trevor Shute Andy Ireland Roy Barton Dean Wheable</p> <p>In attendance: Members of the public</p>	
	Cllr Hutchinson welcomed everyone to the meeting.	
2. Declarations of Interests	None	
3. Councillor dispensations	None	
4. Cornwall Council new initiative – 20mph on rural roads. Speed limits throughout the Parish	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stretch of road to be considered, including maps/ photographs • Why you would like this stretch to be a 20mph section • Any consultation/ resident feedback you have to support this • What if any contribution would the parish be willing to input • Do you have a community speed watch in place for this stretch of road (evidence of speeding etc.) <p>The Parish Council discussed at length the areas in the Parish where speed limits should be reduced</p>	
Warbstow School Road	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The road by the school is a narrow track road. • Children walk on the side of the road to get to school. • There is no pavement, therefore this area is unsafe for the children and parents. • No parking outside of the school, parents park in the Community Centre and walk their children to school. • Cars travel at speed past the school. • Children have to walk to the War Memorial for the school transport. 	
	Cllr Hutchinson has spoken to the headteacher, Mrs Bancroft and she is in	

	<p>agreement with a reduction in speed. She is very keen to make this area safer for the children and parents.</p> <p>All in agreement that the road from the War memorial to the Community Hall should be reduced to 20mph.</p>	
Trelash	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The traffic travels through the hamlet of Trelash at high speed • It is a narrow, single track road. • There are no pavements or footpaths. • Children often play in the centre of the hamlet on bikes, skateboards etc • Pedestrians and cyclists use the hamlet • Horse riders also ride through the hamlet. <p>Community Speed Watch is currently not undertaken in Trelash due to it being unrestricted (60mph).</p> <p>All in agreement to reduce the speed within the Hamlet to 20mph</p> <p>The Camelford Area Network meeting is to identify zones that may need to reduce speed limits and if not initially successful, it will be reviewed at a later date.</p>	
Warbstow (Bury to Swaine Lea)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The majority of vehicles travel this road far too fast. • The vision is very poor for vehicles coming out of Bury Close, it's a difficult junction. • Children have to cross the road to get to the bus stop. • Children and Parents have to walk on this road to get to school. <p>Dean Bellamy reported on Speedwatch. This is a community event to show that residents won't accept speeding in our area. It has been very successful so far but can only take place in 30mph zones. We are looking for more volunteers to enable Speedwatch to be undertaken more frequently.</p> <p>The design of a road and width restrictions has also proven to slow the traffic, if drivers recognise that they are entering a hamlet they will reduce speed.</p> <p>Cllr Hutchinson thanked Dean Bellamy for reporting on Speedwatch.</p> <p>All in agreement area should be reduced to 20mph from the bus stop to Bury Close.</p>	
Fonston (Swaine Lea to Canworthy Water)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A member of the public stated that Fonston should definitely have some speed restrictions • The houses are close to the road. • Pedestrians and cyclists use this stretch • Horse riders also use this stretch. <p>All in agreement that this area should be reduced to 20mph. This will then identify this area as a concern which if not successful, can be reviewed at a later date.</p>	
Canworthy Water	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vehicles travel far too fast in this area. • There is a Sunday school and church directly accessed from the 	

	<p>road.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There is no pavement or footpath <p>Community Speedwatch has been undertaken in Canworthy Water. With more volunteers this could happen more frequently on different days and times.</p> <p>All in agreement that this area should be reduced to 20mph from Canworthy Water Hall to the bridge.</p>	
Downinney	Cllr Wheable stated that this area has not been an issue with vehicles speeding.	
	<p>Cllr Hutchinson stated that we would really promote Community Speedwatch if the speeds limits were reduced. This can however only be used to check 30mph zones.</p> <p>Cllr Hutchinson reported that the Levy has a balance of £6,615. All in agreement for this to be the Parish contribution. Approved, proposed Cllr Carter, seconded Cllr Ireland</p>	
5.	<p>Meeting finished at 20.48pm. Next meeting – 5th October 2021 @ 7.30pm</p>	

Approval of Minutes: : Date: 