

Minutes of the Extra Ordinary Meeting of Thornham Parish Council held on Tuesday 1 December 2020 at 7.00pm Via Zoom.

Present: Cllr C Venes (Chair) Cllr A Chesterman (Vice) Cllr A Needham  
Cllr S Greef Cllr B Gulliver Cllr I Barrett

Also present: Clerk, Amanda Nudds, Hayes & Storr Solicitors & Andrew Gore, Barrister Fenner's Chambers.

The Chair went through the rules regarding running a virtual meeting and everyone to stay muted until asked to speak, if you wish to speak please raise your hand. Members of the public only allowed to speak during Parishioners time. The meeting would be more formal than usual so that the business can be achieved as effectively as possible. Cllr Venes also advised Parishioner that the meeting was being recorded to assist with the minutes if necessary.

1. **To receive and consider apologies for absence:**  
Everyone Present
2. **To receive Declarations of Interest**  
Non received
3. **Adjournment of Meeting to allow for public questions. (15 mins max 5 mins per Speaker.)**  
No questions received

**It was resolved for the meeting to return to closed session.**

#### **EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC**

Council unanimously agreed to exclude the Press and Public from the meeting: "That by virtue of the provisions of Section 1 (2) of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, the public be excluded during discussion of the following business on the grounds that publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted as the discussion was of an item of litigation.

4. **Shore Road** -to consider issue of Litigation.  
After very lengthy talks and discussions taking everything into account **It was resolved unanimously to put in submissions to the First Tier Tribunal and the Upper Tier Tribunal on the decisions of both Judge Brilliant and Judge Cooke regarding costs.**
5. **Items For Next Agenda**  
No additions to ones mentioned at the last meeting.
6. **Date, and Place of next meeting.**  
Parish Council Meeting Wednesday 9 December 2020 Virtually via Zoom.

With no further business the meeting closed at 21.13.