

## **BERRY POMEROY PARISH COUNCIL.**

Minutes of Meeting of Berry Pomeroy Parish Council Thursday December 1<sup>st</sup> 2016 at  
7.30 pm in Berry Pomeroy Village Hall.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Mills, Mrs Boughton, Elliot-Smith, Hannaford, Hooper, Perring  
C. Cllrs Rowe and Vint, D. Cllrs. Green, Pennington and Birch.

Also present,  
David Eeles, Clerk.

**1(12.16) APOLOGIES:** None

**2. (12.16)** In view of the tragic recent death of Cllr Nicholls on his farm members had AGREED that the meeting would be abandoned and instead members stood in tribute to his life and after a short address from the Chairman, Cllr. Mills, outlining what an upstanding member of the community he had been and what a contribution he had made to village life in every way but in particular as a member of the Parish Council for 30 years, members held a minutes silence in his memory.

It was AGREED that a message of condolence should be sent to his family on behalf of the Parish Council and the District and County Councillors present:

### **CONDOLENCES**

Dear Geraldine,

At the Parish Council meeting last night the meeting was abandoned and instead members, including all the District and County Council representatives, stood for a minute's silence in memory of Reg. The Chairman said a few words expressing the shock and sadness all members felt at his passing, and recalling what an excellent Councillor he had been, as well as a well respected farmer and member of the community. The Council has benefited from his wise, kind and always helpful attitude and he will be sorely missed. Members asked me to pass on their condolences to you and your family.

Members also felt that, subject to your agreement, they would like his name to be remembered in some form in the village. It was suggested that as he was a Tree Warden perhaps a tree might be planted in his remembrance. Perhaps you would like to give this some thought in due course and let me or the Chairman know if there is

anything more appropriate you would support or indeed if you are happy with the idea at all.

Once again our thoughts are with you at this difficult time.

Yours sincerely,

David Eeles  
Clerk to Berry Pomeroy Parish Council

## **2 (12.16). FINANCE**

The following essential payments were approved:

### **Payments**

The following items were approved:-

£

1.	Clerk net salary and expenses for November-	<b>181.74</b>
2.	PAYE for Nov..	<b>39.20</b>
3.	Duncan Irwin	56.00
5.	Signs of Cheshire deposit for notice board	303.00

## **3(12.16) NEXT MEETING**

Will be on 5<sup>th</sup> January in the **VILLAGE HALL at 7.30pm.**

Signed .....5-1-2017 (J. Mills, Chairman)

