Minutes of the meeting of Little Compton Parish Council held in the Village Hall on Monday 18th September 2017

New Parish Councillor Graeme Evans was introduced.

- 1. Declarations of Interest. There were none
- 2. Apologies for Absence. Cllr. Robinson
- 3. <u>Minutes of the meeting held on 10th July</u>, on a proposal by Cllr. White seconded by Cllr Reeves were agreed to be a true record and signed accordingly.
- 4. <u>Matters arising from the Minutes not included elsewhere on the agenda</u>. There were none.
- 5. <u>Date of the next meeting</u>: Monday 20th November at 7.30pm.
- 6. <u>Reports from District Cllr. Gray and County Cllr. Barker</u>. There were none.
- 7. <u>Questions and Comments from the public</u>. Mrs Hanks voiced her concern over the gates and car at Juxon Bungalows which open out into the road.
- 8. <u>Playground Report</u>. Cllr. Robinson left a short report that the annual inspection has been carried out and we are awaiting the results and feedback.
- 9. <u>Footpaths and Bridleways</u>. Cllr. Reeves who has walked all recently reported all to be in order. Cllr. White reported a loose handrail over the brook behind the pub.
- 10. <u>Village Maintenance Report</u>. Cllr. Reeves reported the shrubs overhanging into the footpath between Himley and the A44. Cllr. Reeves will look into it and contact the property owner.
- 11. <u>Cemetery Report</u>. Cllr. Reeves reported all to be in good order apart from weeds coming through on the path. The clerk will look into the Thomas Fox invoices and see if any spraying has been done yet.
- 12. <u>Housing Needs Survey</u>. The Clerk reported having been in contact with Sarah Brook-Taylor regarding this and that her suggestion was to send out the survey early in January for an end of January close date. Following a discussion it was agreed that a February survey would be preferable. It will be looked into regarding delivering the survey with Centrepoint.
- 13. <u>Financial</u>. The RFO reported that the accounts were back from External Audit with no corrections to make.
- 14. Planning Applications.

17/02196/TREE	6 Rivington Glebe Fell Beech Tree	Approved
17/02474/TREE	High Corner Fell Lilac Tree	Pending
17/00117/FUL	Peewit Cottage Demolition of existing dwelling and replac	Gone to Appeal ing with a 5 bedroom

House with associated access and landscape work.

15. <u>A.O.B</u>. It was again mentioned that the councillors are difficult to hear, Cllr. Reeves will make arrangement for the microphone to be used at future meetings.

With no other business the meeting closed at 8.01 pm