## NORTH HUISH PARISH COUNCIL

## MINUTES SUBJECT TO APPROVAL AT THE NEXT MEETING

Minutes of the meeting held on 9<sup>th</sup> January 2018 at St James's Church, Avonwick

**OPEN FORUM:** There were two members of the public present. The Council was thanked for the considerable improvement that had been noticed concerning the state of the buddle holes within the parish. The Council was asked to pass on thanks to those responsible for the work involved. Mention was made of the agreed increase in the Council's precept which would be used to continue the good work on the buddle holes. It was generally felt that this was a good use of parishioners' money as the work is no longer being carried out by Devon Highways.

**PRESENT:** Councillors Gabriel, Grevatt, Hunt, Luscombe and Seager-Berry

**APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**: Councillors Hosking, Steer and Bell

The <u>MINUTES</u> of the meeting held on 5<sup>th</sup> December 2017 were confirmed and signed. Proposed Cllr. Hunt seconded Cllr. Seager-Berry

<u>MATTERS ARISING</u>: It was reported that, as yet, there had been no response to the request from the Feofees for information regarding those who might be entitled to support from the available funds.

No further information was available concerning the inspections of the play park by South Hams District Council.

**REPORTS**: Cllr. Grevatt reported that some modifications had been made to improve the Council's website.

**PLANNING:** The Council agreed to support an application for the provision of a temporary agricultural worker's dwelling at Higher Clunkamoor, Diptford

Specific items of **CORRESPONDENCE** were noted as follows:

Cllr Hosking HMCE fund 2017/18. Noted

SHDC Local Government Finance Settlement (Precept for Parish Councils). Noted

Devon County Council Submission of flood information. Noted

## FINANCE:

Balance c/f  $\pounds$  8920 18
Income (interest)  $\pounds$  0.37\_\_\_\_

Exp. Rep of P3  $\pounds$  149.40
Exp Buddle holes  $\pounds$  456.00
Balance c/f  $\pounds$  8315.15

**HIGHWAYS:** The clerk was asked to contact Devon Highways concerning leaves on the roads and flooding at Old Bridge, Avonwick

**NEXT MEETING**: Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2018 at 7.30pm at St James's Church, Avonwick.