

Minutes of Decisions of the Bishopstoke Parish Council taken on 24 March 2020

Present: Councillor Sue Toher (Chair)
Councillor Geoff Harris (Vice Chair)
Councillor Peter Brown
Councillor Anne Dean
Councillor Chris Greenwood
Councillor Andy Moore
Councillor Louise Parker-Jones
Councillor Mike Thornton
Councillor Gin Tidridge
Councillor Anne Winstanley

In Attendance: Mr David Wheal (Clerk to Bishopstoke Parish Council)

Public Session Discussion took place via email as lockdown had been announced on 22 March.

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158 Apologies for Absence

158.1 Cllrs Daly, Francis, Mignot and Roling did not take part in the discussion.

159 To adopt the Emergency Delegation policy

159.1 The policy had been sent out with the supporting papers for the meeting.

159.2 Proposed Cllr Toher, Seconded Cllr Harris, **RESOLVED** unanimously to adopt the Emergency Delegation Policy

160 To resolve that Bishopstoke Parish Council meets the criteria for adoption of the General Power of Competence

160.1 An explanation of the criteria necessary, along with evidence showing the Council meets the criteria, had been included with the supporting papers for the meeting.

160.2 Proposed Cllr Toher, Seconded Cllr Harris, **RESOLVED** unanimously that Bishopstoke Parish Council meets the criteria needed to adopt the General Power of Competence.

161 To adopt the General Power of Competence

161.1 Proposed Cllr Toher, Seconded Cllr Harris, **RESOLVED** unanimously that Bishopstoke Parish Council adopt the General Power of Competence.

The discussion was limited to these three items only and finished at 9pm on 24 March. As a lockdown had already been announced by the Government the Emergency Delegation policy came into effect immediately.

Chair's Signature: _____ Date: _____

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