

MINTES OF MEETING OF ST VEEP PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON THURSDAY 12th FEBRUARY 2026 IN THE RED STORE LERRYN AT 7.30 PM.

When members were summoned to attend.

<p>Present, Councillor M Irwin (Chairman) Councillor J Hancock Councillor J Piper Mr M Tubb (Clerk) Councillor S Preese (Cornwall Councillor)</p>	<p>Councillor N Inwood (Vice Chairman) Councillor P Philp Councillor J Langmaid PCSO S Cocks</p>
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Minute No:	Agenda Item.
158/2026.	Apologies were received from Cllr J Hancock for late arrival.
	Chairman opened the meeting by welcoming the public and councillors. <i>There were no members of the public present.</i>
	<p>Reports from outside Organisations.</p> <p>(a) Devon & Cornwall Police. PCSO Cocks said that there had been no crimes reported in the parish during the past month. He went on to speak about the theft of heating oil in a neighbouring parish and reporting of potholes around our roads.</p> <p>(b) Cornwall Council. Cllr Preese spoke on a number of different issues which included the recent storms and flooding, she advised the Parish Council to check it's Emergency Plan and update it as required. She said that there had been a 100% increase in reported potholes this year. She reported that Cornwall Council would shortly be setting its budget for 2026/2027 and council tax is likely to increase by around 5%. She also spoke about the new bus contract for Cornwall and CAP meetings.</p> <p>(c) Fowey Harbour Commissioners. No report received.</p> <p>(d) LAMA. No report received.</p> <p>(e) Lerryn Memorial Hall. Nothing to report.</p> <p>(f) Lerryn School. Nothing to report.</p> <p>(g) The Red Store. To be dealt with under agenda item 167/2026.</p> <p>(h) Community Network Panel. Nothing to report.</p>
159/2026.	<p>Members Declarations.</p> <p>(a) Disclosable Pecuniary Interest. <i>None declared.</i></p> <p>(b) Non- Disclosable Pecuniary Interest. <i>None declared.</i></p> <p>(c) Declaration of Gifts. <i>None declared.</i></p> <p>(d) Requests for Dispensation. <i>None requested.</i></p>
160/2026.	<p>Minutes of Meetings.</p> <p>(a) To receive minutes of Parish Council Meeting held on the Thursday 15th January 2026. <i>On the proposal of Cllr Philp, seconded by Cllr Inwood, it was unanimously agreed that the minutes be approved.</i></p>
161/2026.	<p>Matters Arising not on the agenda.</p> <p>(a) Trees beside bridge. Update. <i>Nothing further to report.</i></p> <p>(b) Slipway at Penpol. <i>Clerk to take it up with Capt Paul Thomas.</i></p>
162/2026.	<p>Planning Matters</p> <p>(a) Planning Application No: PA26/00390. Construction of porch at "The Boathouse" Lerryn. <i>Councillors were concerned about this proposal as it is within the flood plain</i></p>

	<p><i>and therefore could be subject to flooding at high tides. Members also have concerns about the overall state of the site and the time it is taking to carry out the original planning consent. It would appear that various waste materials are being buried within the site and the clerk has been instructed to contact the Environment Agency regarding this matter.</i></p> <p><i>(b) Any planning applications received by Cornwall Council prior to this meeting will be dealt with. Application No: PA26/00572. Non material amendments to Decision Notice PA24/08554 dated the 17/1/25 at "Meadow Bank" Lerryn. Members were in support of this amendment.</i></p> <p>Planning Results. None to date.</p>
163 /2026.	<p>Financial Matters, to confirm the following payment. (BP97) .To clerk for salary & Cleaning £317.70 (BP98) To HMRC for PAYE £74.60 (BP99) To South West Water £456.38 for public toilets. <i>It was proposed by Cllr Hancock, seconded by Cllr Inwood and agreed by members that the above payments be made. Cllr's Irwin and Hancock to approve.</i> Any other accounts or grant requests will be dealt with at this meeting. <i>None</i></p>
164/2026.	<p>Correspondence. Items previously circulated that require a decision. Document Management Services. <i>Continue with our present system.</i> Dragon WiFi re mobile phone coverage. <i>Clerk to respond.</i> Lerryn Christmas tree. <i>Members are happy for this to be done but request that the cover is set just below the grass level.</i> Any other correspondence received prior to meeting. <i>None received.</i></p>
165/2026.	<p>Members to set timetable for grass cutting contract 2026/2028. Update. <i>This has been advertised and tenders have to be submitted by Monday 9th March 2026.</i></p>
166/2026.	<p>Public toilet Update. Electricity supply update. <i>The clerk read an email he sent to EDF and the reply received, we are still waiting for EDF to adjust our bill.</i></p>
167/2026.	<p>The Red Store. Update. <i>The clerk said a list of the work to be done had been sent to a local builder for pricing.</i></p>
168/2026.	<p>Storm Water drains in parish. <i>The clerk read email received from David Robinson regarding storm water drain in the village, members asked the clerk to write to highways on this matter.</i> <i>The clerk read another email from James Mills regarding the blocked drain and mud at the entrance to the car park, members are aware of this and will get it cleared as soon as the weather improves.</i></p>
169/2026.	<p>Diary Dates. The next scheduled meeting of the Parish Council is Thursday 12th March 2026 in the Red Store, Lerryn at 7.30pm</p>
170/2026.	<p>Any other business raised by members. <i>Cllr Langmaid said that the white line at the bottom of the One- Way road at Penpol was badly faded. The clerk was asked to raise this with highways.</i></p>
171/2026.	<p>Meeting Closed. At 8.40pm</p>

Signed by ----- Chairman

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