DOBWALLS PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting of Dobwalls Parish Council held at Dobwalls United Church Hall on Wednesday 17 June 2026

Present: Councillors: T Kitto (Chair), D Allen, M Exall, S Jackson, M Taylor, Parish Clerk, Councillor J Pascoe (CC), 1 member of the public, PCSO S Edser

101/26	**Apologies** Councillors B Champion, B Clark
102/26	**Declarations of Interest** None
103/26	**Unitary Councillor's report** Councillor Pascoe reported that from 1 November Councillors will no longer have the authority to escalate sensitive or locally opposed small-scale applications to a planning committee for public debate. Cornwall Council owns a 10,000-acre county farms estate consisting of around 80 holdings. Following an inquiry, the Council's sustainable growth committee ruled out a wholesale sell-off. Cornwall Council have pledged 3 million to improve and modernise the fire service. Payments for volunteer coastguards are set to stop in September. There are concerns this will damage morale and weaken the service. The SECCAP AGM will take place on the 25 June in Liskeard library. The Liskeard Show will take place on the 11 July and PCSO S Edser and the Neighbourhood Team will be there.
104/26	**Public Participation** A parishioner raised concerns about footpaths that were reported to CC in October have still not been followed up. Councillor Pascoe has also been following this up. Concerns were raised about the track behind the school to 3 Lantoom Cottages and potential development. A parishioner reported that Marsh orchids that were in the field behind the school had been trashed by a mini digger. It was agreed to report to the environment agency. PCSO S Edser confirmed that since the last report that had been one other public order offence and an assault
105/26	**Planning** **<u>Applications</u>** There were no objections to the following application:- • PA26/01306 Mill Bungalow Doublebois Demolition of existing sub-standard garage / store, provision of replacement garage / store building to include provision for roof mounted solar panels
106/26	**To confirm the Non-Confidential Minutes of the Meeting held on 20 May 2026** It was resolved to approve the minutes of the meeting held on the 20 May 2026 which were confirmed as a true and correct record.
107/26	**Matters arising from the above minutes** None
108/26	**Skate Park** Councillor Pascoe is waiting for a response about the transfer of the lighting to Cornwall Council. Councillor Pascoe had followed up on the turning circle by the skate park.
109/26	**LMP 2026/2027 footpaths** No further update. Clerk to follow up.
110/26	**Community Emergency Plan** It was agreed to ask St Keyne for a copy of their emergency plan document.
111/26	**Lane to Jubilee Field** It was agreed to circulate the quote to residents on The Lane.

112/26	**Neighbourhood Priorities Statements** It was agreed not to proceed with Neighbourhood Priorities Statements.
113/26	**Staining of benches** It was agreed to accept the quote from D Ledbury to prepare and stain 7 benches.
114/26	**Correspondence for action** • It was resolved to make a donation of £2000 to Dobwalls Church following their grant application. • B3360 - Traffic Calming measures. Councillor J Pascoe has been following this up as it passes through a number of parishes.
115/26	**Correspondence for information (Circulated to All)** • National Highways: A38 Saltash Tunnel "snapshot" update • Anna Gelderd MP's Weekly Update • Public Space Protection Order Consultation - Dog Controls • Public Space Protection Order Consultation - dog foul, on leads and exclusions 2026 • CALC training update • Funding for Local Green Spaces and Healthier Communities - open 1st to 30th June • National Highways: A38 Saltash Tunnel - Tidal flow switch on date announced (6am Tuesday 19 May) • PCSO S Edser report. Since 21/3/26 to 29/5/26 there have been the following crimes in the Dobwalls area that are disclosable:- o Threat to kill o Threat to cause criminal damage o Theft x 2 o Breach of Harassment order o Criminal damage o Public order offence x 2 o Assault
116/26	**Finance** It was resolved to approve the financial statements that had been circulated including expenditure totalling £4598.63
117/26	**Any other business (Members are reminded that no decisions can be made under this item it is for information only)** A390 Trevelmond Bus Shelter. Councillor Jackson to investigate. Set a meeting date to discuss delivery of The Villager.
118/26	**Items for inclusion in future meetings** None
119/26	**Date of the next meeting** Wednesday 22 July 2026 6.30 pm Dobwalls United Church PL14 6NS