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At a Meeting of the **FINANCE & GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE** of
COLEHILL PARISH COUNCIL held at the MEMORIAL HALL on **14 MAY 2002**.

PRESENT

Cllrs G Divall, Mrs J Dover, A Gooch, J Greenwood, K Johnson, Mrs S Jones,
E Phillips, J Warren.

IN ATTENDANCE

Cllrs J Hurst, J Horwood

APOLOGIES

Cllrs J Bell, T Holloway (R), Mrs Osner

35 CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE

RESOLVED that Cllr Mrs Dover be appointed Chairman of the Committee
for the ensuing year.

36 VICE-CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE

RESOLVED that Cllr G Divall be appointed Vice-Chairman of the
Committee for the ensuing year.

37 DECLARATION OF INTEREST

There were no declarations.

38 MINUTES

The Minutes of the Meeting held on 23 April, having been circulated, were
taken as read, confirmed and signed. The amendment made to Minute 432.
April, 2002 (PERIODIC ELECTORAL REVIEW) at Council Meeting on
7 May was noted. (Minute 14(a) refers).

39 GRANTS & DONATIONS - 2002/03

Two applications had been received.

RESOLVED that

- (a) A grant of £1,200 be made to Citizens Advice Bureau.
- (b) A donation of £50 be made to Dorset Arts Week under Section 137
of the Local Government Act 1972.

40 COLEHILL ACTION GROUP ACCOUNT

The Clerk reported receipt of correspondence from the Bank regarding the
dormant account for Colehill Action Group and requested instructions from
the Committee.

RESOLVED that the account remain open for the time being.

41 CLERK TO THE COUNCIL

OVERTIME PAYMENT

RESOLVED that payment of 30 hours overtime be approved for the period
Feb-April 2002 for administrative duties, including registration of Village
Green Application.

42 **ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT**

RESOLVED that the accounts listed at Appendix 1 be passed for payment and cheques drawn therefor.

43 **THE TRIANGLE**

Cllr J Warren reported that EDDC had removed a quantity of builder's rubble that had been found at The Triangle during the April conservation workday.

NOTED

44 **OLIVERS PARK**
ROSPA - ANNUAL INSPECTION

EDDC had supplied the ROSPA report following inspection of play equipment at Olivers Park. Maintenance work recommended would be undertaken by EDDC as part of the management agreement. Vandalism to gates from the car park was reported.

RESOLVED that:-

- (a) The report be noted.
- (b) EDDC be requested to take action regarding the damaged gates.

45 **WOODLAND OFF SMUGGLERS LANE**
BMX TRAILS

MINUTE 425 April 2002

(a) **ROSPA - INSPECTION**

The ROSPA report included a number of recommendations for this site including signing, improvements to the surface of the trails and site access. Tree work was also recommended to give clearance above the trails. Members discussed ways and means of implementing the recommendations including consultation with the BMX riders, ED Countryside Management Group and Dorset Youth Offending Team

RESOLVED that discussions with these organisations be continued and a report submitted to a future meeting.

(b) **PERMIT TO RIDE**

Approximately 20 permits had been distributed to the riders.

(c) **ANTI SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR**

Cllr Mrs Dover referred to a draft Press release received from EDDC Community Safety Officer.

RESOLVED that no objection be raised to the proposed article.

46 **CENTENARY VILLAGE SIGN**

MINUTE 379 March 2002

RESOLVED that following receipt of further information, the planning application had been withdrawn.

47 **COLEHILL COMMUNITY WEBSITE**

(a) **REPORT**

Cllr KD Johnson reported that the website had been updated to include information about installation of computers at the Library.

NOTED

(b) **WEBSITE DEVELOPMENT**

Further to Minute 22, Members discussed the desirability of developing the website to include advertisements for holiday accommodation and links to local business etc. Members were reminded that the website was funded by the Parish Council and maintained voluntarily by Cllr Johnson as an information site for the benefit of the Community. Cllr Johnson felt that he was unable to commit the amount of time required to maintain a 'professional' website or to provide the degree of service that would be expected by clients who were paying to advertise. However, he would arrange to display a link to the Wimborne Tourist Information Site.

NOTED

(c) **STREET MAP FOR WEBSITE**

RESOLVED that the Clerk be authorised to obtain a large scale digital image of Colehill from Streetmap.co.uk on which could be shown public buildings, places of interest etc. at a licence fee of £25 pa.

48 **WIMBORNE TOWN JUBILEE FUN DAY - 4 JUNE**

Cllr Mrs Osner asked that Members be informed that the Town Council was in need of volunteer stewards for the Jubilee event on 4 June at Redcotts Recreation Ground.

NOTED

49 **FP32 DOGDEAN - DEANS GROVE**

Further to the report of the Rights of Way Liaison Officer (Minute 21) the landowner had cut back the trees and FP32 was now clear.

The Meeting ended at 21.00hrs

CHAIRMAN