

Page 1 Item	No	<u>Minutes of the Chapmanslade Parish Council Meeting held on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> January 2017 at 7.30 p.m. in the Village Hall</u> The meeting commenced at 7.30 p.m.
Present	1621	Phil Jefferson, Chairman, Dennis Barnard, Adam Oakley, Phil Holihead, Francis Morland, John Lewis.
Apologies	1622	Apologies were received from Keith Muston and Minnie House Clerk, whose absence was due to her need to attend a funeral in Yorkshire.
Welcome	1623	The Chairman welcomed Chairman welcomed David Reeves, Chairman of the Avenue Surgery Patient Group in Warminster and his colleague Steve Dyke, who gave a presentation on the work of the surgery and the role of the patient group. Around a hundred Chapmanslade residents are members of the surgery. The surgery has recently updated its website at <a href="http://www.venuesurgery.co.uk">www.venuesurgery.co.uk</a> where patients can book appointments and access information about the surgery and its procedures.
Opportunities for members of public to speak	1624	<u>Opportunity for members of the public to speak:</u> Three issues raised.
	1625	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Speeding tractors in Huntenhull Lane, especially by the telephone exchange. Phil Holihead to take up with PCSO.</li> </ul>
	1626	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fly tipping in Short Street. This is on farm land and not the public highway and therefore the responsibility of the landowner to remove.</li> </ul>
	1627	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sienna's Valley. A resident asked for news of the mobile home being removed. The owner has until April to comply with the planning inspector's decision and then it will be a matter for Wiltshire Council's enforcement officer. It was agreed that the position needs to be closely monitored and, where necessary, pressure needs to be applied on Wiltshire Council.</li> </ul>
Declarations of interest	1628	None
Minutes	1629	The minutes having been circulated were taken as read and approved with one amendment: 1617:5 to 600 vehicles at peak periods.
Matters Arising.	1630	Mr Morland urged that the council be consistent in holding all our meetings on the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month. He is committed elsewhere each third Thursday.

Page 2 Village Plan	1631	<p><u>Village Plan.</u> Adam reported on progress. A name for the exercise needs to be agreed. Chapcap 2 seems to have been accepted generally but other names are possible. A logo for the initiative will follow. There has been lots of feedback from the Voice of the Village initiative.</p> <p>Some of the promised initiatives are already gathering pace. A Chapmanslade to Warminster cycle and foot path is being actively discussed. However, enthusiasm for a skatepark appears to have waned. A list of residents willing to volunteer to e.g. pick litter or offer lifts to Frome is being developed. A questionnaire for distribution throughout the parish is on its way.</p> <p>The purpose of the plan is seen as a means of bringing the community together rather than a device to influence future housing development in the village. However, there is the scope to pose the question of what the future size and character of Chapmanslade should be.</p> <p>Adam urged to check the progress of the report on the village website and was thanked for his report.</p>	
Highways	1632	<p><u>Safety of pupils and parents outside the school</u> figured significantly in the Voice of the Village exercise. It had been suggested that the parish council should convene a public meeting to discuss the matter further and look for solutions not found before. It was agreed to discuss at the February meeting. Somerset has agreed to reinstate the village sign at the western end of the village. It should be with us by the spring.</p>	
Footpaths	1633	<p><u>Footpaths:</u> A newly erected fence in a field near Corsley Mill appears to have blocked access to the footpath crossing the field. Wiltshire Council has been informed.</p>	
Speedwatch	1634	<p>Speedwatch: PH reported that three new volunteers will be trained very shortly. Recent sessions have been limited in number because of inclement weather.</p>	
Planning	1635	<p>1635 Planning: Noted that the planning application for extensions to 37 Clearwood View has been agreed by Wiltshire Council.</p> <p>1636 Mr Morland mentioned that the Wiltshire Council Land Allocation Plan should have been published in December but has been postponed and no decisions are expected until at least after next May's elections. It was agreed that PJ would write to Fleur expressing concern about the impact this is having on the</p>	

		proposed Barters Farm development.	
	1637	The meeting closed at 9.40	
	1638	The next meeting is planned for 16 <sup>th</sup> February 2017 in the Village Hall.  Further meetings. 9 <sup>th</sup> March 2017 13th April 2017 Annual Parish meeting and Parish Council Meeting 18th May 2017 Annual General meeting 8th June 2017 6th July 2017 7th September 2017 16th November 2017 12 <sup>th</sup> October 2017 14th December 2017 11th January 2018 8th February 2018 8th March 2018 12th April 2018 17th May 2018	