

**Modbury Parish Council Community Engagement Committee**

**Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2023. 2pm The Pavilion, QEII Recreation Field**

**MINUTES**

**PRESENT:** Cllrs Barbara Price (BP) (Chair), Gerry McAllister (GM), Ann Turner (AT) and Sarah Wyatt (SW)

**2023 01C** The minutes from the last meeting were approved

**2023 02C** Website and Social Media

It was agreed:

- SW would take on responsibility for website content, prioritising building up links to other Modbury websites and improving community content.
- BP and AT to populate the sustainable Modbury page
- AT and the clerk to work on transferring the Neighbourhood Plan documentation to the parish website so that the NP website can be closed.

**2023 03C** Annual Review

Clerk to continue to work on the content and chase up content from Committees.  
Review to be completed after the strategy day on 8<sup>th</sup> August.

**2023 04C** Community Space

Venue is the stumbling block as it needs to be central, visible and accessible. Various options were discussed.

**BP to write to the owner of the bank to express an interest in renting a space should the opportunity arise in the future**

**2023 05C** Volunteers

**SW / GM to organise a “volunteer of the year” event to take place during May Fair week 2024**

**2023 06C** Council Vacancies

SHDC have confirmed that the vacancies arising from the election do not need to go through the notice of period.

**SW to create an advert for Messenger  
Clerk to put on social media**

**2023 07C** High Street issues

GM outlined the impact the recent 2 weeks road closure at Aveton Gifford had had on traders and businesses in Modbury and raised the ongoing concern at the planned SWW closure in January.

**It was confirmed that much of the work regarding road closure and signage was in place from last January. MPC has already been in touch with SWW to start early liaison with SWW regarding the project this time around.**

**MPC holds £1000 grant funding from Cllr Gilbert’s 22-23 locality funds to assist with any actions taken in the town to moderate the impact on the community.**

**2023 08C** Date of next meeting

**Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> August, 2.15pm in The Pavilion.**

**Meeting closed at 4pm**