At a Meeting of the **HIGHWAYS PLANS & THE ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE** of COLEHILL PARISH COUNCIL held at COLEHILL VILLAGE HALL on **29TH OCTOBER 2024**, at **7:15pm**.

PRESENT
Cllr   Clare Davison, Chair
Cllr   Ken Murgatroyd, Vice-Chair
Cllrs   Ann Edwards, Leslie Gibson, KD Johnson, and Emma Urquhart

APOLOGIES
Cllrs Nigel Bridle and Susan Cowsill - It was RESOLVED to accept the reasons for the apologies.

IN ATTENDANCE
Mrs Z Caddy– Clerk.   One member of the public.

163.24   APPOINTMENT OF CHAIR OF COMMITTEE
It was RESOLVED to appoint Cllr Davison as the Chair of the Committee for the ensuing year.

164.24   APPOINTMENT OF VICE-CHAIR OF COMMITTEE
It was RESOLVED to appoint Cllr Murgatroyd as the Vice-Chair of the Committee for the ensuing year.

165.24   DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST
There were no declarations of interest.

166.24   PUBLIC DISCUSSION PERIOD
No members of the public made any representations.

167.24   MINUTES
The Minutes of the Meeting held on 10th September 2024, having been circulated, were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

168.24   MATTERS ARISING ON THE MINUTES
133.24 - Nothing has happened about the graffiti on the railway bridge. We will ask permission to have this removed ourselves and will look to obtain quotes.

169.24   PLANNING APPLICATIONS
From the applications currently listed on www.colehill.gov.uk no members of the public have requested that any are discussed. Members did review and discuss the following and comments were recorded as follows:

PA NO	ADDRESS & DEVELOPMENT PROPOSED
P/FUL/2024/05639	St Catherines Roman Catholic First School Cutlers Place Colehill BH21 2HN No comment
P/HOU/2024/05989	2 Fernway Close, Stapehill, Colehill, Dorset, BH21 2ST No objection

170.24   PLANNING DECISIONS
The following applications have been APPROVED by Dorset Council:

PA No	Development Proposed
P/HOU/2024/03051*	58 Lonnen Road, Colehill, Dorset, BH21 7AX Upward extension of existing bungalow and demolition of single storey garage
P/HOU/2024/03347	Underhill, Green Bottom, Colehill, Dorset, BH21 2LW Roof Extension to enlarge existing rooms in Roof space
P/HOU/2024/03593	78 Lonnen Road, Colehill, Dorset, BH21 7AX Erect timber framed single storey office - Internal size 28m2
P/HOU/2024/04907*	51 Wimborne Road, Colehill, Dorset, BH21 2RR Remove existing garage and rear single-storey extension. Form two storey side extension and form rear single-storey extension. Add roof lights to loft space.

Decision not in accordance with Parish Council comments.

171.24   OLIVERS PARK
It was RESOLVED to have the encroaching Goat Willow and a small amount of Holly removed from the rear of the goal area at a cost of £500 and having the stumps ground out at a cost of £220.

172.24   COOMBES WOOD
It was RESOLVED to ask for Planning/Conservation area agreement and if agreed have one monolith removed.

173.24   BENCHES
Members NOTED there were no faults to report.

174.24   WAR MEMORIAL/BUS SHELTERS
Members NOTED there were no faults to report.

175.24   OLIVER'S PARK/ST MICHAELS DIRT
Members NOTED there were no faults to report but digging is taking place in the woodland.

176.24   SID
Members NOTED that the SID was now located at Middlehill Road.

177.24   GRIT BINS
Members NOTED there were no faults to report.

178.24   HIGHWAY MATTERS FOR REPORT
(a)   Cllr Urquhart reported that on Smugglers Lane on our fingerpost someone has put a large 'Give Way' sign. Cllr Johnson reported that this is part of the Bloor homes improvements along with other 'improvements'. Dorset Council will be asked whether this is in the

correct place as we have some concerns reference Cllr Urquhart's rule she's found and this must be removed from our post.

(b) Cllr Johnson is concerned about the two routes to Blandford being closed. This apparently will be over by Friday. East Street in Wimborne has also been closed as well as the main route through Corfe Mullen. This is bad planning for it all to be taking place at the same time.

179.24 ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION AND CLOSE OF MEETING
No items.

The Meeting ended at 8:06 pm.

<u>CHAIR</u>