HUTTON ROOF PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held virtually on Wednesday 5 May 2021 at 6.45pm

Present: Cllrs J Morgan (Chair) J Chaplow and C Helliwell. Also present: J Saunders (Clerk).

1. Apologies

Apologies were received from Cllr N Hall.

2. Minutes

The minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held on Thursday 9 May 2019 were approved. It was noted that, under coronavirus legislation, an Annual Parish Meeting had not been held in 2020.

3. Chair's Report

Chair Cllr J Morgan delivered a report on the work of Hutton Roof Parish Council in 2020/21. She noted that it had been a strange year for everyone, with the all-encompassing Covid situation, online meetings and little face to face interaction between parish councillors and residents. The Fell race had been cancelled in 2020 and the Village Hall had seen only limited use when possible. Appreciation was expressed for the financial support received by the Village Hall. A number of highways issues were ongoing and as yet unresolved and unacceptable delays in getting any response or resolution from Cumbria Highways was once again highlighted.

Cllr Morgan thanked Parish Councillors, Natural England, Butterfly Conservation and Friends of Hutton Roof Common volunteers for their work and the contributions they had made to the community in the last year.

4. Public Participation

J Chaplow reported that trucks were continuing to get stuck attempting to cross Badger Gate Bridge. C Helliwell added that the bridge on Jubilee Lane was also repeatedly being damaged by HGVs. The need for action to stop HGVs from using unsuitable roads and bridges in the parish was agreed. It was noted that the Parish Council was continuing its efforts to press Cumbria County Council for action on all outstanding highways, signage and traffic management issues.

The meeting closed at 7.00pm.

Signed:	(Chair)
Date:	