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<p>6 6.1 6.2 6.3 6.4</p>	<p>Open Forum <u>Signs</u> The fingerpost at Hilltop was knocked down by a traffic accident and is lying broken on the verge. The resident will check if it is still there and let the Chair know <u>Parish Council</u> Is the council actively seeking new councillors and if so, how? The vacancies are advertised on the notice board in the centre of Longdon, and councillors are actively trying to recruit.</p> <p>6.2 Is there a councillor for Gentleshaw, yes Craig Stevens.</p> <p>6.3 <u>Public Footpaths</u> A resident reported that the public footpath to Rugeley – Lichfield is in need of work and in parts is impassable, the clerk will report to Staffs CC. Members discussed the areas of concerns that are in need of work, and consideration should be given to apply for funding to cover the work required. Members discussed trying to use the Community Payback Teams, the clerk will obtain further information.</p> <p>6.4 The W I thanked the council for the grant, used for carpet cleaning & repairs.</p>

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7.0	The meeting closed at 8.15pm and Members enjoyed refreshments provided by WI
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