Hemyock Parish Council
Meeting to consider Planning Correspondence from MDDC
held at Longmead at 8.00pm on Thursday 23rd June 2016

Subject	Action
1. Present Mr S Clist (Chair), Mr R Calcraft, Miss P Lawrence, Mr N Moon, Mr L Povah and Mrs D Evans (Parish Clerk). **Apologies:** Mr P Doble (away) (Received and approved)	
2. Exclude Press & Public Chair moved under Section 1, Paragraph 2 of The Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 that the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business because publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the commercially sensitive/confidential nature of the business to be transacted **PROPOSAL**: Press and public are excluded from the meeting because publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the commercially sensitive/confidential nature of the business to be transacted **PROPOSED:** Miss P Lawrence **SECONDED**: Mr N Moon **DECISION:** passed (all agreed).	
3. Declarations of Interest Mr N Moon declared he had a pecuniary interest due to his ownership of property in the village and left the meeting. The clerk confirmed that MDDC had advised that councillors who were members of the Upper Culm Community Land Trust (CLT) had a pecuniary interest and should not participate in this meeting. Although Ms J Pritchard had resigned from the CLT, her spouse remains a member and as such she is deemed to have a pecuniary interest and did not attend the meeting.	
4. MDDC Correspondence The councillors discussed the correspondence. **PROPOSAL**: Clerk to inform MDDC that the parish council does not support the proposal but would wish to consult fully with all parties in the event that the proposal is successful. **PROPOSED:** Miss P Lawrence **SECONDED**: Mr L Povah **DECISION:** passed (all agreed). **PROPOSAL**: Clerk instructed to ask Mr S Major to provide some expert advice to assist the councillors. **PROPOSED:** Mr L Povah **SECONDED**: Miss P Lawrence **DECISION:** passed (all agreed).	Clerk Clerk
5. Date of next full council meeting Wednesday 6th July at 7.30pm, Forbes Lounge, Parish Hall	

Meeting closed 9.35pm

Signed …….. Dated …….