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there is little point in exploring grant/funding options until the questions surrounding ownership of the site have been resolved and the land secured. The clerk has written to the owner asking him to note the council's interest in purchasing the land and asking him to contact her as soon as he is in a position to proceed with a sale. Clerk to enquire with Highways reference vehicular access to potential site.	Clerk
10. <u>Items raised by Chairman</u> The chair has joined the committee of the Rough Grazing Association.	
11. <u>Items raised by Councillors</u> Nothing to report	
12. <u>Public Participation</u> It was reported that a member of the public had contacted St Margaret's Hospice reference the charity shoot taking place on Saturday 22 nd August on land opposite Hemyock Common. A parishioner told the Hospice that sub-sonic cartridges had to be used in order for the shoot to be lawful. St Margaret's Hospice suggested the concerned member of the public contact Mr Andy Moon, coordinator of the charity shoot. The Commons Management Group notes that the use of sub sonic cartridges is not a legal requirement and regrets that a one off charitable event on private land should be disrupted in this way.	
13. <u>Summary of Recommendations/Information</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gun Club to be asked to top grassland and bracken as per DWT recommendations. • Devon Biodiversity Records Office has surveyed Hemyock & Shuttleton Commons. • Community Orchard – need to resolve ownership issues before proceeding with any grant applications. 	
14. <u>Next Meeting</u> 7.30pm on 17 th September 2015 at Longmead	

Meeting closed at 9.25pm

Signed.....*Date*.....