**Minutes of Bampton Fair Committee held on Wednesday 14th July 2021 at 5pm in the LARC.**

Present: Cllr. White (Chairman), Cllr. Fouracres, Steve Caddy; Cllr. Bull; Penny Clapham (Clerk) Tony Conway; Edward Tanner.

1. **Apologies and Acceptance for Absence:** None

**2) Declarations Of Interest:** In accordance with the Code of Conduct, Council members are required to declare any personal or disclosable pecuniary interests, including the nature and extent of such interests they may have, in items to be considered at this meeting. None declared.

**3) Public Discussion** – To allow any questions, reports by members of the public on any matters relating to the agenda of this meeting or any matters the public would like the Fair Committee to consider on a future agenda.

**4) Planning for 2021 –**

1. Sponsorship – Cllr. Bull and Cllr. White to report – have been through the previous programme, suggesting sponsorship of events rather than a brochure full of adverts. All sponsors will be listed in the programme with a reference or QR code – also suggest a board or similar promoting the sponsor at the event in question.
2. Entertainment update – going OK at present.

Cllr. White has contacted the Exmoor Pony Centre and they will be attending.

1. Road closures for fairground access and for the day/night of the Fair itself. Midnight to midnight on Fair day. No parking Sunday before in the morning Station Road, for fairground entry. Clerk has submitted the application forms to Highways.
2. Few applications have been received to date – possibly due to the pandemic and also to the changes outlined in the new form – form to be amended slightly and further contact to be made after the September meeting.
3. No other items discussed at this time.

Meeting closed at 5.30pm

Signed……………………………… Date…………………………..

The next Committee meeting will be held on 1st September 2021 at 5.00pm in the LARC.