



# West Somerset Railway Association

## Synopsis of the Board Meeting held on 4 June 2018

### 1. Carriage Shed

Information on the Carriage Shed was still awaited from Network Rail.

### 2. Actions against Former Trustees: Shares Claim

We still await an independent valuation of the locomotive.

### 3. Application to Hinkley Community Fund

We learnt that all the questions asked by the Somerset Foundation had been answered, and that our referees had responded.

### 4. Locomotive Restoration Fund (LRF)

We agreed not to swap 4561 for 3803 and asked Jacquie Green to ramp up this appeal. We noted that the Great Dorset Steam Fair may be a good place to raise funds.

### 5. Future of WSRestoration

We were pleased to note that the Plc had extended the licence for Williton Yard and the Swindon Shed to 31 December 2019.

### 6. Supporting the Railway

We agreed to make grants of £267 for new lever leads at Williton Signal Box and £473 (plus £85 already collected for tarpaulins) for the restoration of the 1942 MoD Goods Brake Van. We considered a paper from the Chairman of the Plc which set out their wish list, noted that we were already engaged in some of the items, and sought further and better particulars in respect of others.