

57. DISTRICT RESOLUTION

The Cornwall Synod (R) (Present: 89; Voting for: 82 against: 0) affirms the four heritage sites which are recognised as being of particular connexional significance and their sustainability and improved presentation have developed well the Methodist Heritage Strategy.

Cornwall has a rich Methodist heritage and has a clear policy of evangelism through heritage particularly through the Wesley Cottage, Trewint and the Gwennap Pit, a World Heritage Site, but also through many smaller local sites.

The Cornwall District invites the Conference to take up a pioneering scheme of Cornwall becoming a fifth heritage site with a worker to develop the Methodist heritage across the county which will benefit the rest of the Connexion. A report would be made after four years concerning the position and outcome of the experiment.

We recognise that this resolution has financial implications but we would hope that it would fall into the budget of 2016/17.

*****RESOLUTION**

- 57/1. The Conference directed the Methodist Council and the Heritage Committee to liaise with the Cornwall District on the possible development of Methodist heritage opportunities in Cornwall as set out in the resolution of the Representative Synod of the Cornwall District.**