

NORTON-ON-DERWENT TOWN COUNCIL
19 January 2015 at 7.00pm
in the Council Chamber, Commercial Street, Norton

AGENDA

1. Apologies for absence.
2. (a) Guest Speaker
(b) Public Session (15 minutes maximum)
For members of the public to raise issues, or make comments on matters concerning Norton.
3 Minutes allowed per speaker.
3. Declarations of Interests.
4. Fracking:
Janice Gwillam to speak and for members to debate the following motion;
“we have a number of unresolved concerns about important aspects of fracking, and therefore are opposed to any fracking activities in our locality until such time as satisfactory answers are forthcoming”
5. * Whitewall Quarry, proposed Asphalt Plant.
To receive details of the Traffic movements Analysis report associated with the Asphalt Plant planning application, along with a covering letter received by the County Planning Department, from MJCA Associates Ltd.
6. * To confirm and sign the Minutes of the Council Meeting held on Monday, 8 December 2014 (Minutes 149 to 165 inclusive).
7. Clerks Report - to update members on various issues and projects affecting the Town Council.
To include:
Local Government Financial Settlement – Potential Capping;
CCTV meeting; Tree pruning Cemetery.
8. Town Mayors Report
To inform members of his engagements as the Council’s representative, and update members on ongoing projects affecting the Town.
9. Financial matters:
*(a) To report accounts paid since the last meeting of the Council and authorise cheques to be drawn in payment of accounts now submitted.
*(b) To receive the financial report for the period 01.12.14 to 31.12.14.
*(c) To receive the budgetary monitoring report for the month of December.
10. Planning Matters:
*(a) To consider applications for planning permission referred to the Town Council by Ryedale District Council.
*(b) To receive decisions notified by Ryedale District Council.
11. Primary School Places In Norton
*To receive a consultation paper and questionnaire from North Yorkshire County Council in connection with Primary School Places in Norton. For comment and resolution.
12. Council Policies:
*To receive the proposed Publication Scheme policy for adoption by the Council.
For Resolution.
13. Milton Rooms:
* To receive a request from the Trustees of The Milton Rooms, for a financial contribution to support the Milton Rooms as an important public facility and its future development.
For Resolution.

- 14. Correspondence.**
- * (a) Ryedale Safer Neighbourhoods Team - monthly crime statistics for Northern and Southern Ryedale, December 2014. For information.
 - * (b) Reverend Rachel Hirst – thank you for taking part in the St Peter’s Church Christmas Tree Festival. For information.
 - (c) Station Taxis (Norton) Ltd – email asking if it is possible for the Council to consider any funding assistance for providing environmentally friendly low emission vehicles. For information.
- 15. Reports of representatives on other organisations.**
- 16. Members’ questions.**
- 17. Excluded Item:**
RESOLVED that under the Public Bodies (Admissions to Meetings) Act 1960, members of the press and public are excluded for the following items of business as the Council considers that the nature of the business transacted is prejudicial to the public interest.
- *To receive a briefing on Neighbourhood Plan meeting which took place on Tuesday 13th January.
To recommend that the committee review the existing draft plan, begin amendments as to scope and content while continuing to work with Ryedale District Council.
To make a formal decision on the required content following the Elections in May.
- 18. To confirm the next ordinary meeting of the Council for Monday, 16 February 2015 at 7.00pm.**

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