

# NORTON ON DERWENT TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting of the Town Council held in the Council Chamber, Commercial Street, Norton-on-Derwent on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2023 at 6.30pm.

<b>PRESENT</b>	Councillors D Keal (The Mayor), P Farndale, S Shaw, A Spencer, H Spencer, R King, D Lloyd Williams, J Vale and L Burr MBE
<b>IN ATTENDANCE</b>	C Eade (Town Clerk)
<b>APOLOGIES</b>	Councillors I Conlan, M Brampton

## **121/23 PUBLIC SESSION**

No members of the Public present

## **122/23 COUNTY MEMBERS REPORT**

Cllr K Duncan was not present at the meeting. Cllr L Burr MBE gave an informative report of her work as a North Yorkshire Councillor.

## **123/23 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Cllr L Burr MBE abstains from all Norton Town Council Planning application decisions as she is a member of the North Yorkshire Planning Committee.

Cllr D Keal declared an interest agenda item 11, Grants as she is a member of Malton, Norton District Lions and is a Trustee of the Woodhams Stone Collection.

Cllr J Vale was co-opted onto Malton Town Council as a Councillor and appointed to the executive committee of the Malton & Norton Area Partnership as Treasurer.

Cllr L Burr MBE also declared an interest in agenda item 11 Grants, The Lions as she has a family member who uses their service.

## **124/23 MINUTES**

### **RESOLVED -**

That the minutes of the Town Council Meeting held on the 16<sup>th</sup> October 2023 (minutes 106/23 to 120/23 inclusive) be approved and signed as a correct record. [See Link](#)

All members agreed.

## **125/23 MAYORS ANNOUNCEMENTS [See Link](#)**

## **126/23 REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK [See Link](#)**

## **127/23 FINANCIAL REPORTS AND ACCOUNTS**

- To authorise payment of accounts. [See Link](#)

- b) To receive the financial summary to 31<sup>st</sup> October 2023. [See Link](#)
- c) To receive bank reconciliation to 31<sup>st</sup> October 2023. [See Link](#)
- d) To receive deposit account reconciliation to 31<sup>st</sup> October 2023 (information) [See Link](#)

**RESOLVED** – That all accounts be approved for payment

All members agreed

### **128/23 PLANNING MATTERS**

#### **ZE23/01209/HOUSE**

54 Welham Road Norton Malton North Yorkshire YO17 9DP

Erection of single storey extension to the east elevation following demolition of existing stores/sheds

**RESOLVED** –

All members approved

#### **ZE23/05137/LBC**

64 Commercial Street Norton North Yorkshire YO17 9ES

Installation of handrail to the front of the dwelling

**RESOLVED** –

All members approved

### **129/23 GRANTS**

**RESOLVED** -

A total of five organisations were awarded grants: -

Norton & Malton Lions £750

Norton & Trinity Methodist Church £500

Acorn Community Care £750

The Bright Steels Social Club £175

Trustees of Woodhams Stone Collection £500

Total £2675.00

### **130/23 GARAGE RENT**

**RESOLVED-**

It was agreed to renew the annual rental and the Clerk to investigate other possible options for the future [See Link](#)

All members agreed

### **131/23 SLCC RENEWAL**

#### **RESOLVED-**

It was agreed to renew the annual fee for membership [See Link](#)

All members agreed

### **132/23 GATES IN KING GEORGES**

After a discussion on the cost of the replacements it was agreed that the Clerk seek advice from the Police and put up signage in the area asking the Public their opinion if they feel the gates are required. Most of the damage caused to the gates is from children swinging on them. The Clerk to obtain further quotes for the cost of the work. Should the Police advise and/or local residents support the need for the gates to be retained and for the play equipment. This matter is to be deferred until the next meeting. [See Link](#)

### **133/23 BURDALE CLOSE PLAY GROUND**

The Clerk was asked to obtain further quotes. Deferred till next meeting.

### **134/23 SKIPS**

#### **RESOLVED-**

It was agreed that the Clerk should order the skips at a cost of £624 for the allotments and cemetery.

All members agreed

### **135/23 REPRESENTATIVES**

Councillor A Spencer said that the Milton Rooms had their AGM and Cllr R King had been re-elected as the Chairman.

Cllr J Vale attended the RCIA meeting, YLCA Discussion Forum, MNAP meeting and was appointed to the Executive board of MNAP treasurer. He was also Co-opted onto Malton Town Council as a Councillor.

### **136/23 MEMBERS QUESTIONS**

Cllr A Spencer asked if the Rospa inspection was due and that the Skatepark inspection sheets were in order.

Cllr King requested he be the representative for Acorn Community Care as he has a long standing relationship with the organisation. This was agreed by members.

### **137/23 Date of the next Norton on Derwent Town Council Meeting**

Agreed that the next Norton on Derwent Town Council meeting be held on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December 2023 at the Council Chamber, 84b Commerical Street, Norton.

Claire Eade  
Town Clerk

Signed .....

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