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MINUTES OF THE EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF EASTWOOD TOWN COUNCIL

Held at 7.00 pm on Monday 18th November 2019

Present: Cllr S. Bagshaw (Mayor) and Cllrs D. Bagshaw, E. Benton, M. Bullock, R. Bullock, P. Hamilton, M. Radulovic MBE, R. Skellett, D. Wilcockson, K. Woodhead and R. Woods.

Members of the Public

D. Townsend (Town Clerk) and J. Williamson (Deputy Town Clerk).

TC181119/1 To Receive Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were received from Cllrs M. Hannah and M. Seagrave.

TC181119/2 Prayers

Reverend David Stevenson gave opening prayers.

TC181119/3 Variation of Order of Business

None

TC181119/4 Declarations of Members Interests

Cllr R. Skellett declared pecuniary interests in Minute Number TC181119/9, as an acquaintance of a company who had submitted a quotation, and also Minute Number TC181119/11, as he had development interests within the Town, and left the Meeting during consideration of these items.

Cllr D. Bagshaw declared a personal interest in Minute Number TC181119/14 as a Director of Eastwood Volunteer Bureau, and left the Meeting during consideration of this item.

Cllr P. Hamilton declared a personal interest in Minute Number TC181119/14 as a Director of Eastwood Volunteer Bureau. and left the Meeting during consideration of this item.

Cllr D. Wilcockson declared pecuniary interests in Minute Number TC181119/14 as a Director of Eastwood Volunteer Bureau, and a member of Eastwood Male Voice Choir, and left the Meeting during consideration of these items.

TC181119/5 Public Speaking

Cllr T. Harper congratulated the Town Council on the recent Remembrance Parade. He also reported that;

- The issue with the camber of Wellington Street pavement will be resolved.
- Nottinghamshire County Council were looking at measures to stop people accessing the bridges over the A610 who had intentions of harming themselves. It was suggested that a joint Meeting be held with Notts County Council, Broxtowe Borough Council and Eastwood Town Council.
- A proposal to replace the recent loss of YourBus had been sent to the Department of Transport for approval.

Cllr M. Radulovic reported on events to take place on VE Day 2020.

TC181119/6 To determine which additional items on the Agenda should be taken with the public excluded.

None

TC181119/7 Town Mayor Announcements

The Mayor reported that she had attended an event at the DH Lawrence Museum.

TC181119/8 Reports of the Town Clerk

None

TC181119/9 Removal of Asbestos at Allotment Sites

Members were asked to consider quotations to remove asbestos from the allotment sites. Two quotes had been received. A third had been difficult to obtain due to the locations of companies with the accepted credentials to do this work.

RESOLVED that Midland Asbestos be requested to carry out this work as per their quotation dated 6th November 2019.

TC181119/10 Electricity/Gas Contract

RESOLVED that Scottish Power be awarded a one-year contract for the supply of gas and electricity.

TC181119/11 Neighbourhood Development Plan

It was reported that work on the Neighbourhood Development Plan could now resume as the Local Plan Part 2 had been approved, although there could still be a legal challenge until the end of November.

Noted.

TC181119/12 To Confirm and Agree November 2019 Payments.

Income and payments for November 2019 were distributed to all Members.

RESOLVED to agree all payments and income (attached at Annexe A to the Minutes).

TC181119/13 Exclusion of the Press and Public

RESOLVED that pursuant to Section 1(2) of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, the press and public be excluded from the Meeting due to the confidential nature of the business to be transacted.

TC181119/14 To agree the award of Section 137 Grants as recommended by the Policy and Finance Committee 29th October 2019

RESOLVED that all S137 Grants as recommended be agreed.

TC181119/15 Hazel Braithwaite Award

Arrangements to present this award were agreed.

The Meeting closed at 8.10 pm.