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## **MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF EASTWOOD TOWN COUNCIL Arts and Events Committee**

Held at 4.00pm on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> October 2019

**Present:** Cllr S. Bagshaw (Mayor), P. Hamilton, R. Skellett, D. Wilcockson and K Woodhead.  
J. Williamson (Deputy Town Clerk).

### **AE291019/1 To Receive Apologies for Absence**

Apologies were received from Cllrs E Benton, M Seagrave and R Woods.

### **AE291019/2 Variation of Order of Business**

None.

### **AE291019/3 Declaration of Members Interest**

Cllr K Woodhead – Allotments, Cllr R Skellett – (Ice Asbestos) Allotments.

### **AE291019/4 To determine which additional items on any part of the Agenda should be taken with the public excluded.**

None.

### **AE291019/5 To confirm the Minutes of the Meeting held on 10<sup>th</sup> October 2019 as a true record.**

**Resolved:** To agree and sign the Minutes as a true and accurate record.

### **AE291019/6 PROGRAMME OF PLANNED EVENTS**

No Items for consideration

### **AE291019/7 CHRISTMAS LIGHTS**

#### **a). Councillors are asked to note the amended time:-**

#### **7.00pm Light Switch on, 8.00pm Firework Display**

A discussion ensued about the position of the main stage for the Christmas Lights Event. It was reported that LLeisure Ltd could not use the Hollies this year but that they would be able to use Iceland Car Park and that the main stage would be located outside the library.

**Resolved: Noted.**

### **AE291019/8 REMEMBRANCE DAY**

#### **a). Update on Remembrance Day Plans.**

It was reported that all actions for Remembrance Day were now either completed or in hand with the appointed people in preparation for the day.

**Resolved: Noted.**

A discussion ensued on the lack of lamp post poppies in Eastwood.

**Resolved: Cllrs K Woodhead and D Wilcockson agreed to put up the lamp post poppies on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November in preparation for Remembrance Sunday.**

### **AE291019/9 ALLOTMENTS**

#### **a). Update on CCTV for Allotments**

The Deputy Clerk reported that she had spoken with a few CCTV firms and had been told that because of the lack of electricity it would be difficult to provide cost effective CCTV to the Allotment sites. There

are cameras on the market which claim to operate from either solar power or batteries but these units would need regular battery replacement and solar would be ineffective during the winter months. It was suggested that the Deputy Clerk seek further guidance from a professional firm.

**Resolved: The Deputy Clerk to meet Falconbridge Site Security to discuss options and report back at the next meeting.**

**b). Update on Asbestos Removal at Allotments.**

The Deputy Clerk reported that she had received a quotation from Ice Asbestos Removal for £1,227.42 including VAT to remove the asbestos from both sites. The Deputy Clerk reported that it was proving difficult to obtain further quotes but that she was in the process of doing this.

Councillors suggested that The Deputy Clerk try to obtain further quotes before a decision be made the next meeting.

**Resolved: The Deputy Clerk to obtain further Asbestos removal quotations.**

**c). Update on Tree Report.**

The Deputy Clerk reported that she had received an email from Paul Summers at Broxtowe Borough Council which suggested that 4 trees be completely removed from the Dovecote Road Allotment Site. Councillors asked the Deputy Clerk to obtain the necessary quotations for completion of these works.

**Resolved: The Deputy Clerk to obtain Tree Removal quotations.**

**AE291019/10 GARDEN SERVICE**

**a). Report on Garden Service 2019 (see Appendix A)**

**Resolved: Noted.**

**AE291029/11 TOWN FLORAL DISPLAY**

No items for consideration.

**AE291019/12 DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The Date of the next meeting will be Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2019 at 4pm.

**AE291019/13 Meeting Close**

**The Meeting Closed at 4.35pm.**