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MINUTES OF THE ORDINARY MEETING OF EASTWOOD TOWN COUNCIL

Held at 7pm on Monday 8th November 2021.

Present: Cllrs T. Aram, D. Bagshaw, S. Bagshaw (Mayor), E. Benton, K. Boam, R. Bullock, M. Bullock, J. Foxhall, M. Hannah, A. Parker, M. Radulovic MBE, M. Seagrave, K. Woodhead, J. Williamson (Deputy Town Clerk) and Rev D. Stevenson.

TC081121/1 To Receive Apologies for Absence Apologies were received from Cllr R. Woods.

TC081121/2 Prayers

Prayers were taken by Rev. D. Stevenson.

TC081121/3 Variation of Order of Business

None

TC081121/4 Declarations of Members Interests

None

TC081121/5 Public Speaking

- a) It was noted that there was no report from the Police to report. The Deputy Clerk was requested to write to Sgt Boyle asking for a crime report for each Meeting of Council as had previously been provided.
- b) Cllr M Radulovic (Broxtowe Borough Council) spoke about the need to review security for Councillors and Staff in the aftermath of the recent tragedies. He suggested that Councillors should review the lone working policy for staff and the security of Councillors in general.
- c) A member of the public expressed concern about the condition of Woodland Way and about the gullies being full of leaves.

TC081121/6 To determine which additional items on any part of the Agenda should be taken with the public excluded.

NONE

TC081121/7 To confirm the Non-Confidential Minutes of the Town Council Meeting on Monday 11th October 2021.

RESOLVED to agree and sign the Minutes as a true and accurate record.

TC081121/8 To Confirm and Agree November 2021 Income and Payments

RESOLVED that all income and payments be noted and agreed (attached at Appendix A to the Minutes).

TC081121/9 Consideration of Accounts to 31st October 2021 and Bank Reconciliation

RESOLVED that the accounts and bank reconciliation to 31st October 2021 as submitted be agreed.

TC081121/10 Levelling-Up Agenda Bid for Eastwood

Cllr Radulovic provided an update on the current situation with the Levelling up Bid. Informing Cllrs that the bid was progressing well, however they had not yet received confirmation from the government of the timeline for submission of Stage 2 bids.

NOTED

1 TC081121/11 Remembrance Sunday 14th November 2021

The Deputy Clerk reported that all arrangements were now in place. The Lead Marshall Cllr Bullock reported that he would be meeting with the Deputy Clerk to ensure that all the arrangements were in place for the day.

NOTED

TC081121/12 Welcome Back Fund

Cllr Bullock reported that the Yarn Bombing working party had decided not to apply for a grant as the wool had all been donated and the participants had used their own needles etc. Cllr Bullock suggested that the council instead host the event in the New Year. The Feastwood Working party were yet to meet.

NOTED

TC081121/13 Committee Meetings – Cllr Aram

Cllr Aram reported that he had only received 5 responses so far. Cllr Bullock asked all Councillors to respond to the survey and for Cllr Aram to present his report at the next meeting.

RESOLVED that Cllr Aram will present a report on the availability of Councillors to attend meetings.

TC081121/14 Dovecote Road Allotments Pothole

Cllr Bullock had investigated the pothole and suggested that 5 bags of roadstone, tarmac or postcrete be purchased at the price of approximately £5 a bag to fill the hole. Cllr K Woodhead agreed to assist.

RESOLVED that Councillors R. Bullock and K. Woodhead be given delegated authority to carry out the repairs to the pothole.

TC081121/15 Flags

The Deputy Clerk reported that the flags had arrived but that she had been unable to source a company to erect them. Cllr Radulovic reported that he would investigate and email the Deputy Clerk with a contact to erect the flags.

RESOLVED that the Deputy Clerk be delegated to erect the flags once a contact had been sought.

TC081121/16 Correspondence

RESOLVED that all correspondence was circulated by email prior to the meeting.

The Meeting Closed at 8.07 pm .

