

ALFRETON TOWN COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 9th DECEMBER 2014 AT ALFRETON HOUSE HIGH STREET ALFRETON.

PRESENT;

Councillor G Dolman
Councillor M Bennett

Mayor
Deputy Mayor

And Councillors:

P Bennett, J Brown, M Brown, P Hunt, M Kerry, S Marshall-Clarke, A Richardson, S Walker and P Woodhouse

Emergency Item added

12g Alfreton Grange Arts College

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1. To receive apologies for absence.
Councillors J Walker (illness) and J Gdula (family commitment)
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2. Public Participation
None
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3. To receive any declarations of interest from Members.

Please Note

- Members must ensure that they complete all sections of the Declarations of Interest sheet prior to the start of the meeting these will be made available in the Council Chamber.
- Column 5 of the Declaration of Interest sheet must be completed in all cases to indicate the action to be taken (i.e. to stay in or leave the meeting prior to any consideration or determination of the item).

The Declarations of Interests will be read out from the Declaration Sheet – Members will be asked to confirm that the record is correct.

12d To consider co-option of a member

Councillor S Marshall-Clarke declared a personal interest

12f To consider an extension of free car park opening

Councillors M Bennett and G Dolman declared a personal interest

12g Alfreton Grange Arts College

Councillors J Brown, M Kerry and S Marshall-Clarke declared a personal interest

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4. To consider any items which should be taken in exclusion of the press and public.

The Town Clerk recommends that the following items are taken in exclusion:

11b To consider a report on replacement of shed roof at Crabtree Allotments

11d To consider a potential land swap

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5. To hear from a representative of Derbyshire Police should one be available.

PC Sharon Evans and PCSO Chris Bannister attended the meeting.

The vandalism at Alfreton House is being investigated and an update will be made when more detail is available.

A query was raised regarding disabled parking at Limes Avenue, the Police will raise a concern though Derbyshire County Council and discuss with Traffic Wardens.

6. To read and consider the Minutes of the Full Council meeting of Alfreton Town Council held on Tuesday 18th November 2014, copies have been circulated to each Member with the summons to attend the meeting; the Minutes may be taken as read.

MOVED

7. After consideration to approve the signature of the Minutes of 18th November 2014 by the person presiding as a correct record.

RESOLVED

As a correct record

8. To consider an update report from the Town Clerk on progress on the actions arising from minutes. (Monitoring Report)

NOTED and MOVED

9. To dispose of business, if any, remaining from the last meeting.

There was none

10. To receive and consider reports and minutes of committees.

Executive Meeting 25th November 2014

MOVED and NOTED

Members heard an update from the Town Clerk on additional hours worked and staff absence during January

11. To receive and consider additional agenda items in the order in which they have been notified.

- a) To consider the details received from Amber Valley Borough Council on a proposal to move to whole council elections**

Members discussed the content of the report

RESOLVED

To write to Amber Valley Borough Council to support the proposal

- b) To consider a report on replacement of shed roof at Crabtree Allotments**

ITEM TAKEN IN EXCLUSION 14a

- c) To consider co-option of a member**

Members considered the detail

RESOLVED

To start the co-option process of a member

- d) To consider a potential land swap**

ITEM TAKEN IN EXCLUSION 14b

- e) To consider a proposal to provide free car parking on Friday 12th, Saturday 13th and Sunday 14th December on Rodgers Lane.**

ITEM TAKEN IN EXCLUSION 14c

- f) To consider the draft policy on Street Trading Consents from Amber Valley Borough Council**

Members raised concerns with not being consulted on previous licences

RESOLVED

To write to Amber Valley Borough Council and request the fullest consultation on future applications

- g) Alfreton Grange Arts College**

ITEM TAKEN IN EXCLUSION 14d

12. To receive reports from representative on Outside Bodies.

Members heard from PC Roger Brown and Insp Glyn Dakin regarding Licensing matters and Pubwatch
Pubwatch is a national body which is self-run but supported by the police.

13. To authorise the signing of orders for payment.

Details were not available for this meeting. The accounts will be available at the January meeting.