

BARNOLDSWICK TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting of the Council held on Wednesday 8th May 2024 at The Civic Hall, Barnoldswick

Present

Councillors David Whipp, Jodie Greaves, Chris Church, Callum Hird, Mick Strickland, Tom Whipp John Spencer & Mandy Boardman

24/01 Election of a Chairman

The outgoing Chair, Chris Church, asked for nominations for the office of Chair for the year 2024-2025. A Nomination from Chris and seconded by David Whipp for Callum Hird to be elected as the Chair of the Council for the year 2024-2025. No other nominations were received.

Resolved: That Cllr Hird be elected as Chair for the year 2024-2025.

24/02 To receive the Chairs Declaration of Acceptance of Office

Resolved: Cllr Hird completed and signed the declaration

24/03 To Elect a Vice-Chairman of the Council

Resolved: That Cllr Mick Strickland be vice chair for the year 2024-2025

24/04 Apologies for Absence

Cllr Marjorie Adams, Emma West, Mike Whittingham, Angela Moran & Gillian Robinson

24/05 Declarations of Interest

No declarations of interest were received.

24/06 Open Forum

Cllr Spencer has requested a bin at the bus stop on Skipton Road/Coates Avenue. Also that the bus stop has graffiti on it.

24/07 To consider the establishment of Committees and sub-Committees and agree terms of reference

Resolved: To agree Committees as per 2023-2024

24/08 To agree membership of Committees

Resolved: Planning Cllr Mick Strickland, Tom Whipp & Chris Church,

Allotments: Angela Moran, Jodie Greaves, Callum Hird & Chris Church

Human Resources: John Spencer, David Whipp & Callum Hird

General Purposes: Everyone except Mandy Boardman, Emma West & Mike Whittingham.

Clerk to contact absent councillors to ask which committees they would like to sit on.

24/09 To consider a timetable of Meetings for 2024/2025

Resolved: To agree to the timetable as presented by Clerk

24/10 To Appoint Representatives on Outside bodies

Resolved: Bancroft Mill – Cllr Tom Whipp, West Craven Area Committee – Callum Hird, Vice Jodie Greaves

24/11 To inspect any deeds and trust instruments in the custody of the Council

Resolved: To note

24/12 Minutes of the last meeting

Resolved: That the minutes of the last Full Council Meeting held on the 10th April 2024 be approved as a correct record

24/13 Financial Matters

Resolved: That authority be delegated to the Town Clerk to make payments up to the next Full Council meeting

24/14 Grant Application

To consider an application from Barnoldswick Town Juniors for £1000 towards the refurbishment of their toilets

Resolved: To approve the application for £1000

24/15 Cornmill Place

Resolved: Cllr Tom Whipp & Cllr David Whipp signed the documentation to effect the transfer from Pendle to the Town Council of the land at Cornmill Place

24/16 Correspondence/Items for information

The Countryside Access Report was circulated and the Clerk was asked to request for a new sign at Greenberfield Locks and for the stile near the heads on Weets be looked at.

Approved as a correct record of the above meeting

Signed.....

Date.....

Cllr Callum Hird - Chari

The next meeting of the Full Council will be held on 26th June 2024

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