

Malmesbury Town Council

Minutes of the Town Council Meeting held in Malmesbury Town Hall on Tuesday 24th February 2015 at 7.00pm.

PRESENT: Her Worship the Mayor, Councillor S J Poole
The Deputy Mayor, Councillor K Power
Councillors: R E Budgen, F E Caton, C C Doody, J E Exton, L G Grant,
A J Gundry, W Jones, R F Sanderson, S J Shape and A C R Woodcock

APOLOGIES; Councillors S Cox and S J Killane

NON ATTENDANCE: Councillor A Kettlety

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND DISPENSATIONS

None

PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

None

68. TO RECEIVE A PRESENTATION ON BURHAM HOUSE DEVELOPMENT

Mr D Furlong from the Abbeyfield Society gave a detailed presentation of the new development proposed on the Burnham Road site. After the presentation Mr Furlong answered a range of questions from councillors and members of the public. One major area of concern was the perceived lack of parking spaces within the team. Mr Furlong explained that experience gained from other developments would indicate that the number proposed would be sufficient.

69. TO RECEIVE AND ADOPT THE MINUTES OF THE TOWN COUNCIL HELD ON 27th JANUARY 2015.

RESOLVED that the minutes of the Town Council meeting held on the 27th January 2015, as circulated, be received and adopted.

70. TO RECEIVE AND NOTE THE MINUTES OF THE JOINT BURIAL COMMITTEE HELD ON 17th NOVEMBER 2014 AND 9th FEBRUARY 2015

RESOLVED that the minutes of the Joint burial committee held on 17th November 2014 and 9th February 2015 noted.

Councillor Power informed the Council that an engraving of one of the designs for the cemetery had been displayed for sale on EBay. It was agreed that the Town Clerk would endeavour to purchase the item subject to cost not exceeding £100.

71. TO RECEIVE THE MINUTES OF THE PLANNING AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE HELD ON 20th JANUARY AND 10th FEBRUARY 2015

RESOLVED that the minutes of the Planning and Environment Committee held on 20th January and 10th February 2015, as circulated, be received.

72. TO RECEIVE THE MINUTES OF THE TOWN HALL AND FACILITIES COMMITTEE HELD ON 21st JANUARY 2015

RESOLVED that the minutes of the Town Hall and facilities Committee meeting held on the 21st January 2015, as circulated, be received.

73. TO RECEIVE THE MINUTES OF THE EXTRAORDINARY COMMUNITY AND TOWN PROMOTION COMMITTEE HELD ON 5th FEBRUARY 2015

RESOLVED that the minutes of the extraordinary meeting of the Community and Town Promotion Committee held on the 5th February 2015, as circulated, be received.

74. NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

Councillor Power advised that the formal acceptance of the plan was awaited. Councillor Gundry reported on a meeting attended at Chippenham where the methodology used by Wiltshire Council for the allocation of land for housing was not dissimilar from that used to produce the Neighbourhood Plan. The production of the plan had resulted in Malmesbury being excluded from the allocation of any additional housing outside of that shown in the plan.

The meeting closed at 20.24 hrs.