



Minutes of a Meeting held on Wednesday 16 February 2005

Present were Councillors G B Robinson (Chairman), Mrs J M Andrews, A J Barclay, C Beaumont, K Duckmanton, J Fletcher, A Garner, D M Kellam, J C Kirk, P Scholey, B Sheerin, B Slade, J J Tilley and Mrs M Tuxford.

In attendance D J Morton, Clerk and Financial Officer, Mrs S J Bailey, Administrative Assistant, and 5 members of the public and press.

136/04 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Mrs A S Dickinson, C McMahon, Mrs A L Rushforth and K F Stringer.

137/04 MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 19 JANUARY 2005

RESOLVED: that minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 19 January 2005 be confirmed as a true and accurate record of the proceedings.

138/04 MINUTES OF THE PREMISES AND REGENERATION COMMITTEE HELD ON WEDNESDAY 26 JANUARY 2005

Councillors Beaumont and Kellam confirmed they had sent their apologies for non-attendance at this meeting.

RESOLVED: that with the above amendment, the minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 26 January 2005 be confirmed.

139/04 MINUTES OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND WORKS COMMITTEE HELD ON WEDNESDAY 2 FEBRUARY 2005

RESOLVED: that minutes of the Environment and Works Committee held on Wednesday 2 February 2005 be confirmed.

140/04 MINUTES OF THE FINANCE AND GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE HELD ON WEDNESDAY 9 FEBRUARY 2005

RESOLVED: that minutes of the Finance and General Purposes Committee held on Wednesday 9 February 2005 be confirmed.

141/04 HEALTH AND SAFETY AND ENVIRONMENTAL STATEMENT

RESOLVED: that the Health and Safety and Environmental Statement as now presented by the Clerk & Financial Officer be adopted by the Town Council and signed off by the Chairman.

142/04 MALTBY FORUM

The Clerk & Financial Officer read a letter from Maltby Forum concerning a forthcoming "Quiz Night" to raise its profile in the community.

143/04 AREA ASSEMBLY

The Clerk & Financial Officer reporting.

The Clerk & Financial Officer reported on a recent Area Assembly meeting held at the Sunnyside Community Centre.

RESOLVED: that the report of the Clerk & Financial Officer be noted.

144/04 NATIONAL AND COUNTY ASSOCIATIONS OF LOCAL COUNCILS

The following matters from the National and County Associations were tabled:

- DIS – Issue No 598 – 24 January 2005
- DIS – Issue No 599 – 7 February 2005
- YLCA minutes 4 November 2004
- White Rose Update – 01/05
- Country Air – January 2005
- YLCA - To consider format for Election of South Yorkshire Branch Officials.

RESOLVED: that the above information be noted.

145/04 PLANNING MATTERS

The following planning matters were tabled:

- Planning Lists No's. 2,3, 4 & 5
- Planning matters SN266 & SN267

RESOLVED: that the above information be noted.

146/04 ROUTINE CORRESPONDENCE

The following items of routine correspondence were tabled:

- Thank you letters for Grants received.
- Home Fire Risk Assessment.
- Boundary Commission for England – Constituency Boundaries in South Yorkshire
- Letter from Mr T Appleyard
- Letter from the Yorkshire and Humberside regional assembly inviting comments on the Regional Spatial Strategy.
- Letter from South Yorkshire Police Authority regarding a public meeting to be held at 9.30am on 25 February 2005.
- ODPM Vibrant Neighbourhoods Strategy
- Finningley Airport Consultation Committee – Councillor B Slade to serve on the Consultation Committee with Councillor K Duckmanton as reserve.
- DEFRA – Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Bill – Outline of Measures.
- Action for Market Towns – The Role of Market Towns in the New Rural Agenda.

RESOLVED: that the above items be noted.

146/04 ROUTINE RMBC CORRESPONDENCE

The following items of routine RMBC correspondence were tabled:

- Area Assembly News – Issue 5 - February 2005
- 20 mph speed limit on Birks Holt Estate.
- Tickhill Road Maltby Proposed Puffin Crossing.
- Letter sent to RMBC ref Residential Development at Braithwell Rd, Maltby
- Letter regarding Parish Councils day held on 29 January 2005
- Papers for the Standards Committee to be held on 10 February 2005.
- VISION for Rotherham – special events day for Parish Councils to be held on 3 March 2005.
- Parish Council Liaison meeting to be held 29 March 2005.

RESOLVED: that the above items be noted.

147/04 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting of the Town Council was arranged for 7.00pm on Wednesday 16 February 2005 in the Edward Dunn Memorial Hall, Tickhill Road, Maltby.

148/04 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Members of the public raised concerns about fire brigade provision in Maltby. It was suggested that the Chief Fire Officer or his representative be invited to make a presentation to the next meeting of the Town Council.

The meeting closed at 8.30 pm