



Minutes of a Meeting held on Wednesday 21 July 2004

Present were Councillors G B Robinson (Chairman), A J Barclay, Mrs J M Andrews, C Beaumont, Mrs A S Dickinson, J Fletcher, A Garner, D M Kellam, C McMahon, B Slade, Mrs S N Robinson, A Russell, K F Stringer and J J Tilley.

In attendance D J Morton Clerk and Financial Officer and Mrs S J Bailey Administrative Assistant + 1 member of the press.

50/04 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Mrs A Rushforth, K Duckmanton, and J C Kirk.

51/04 MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 16 JUNE 2004

RESOLVED: that the minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 16 June 2004 be confirmed as a true and accurate record of the proceedings.

52/04 MINUTES OF THE PREMISES & REGENERATION COMMITTEE HELD ON WEDNESDAY 26 MAY 2004

RESOLVED: that the minutes of the Premises & Regeneration Committee held on Wednesday 26 May 2004 be confirmed as a true and accurate record of the proceedings.

53/04 MINUTES OF THE PREMISES & REGENERATION COMMITTEE HELD ON WEDNESDAY 23 JUNE 2004

RESOLVED: that the minutes of the Premises & Regeneration Committee held on Wednesday 23 June 2004 be confirmed as a true and accurate record of the proceedings.

54/04 MINUTES OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND WORKS COMMITTEE HELD ON WEDNESDAY 7 JULY 2004

Councillor Tilley confirmed that he did not attend this meeting and tendered his apologies.

RESOLVED: that with the above correction, the minutes of the Environment and Works Committee held on Wednesday 7 July 2004 be confirmed as a true and accurate record of the proceedings.

55/04 MINUTES OF THE FINANCE AND GENERAL PURPOSES MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 14 JULY 2004

Councillor Beaumont confirmed that she had sent her apologies to this meeting.

RESOLVED: that with the above correction, the minutes of the Finance and General Purposes meeting held on Wednesday 14 July 2004 be confirmed as a true and accurate record of the proceedings.

56/04 APPOINTMENT A CONTRACTOR FOR CHRISTMAS LIGHTS

RESOLVED: that a) the current contractor be engaged to install Christmas lights for December 2004 and b) the work be open to competitive quotation in 2005.

57/04 FORWARD PLANNING

RESOLVED: that a series of training sessions be organised later in the year with a view to action planning the council's future activities.

58/04 NATIONAL AND COUNTY ASSOCIATIONS OF LOCAL COUNCILS

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

- DIS – Issue No 583 – 28 June 2004
- DIS – Issue No 584 – 12 July 2004
- Local Council review July 2004

RESOLVED: that the above information be noted.

59/04 PLANNING MATTERS

The following planning matters were tabled:

- Planning Lists No's 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28
- Planning consultation – Sure Start Maltby

RESOLVED: that the above information be noted.

60/04 ROUTINE CORRESPONDENCE

The following items of routine correspondence were tabled:

- Sure Start – News Update July 2004
- Groundwork Dearne Valley – Annual Review 2003/2004
- Standards Board – Town and Parish Standards :01
- Age Concern – Fifty Matters June/July Issue 2
- Doncaster News – Summer 2004 Issue 8
- Cornerstone – Publication of Maltby Environmental Group

RESOLVED: that the above items be noted.

61/04 ROUTINE RMBC CORRESPONDENCE

The following items of routine RMBC correspondence were tabled:

- RMBC Summer Holiday Activities 2004
- RMBC Streetpride Service Standards
- RMBC – Unite June 2004 Issue 2
- Application for Public Entertainment Licence – Maltby Sports Centre
- Application for Public Entertainment Licence – The Sheppey, Grange Lane, Maltby
- Footway Crossings – Newlands Avenue, Maltby
- Countryside Access and the Rotherham Rights of Way Improvement Plan – Have your say
- Delivering Neighbourhood Renewal – 12 July 2004
- Letter confirming that RMBC will be dealing directly with Maltby Sure Start, and offering the Edward Dunn Memorial Hall to the Town Council on terms to be agreed.

RESOLVED: that a) the above items be noted b) Councillor Robinson contact RMBC with regard to the proposed work on Newland Avenue and c) the letter from RMBC with regard to the Edward Dunn memorial Hall to be forwarded for consideration to the Premises and Regeneration Committee.

62/04 EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION

Further discussion was held on the speed restrictions at Tickhill Road and Blyth Road.

Comments were made on the refurbishment of the High Street.

63/04 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting of the Town Council was arranged for 7.00pm on Wednesday 15 September 2004 in the Edward Dunn Memorial Hall, Tickhill Road, Maltby.

64/04 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

No items were raised and therefore the meeting closed at 8.15 pm