

Ordinary Meeting of the Town Council, Monday 14th December 2015

Northallerton Town Council

Held 7 p.m., Upper Hall, Town Hall, Northallerton

Present: Chairman: Councillor J Forrest
Councillors: P Atkin, K Archer, K Bowler, G Cullen, J Dobson, P Forster,
T Hall, C Palmer, S Pudney, D Robertson,

Officer: K Lambert

TC15/227	To receive apologies for absence
	Apologies were received from Councillor S Barber
Resolved:	Apologies are received
TC15/228	To receive declarations of interest from Councillors on Agenda items
	Councillors T Hall and C Palmer declared a non pecuniary interest in connection with the agenda item on CIL relating to HDC.
Resolved:	That declarations are accepted
TC15/229	To grant any requests for dispensation as appropriate
Resolved:	That dispensation is granted.
TC15/230	To receive the Police Report
	Sgt Simon Wilson was welcomed to the meeting and presented the report to the Council. Cllr Forster asked about a specific incident around Forest Road and Bullamoor Park. Sgt Wilson agreed to look into the incidents and report back to the Clerk who would forward the information on to Councillors. Cllr Forrest thanked the police for sending out information to the elderly about scam letters. Sgt Simon Wilson was thanked for attending the meeting and wished the Council a Merry Christmas.
	The meeting stood adjourned for public participation. There was no public participation.
	The meeting re-adjourned.
TC15/231	To receive and adopt the following minutes:
	Town Council 16 th November 2015
Resolved:	That the minutes are received and adopted.
15/232	To receive the following minutes:
	To receive E O meeting 23 rd November 2015
Resolved:	That the minutes are received and adopted
TC/15/233	To receive the Mayors Statement
	Due to a short month there is not a lot to report. Councillors have been talking to Mr Jewitt about CIL, this should not be the case as this is the job of the Clerk and there is no urgency to make a reply. The discipline panel we have only had 2 CV's returned we are now waiting for the return of information from the referees. The Tour De Yorkshire is due to make its way through Northallerton on Sunday 1 May 2016. The Fair is in town on that weekend. Message from R.A.F Leeming wishing all the Council regards and compliments of the season.

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	<p>Proposal from NYCC re: HR,CT, Finance and HS will be brought to the January Town Council. The Mayor had a debrief from fire brigade re: bonfire night. HDC Band Room planning application Northallerton Rotary Charter HDC forum re cycle paths around the town a study is being set up Santa Sunday a report from Cllr Archer Dedication of tree of hope for the Lionesses their charity is mencap this year. NVCF meeting HDC planning meeting ref the demolition of the prison. Visit to Barclays bank Visit to the A.C.F. Grace Gardner Party. Start collection in Town Hall for Cumbria flood victims by a 10 year girl from Great Ayton.</p>
TC/15/234	To receive correspondence and agree action:
	A letter is written to Letour Yorkshire to ask what the Council would be committing to and if there would be any cost.
TC/15/235	Update on Northallerton Signs
	Councillor Forrest had spoken to Simon Bailes they are going to supply and pay for the signs but they are waiting for confirmation from NYCC.
TC/15/236	CIL Update
	Councillor Forrest read out an email from Mr Jewitt which stated that no further information was available.
Resolved:	That the decision will be deferred to the January Meeting for more information and to invite Mr Jewitt to attend.
TC/15/237	To receive an update on Christmas Illuminations
	The illuminations which had been damaged had been taken away for repair. We have not had a cost for the repairs as yet. Councillor Hall asked how much has been donated by businesses towards the illuminations and was informed that no donations had been received.
	Update on Santa Sunday
	Councillor Archer Chairman of the Working Group reported that although it was a wet day and the number of stalls who had attended were slightly down from last year, he felt that the day had gone well. He considered that Santa had arrived too early this year but felt that this can be addressed in the future. A report on the income and expenditure for Santa Sunday will be presented to the next Town Council Meeting. Councillor Archer thanked Councillor Bowler, Deputy Chairman for his help.
TC/15/238	Update on responses for Chair/Vice Chair of Complaints Panel
	Councillor Forrest had updated Councillors in his statement.
TC/15/239	Precept 2016/2017
Resolved:	That Councillors agreed to a 0% increase to the charge payer.
TC/15/240	To agree action on Councillors holding residents meetings, surveys and surgeries
	A lengthy discussion took place on this matter and it was
Resolved:	That if a Councillor calls their own meeting, a surgery or survey, they must

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	let the office know. Any other surveys must be brought in paper form to the Council. 9 for 2 against.
TC/15/241	<u>To ask questions under Standing Order No. 24</u>
	None
TC/15/242	<u>To agree the Town Council Planning recommendations list 28</u>
Resolved:	That the list is accepted and acted upon.
TC/15/243	<u>To receive financial reports to 30th November 2015</u>
Resolved:	That the Financial Reports are received and adopted. Cllr Dobson said he welcomed the new improved format.
TC/15/244	<u>To receive tabled Orders and Payments</u>
Resolved:	That the tabled orders and payments are received and adopted

Meeting closed 8.05

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