

Minutes of an Extraordinary Meeting of Northallerton Town Council held at 7.00pm on Monday 2nd August in the Town Hall

Present: Cllr P Eames (Mayor) Cllr P Atkin, Cllr D Calvert, Cllr A Eames, Cllr P Cornfoot, Cllr A Eames, Cllr C Hutson, Cllr J Hutson, Cllr J Prest, Cllr D Richardson and Cllr C Young
Also Present: Alexandra Little, Locum Clerk

EO21/06 Apologies

It was resolved that apologies be noted and reasons for absence accepted from Cllr G Cullen and Cllr S Barber.

EO21/07 Declarations of Interest

Cllrs C & J Hutson declared an interest in any items relating to BID

EO21/08 It was resolved to exclude Members of the Public for item 6 due to the confidential nature of the business to be discussed

EO21/09 The LNER 2022 Timetable Consultation

This consultation was discussed, there will be a negative impact on Northallerton and the services between here and Leeds, to Manchester Airport and northbound in the commuter period to Darlington. It is also contradictory to the government's push for devolution of powers to the north. There was also discussion about the changes that will affect the Grand Central routes to and from the North East and the Dales. Cllr. Cornfoot had prepared a draft response to this and proposed that the Town Council write to the train operators and the Department of Transport, Rishi Sunak MP, NYCC and HDC.

It was resolved that Northallerton Town Council will write to the stakeholders, expressing their concerns strongly and focusing on the negative economic growth impact on the town and surrounding areas.

EO21/10 Town Square Improvements

A TRO Consultation was discussed and the removal of 12 car parking spaces and restriction of use of road at the side of the Town Hall.

It was resolved that Northallerton Town Council is in support of these amendments and the Locum Clerk will respond to that effect

EO21/11 It was resolved to exclude Members of the Public for due to the confidential nature of the business to be discussed

EO21/12 To consider the recommendations of the legal adviser and Litigation Committee

The recommendations of the legal adviser and Litigation Committee in relation to ongoing matters were discussed and a named vote took place.

Cllr P Eames (Mayor)	In Favour	Cllr A Eames	In Favour
Cllr P Atkin	In Favour	Cllr C Hutson	In Favour
Cllr D Calvert	In Favour	Cllr J Hutson	In Favour
Cllr A Eames	In Favour	Cllr J Prest	In Favour
Cllr P Cornfoot	In Favour	Cllr D Richardson	In Favour
Cllr C Young	Abstain		

It was resolved that Northallerton Town Council accept the recommendations of the legal adviser and Litigation Committee and proceed with the required actions

EO21/13 The date and time of the next Ordinary Town Council Meeting was confirmed as 7pm on Monday 20th September 2021

The meeting closed at 7.33pm

Signed:
Mayor
Date