

Malmesbury Town Council

Minutes of the Council Meeting held in the Malting Hall, Malmesbury on Tuesday the 9th November 2010 at 7.00pm.

PRESENT: His Worship the Mayor, Councillor P J Goldstone
The Deputy Mayor, Councillor S Cox
Councillors: W G Blake, Mrs C C Doody, S Killane, J R Lawton, J E F
Poole R F Sanderson, M H Snell, A Stamp, C M Vernon and A C
R Woodcock.

APOLOGIES: Councillors A Carnegie and Mrs R Miles,

NOT PRESENT: Councillor I Henderson

IN ATTENDANCE: One member of the press and two members of public present.

Prayers were offered by Councillor A C R Woodcock

MAYORAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

His Worship the Mayor, Councillor P J Goldstone invited the members of the Town Council to join him in wishing a speedy recovery to Andy Dawson and Mike Hamblin and expressed a welcome to Louise Arkley, the newly appointed Events and Facilities Manager. He reminded members of the schedule of meetings for the year and informed them that two sets of minutes were not on the agenda as both meetings had not been quorate.

The Mayor then reported on the engagements he had attended during the month, including the ceremony at Warminster.

PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

Councillor S Cox raised a question about the distribution of paper copies of agendas and minutes and requested consideration be given to displaying them on a screen at Council meetings. His Worship the Mayor referred the issue to the Policy and Resources Committee for consideration.

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LOCAL COUNCILS (MODEL CODE OF CONDUCT) ORDER 2007

There were no declarations of interest

42. TO RECEIVE AND ADOPT THE MINUTES OF THE TOWN COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 21ST SEPTEMBER 2010

RESOLVED that the minutes of the Town Council meeting held on the 21st September 2010 as circulated, be received and adopted.

43. TO RECEIVE AND ADOPT THE MINUTES OF THE POLICY AND RESOURCES COMMITTEE HELD ON 12TH OCTOBER 2010

RESOLVED that the minutes of the Policy and Resources Committee meeting held on the 12th October 2010 as circulated, be received and adopted.

44. TO RECEIVE AND ADOPT THE MINUTES OF THE TOWN HALL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON 13th OCTOBER 2010 AND THE EXTRAORDINARY MEETING HELD ON 26th OCTOBER 2010.

RESOLVED that the minutes of the Town Hall Management Committee held on 13th October 2010 and the Extraordinary meeting held on 26th October 2010 as circulated, be received and adopted.

45. TO RECEIVE AND ADOPT THE MINUTES OF THE PLANNING & ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON 26th OCTOBER 2010

RESOLVED that the minutes of the Planning & Environmental Issues Meeting held on the 26th October 2010 as circulated, be received and adopted.

46. EXAMINATION OF THE ACCOUNTS

Councillor C M Vernon, Chair of Policy and Resources Committee, reported that he had examined the payments in the company of the Vice-Chair and found all to be in order.

47. COMMUNITY HIRE OF THE TOWN HALL

48. MEMBER ATTENDANCE

Councillor Mrs Doody presented pages from a proposed Town Guide. The process had already been agreed and it was RESOLVED that his Worship the Mayor and Councillor Vernon would undertake the proof reading.

49. CLOSED CIRCUIT TELEVISION

REPORTS FROM OUTSIDE BODIES

Wiltshire Council - Councillor S Killane reported on issues from Wiltshire Council including the grant to the Boxing Club and support for the MUGA in St Aldhelm's Mead.

Wiltshire Association of Local Councils - Councillor C M Vernon reported that at the last meeting it was agreed that there would be an election for representatives to speak at the meetings of the Area Board.

M&VCAP - Councillor R F Sanderson reported that there would be a Community Safety Meeting held on the 30th September 2010.

50. CORRESPONDENCE

The Town Clerk reported that there had been an invitation for members to attend the Wiltshire Assembly on 15th October and it was RESOLVED that the Mayor and Councillors Sanderson and Snell be the representatives.

The Town Clerk advised the members that a consultation leaflet and questionnaire had been received about the future of leisure in Wiltshire. Copies were available for collection after the meeting.

51. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

There were no public questions raised.

Meeting closed at 21.00 hrs.