

Minutes of the Recreation & Tourism Meeting Thursday 20th June 2024

Present: Cllrs Whetlor, Terret, Brake and Young

In attendance: Annie Robinson – Deputy Town Clerk, 1x member of Public

24/01A **To Receive Apologies for Absence** (LGA 1972, section 85 (1))
Cllr Whetlor proposed that **'apologies given by Cllrs Johnson & Richards are accepted'**.
Seconded by Cllr Brake. Carried.

24/02A **To receive any Declaration of Interests** under Watchet Town Council's Code of Conduct (adopted on 9 July 2012) issued in accordance with the Localism Act 2011 and the Relevant Authorities (Disclosable Pecuniary Interests) Regulations 2012 Si No: 1464

Name	Minute no	Description of Interest	Personal & Prejudicial	Action
Cllr Terrett	24/05A i) & ii)	Watchet Task Force	Personal	Remained in the room and took part in discussions and voting

24/03A **To confirm and sign the Minutes of the Committee meeting held on Thursday 23rd May 2024** (LGA 1972, Sch 12 Para 41 (1) - *(paperwork circulated to members prior to the meeting via Appendix 1)*)
Cllr Whetlor proposed that **'the minutes of the recreation and tourism Committee meeting 23rd May 2024 are a true and correct copy'**. Seconded by Cllr Brake. Carried.

24/04A **Market Trader Parking:**
(i) Recommendation for Market Trader parking at the Memorial Ground on market day each Wednesday – Clerk to update Committee - *(paperwork circulated to members prior to the meeting via Appendix 2)*. Members noted the update, and a discussion ensued. Cllr Terrett proposed that – **'we are happy to accept the recommendation subject to confirmation of ground maintenance responsibilities and a system for ticketed parking on Watchet Memorial Ground on Market days'**. Seconded by Cllr Whetlor. Carried.

24/05A **Watchet Task Force:**
(i) Continuation of Social Media campaign – Recommendation from Town Clerk/RFO - *circulated to members prior to the meeting via Appendix 3*
Members noted the Town Clerks recommendation. A discussion ensued.
Cllr Whetlor proposed that – **'the committee accept the Town Clerks recommendation across all parts of Appendix 3'**. Seconded by Cllr Terrett. Carried.

(ii) Recommendation for WTC to supply flowers for WTF funded planters – Recommendation from Town Clerk/RFO - *circulated to members prior to the meeting via Appendix 4*
Members noted the Town Clerks recommendation. A discussion ensued.
Cllr Terrett proposed that – **'the Committee accept the Town Clerks recommendation that £650.00 WTC/WTF of earmarked funds be approved'**. Seconded by Cllr Young. Carried.

24/06A

Henry Davey

- (i) Wheeled Park Medium- and long-term repair quotes to be noted for September budget
Members noted the quotes total for the September budget.

24/07A

Esplanade:

- (i) **Approval of bookings:** *if required*

24/08A

Matters for the next meeting – verbal, no discussion

- Liaise with Clerk
- Family Fun day update

Meeting closed at: 6.26pm

Signed.....



Date.....

19/9/24