



SPECIAL PROJECTS COMMITTEE

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Minutes of the meeting of the Special Projects Group held on Wednesday 9th January 2019 at 6.30pm in the Council Chamber of the Town Hall, Sherwood Drive, New Ollerton

Present: Cllrs R Shilling (Chair), D Batey, L Shilling, R Murray, T Spratley, M Staley and B Wells

Mrs K Wakefield (Clerk), Mrs J Fletcher (Deputy Clerk)

Three members of the public

Apologies: Cllrs D Cumberlidge and M Pringle for personal reasons.

Resolved: That these apologies be accepted

DECLARATIONS OF MEMBERS INTERESTS:

None

DECLARATION OF ANY INTENTIONS TO RECORD THE MEETING:

None

SP/19/01 To receive and agree the Minutes of the Ordinary meeting of the Special Projects Committee held on Wednesday 21st November 2018

The Minutes, having been previously circulated were signed as a true and correct record.

SP/19/02 Central Park

1. To receive any updates regarding Central Park.

The Clerk reported that she had contacted the supplier regarding the issues on the Play area: the roundabout had issues with drainage; the jump box only worked intermittently – though this has not been fixed and the carpet on the Sutu area needed extending.

The Clerk informed members that a meeting had been arranged to meet with the supplier on site on Thursday 17th January at 9.00am along with any available members.

Clarification was required regarding warranty on the play equipment.

The Clerk reported that there was no further news from NCC regarding the application to site CCTV equipment on their building adjacent to Central Park. The Clerk was instructed to place the item on the agenda for the Special Project meeting next month.

The final payment for the Whitewater project was currently being with-held. Following discussion it was agreed by **Nem-Con decision** that the payment was to be with-held until after the meeting on Friday.

SP/19/03

Future Play & Sports field development & refurbishment

1. To discuss current development of play park facilities in Ollerton & Boughton

The Chair informed members that a set of goal posts which had been donated where to be sited one of the areas where there is currently no play equipment.

2. To discuss future ideas for ongoing development or improvement of play park facilities & green open spaces

The Colliery Memorial is making positive progress. The sculptor had emailed photographs before Christmas and the Clerk had forwarded them on to all members of the Council.

The installation date is 31st January 2019 with the commemoration and blessing of the statue taking place at the end of February.

The suggestion was made for solar lighting to be placed on the site around the statue, monies would need to be raised for this additional cost. Following discussion the Clerk was instructed to investigate this further and to place the item on the agenda for the next meeting.

The land behind Petersmith Drive that was under the Council's responsibility had been litter picked and the Clerk had reported the issues with fly tipping to NCHA as they own the remainder of the pathway.

SP/19/04

Town Centre Development:

1. To receive any updates regarding Forest Road Car Park.

Further information is awaited from the NSDC Officer who is currently on annual leave.

2. To receive any updates regarding Courtaulds site

The Clerk reported that NSDC Officer had been due to provide information in the new year but that nothing had been received at this time.

Following discussion it was

Resolved: that the Clerk agenda this item for the next meeting to enable more in-depth discussion to take place.

SP/19/05

To receive any updates from the Clerk regarding Mill Field

Nothing further to report.

SP/19/06

To receive any updates from the Clerk regarding the proposed cemetery extension

The Clerk reported that the local architects practice had supplied a fee proposal which was in excess of £6,000. This was to develop the site master plan which would be required for the planning application for change of use.

Following discussion it was agreed by **Nem-Con decision** that the Clerk be instructed to write to the NSDC Planning Officer and ask them to consider the proposal which had come from Officers of the Council regarding S106 monies being used for development of additional burial space.

The Clerk was also instructed to obtain a further fee proposal.

SP/19/07 Correspondence

None

SP/19/08 Date of Next Meeting: Wednesday 13th February 2019 at 6.30pm

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